



Memorandum

TO: RULES AND OPEN
GOVERNMENT COMMITTEE

FROM: Mayor Chuck Reed

SUBJECT: SILICON VALLEY
WORKFORCE INVESTMENT
BOARD NOMINATION

DATE: November 18, 2011

APPROVED:

Chuck Reed

DATE:

11/18/11

RECOMMENDATION

Approve the appointment of Mitch Schoch, President and CEO of Bentek, Inc. in San José, California 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 45 members appointed by the CLEO, such that a majority of the local board membership is representative of business and private industries.

Currently, the SVWIN WIB membership roster has 39 Board members: 13 public-sector and 26 business/private industry representatives.