



COMMUNITY ACTION PARTNERSHIP OF RIVERSIDE COUNTY

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The Honorable Steve Pougnet
City of Palm Springs
3200 East Tahquitz Canyon Way
Palm Springs, CA 92262

Dear Mayor Pougnet:

On behalf of the Community Action Partnership of Riverside County Community Action Commission, I am writing to request that the City of Palm Springs appoint an elected official to serve as the City's primary representative on the Commission. Palm Springs was one of five cities designated to represent the public sector on the Commission in 1980.

Federal and State law requires all primary representatives be elected officials and that alternates may be either elected or staff persons. Currently, Mr. Dale Cook serves as the City's alternate representative, and is an active participant on the Commission.

We do value Mr. Cook's participation and contribution to the Commission, but we do need for the City of Palm Springs to appoint an elected official in order to be in compliance with state law.

If the City of Palm Springs is no longer interested in representing the public sector on the Commission, or is unable to fill these vacancies, please let me know immediately so that I can contact the League of Cities to request appointment of a replacement city.

Sincerely,

Jenice Haskin, Chair
Community Action Commission

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