



Memorandum

TO: Rules and Open Government
Committee

FROM: Mayor Chuck Reed

SUBJECT: Silicon Valley Workforce
Investment Board Nomination

DATE: January 24, 2011

APPROVED:

Chuck Reed

DATE:

1/24/11

RECOMMENDATION

Approve the appointment of Bill Souders, Senior Director of Corporate Affairs for Cisco Systems in San José, to serve as a private-sector representative on the SVWIN Board of Directors as required by law.

BACKGROUND

The Mayor of the City of San José, as Chief Local Elected Official (CLEO) under the Workforce Investment Act, is responsible for establishing the membership and structure of the Local Workforce Investment Board (WIB) for San José and Southern Santa Clara County. The WIB, known as the Silicon Valley Workforce Investment Network (SVWIN) Board of Directors, shall consist of 43 members appointed by the CLEO, such that a majority of the local board membership are representative of business and private industries.

Currently, the SVWIN WIB membership roster has 36 Board members: 13 public sector and 23 business/private industry representatives.