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**MAYOR ASHLEY SWEARENGIN**

**NOTIFICATION OF APPOINTMENT BY MAYOR  
TO BOARD OR COMMISSION**

**TO:** City Council  
**THROUGH:** Yvonne Spence, City Clerk  
**BY:** Ashley Swearengin, Mayor

  X   Reappointment  
       New Appointment

**Name of person replaced:**

**Name:** Patrick Boyd

**Address:**

**Home Phone:**

**Business Phone:**

**Appointed to:** Historic Preservation Commission

**Term:** Through 6/30/2018

*City Council Agenda 06/05/2014*

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**Name of person replaced: Currently Vacant (Prior Commissioner: Dawar)**

**Name:** Lawrence Garcia

**Address:**

**Home Phone:**

**Business Phone:**

**Appointed to:** Planning Commission

**Term:** Through 6/30/2018

*City Council Agenda 06/05/14*

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APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT TO BOARD OR COMMISSION

Resume or letters of recommendation may be attached

Applicants may be required to live within the Fresno City limits. I reside in Council District No. 2

Name: Lawrence D. Garcia Hm. Phone: Wk. Phone:

Home Address: Zip: 93722

Work Address: CA Zip: 93722

Occupation/Employer: Business Owner - AmeriGuard Security Services, Inc. Yrs 11 Months 9

Educational Background, Schools Attended, Degrees and Certifications: Combat Veteran U.S. Navy - Honorable Discharge (1993) | BSIS

Private Patrol Operator Licensee Training (2001) | Fresno City College - Peace Officers Standard & Training (POST) (1999-2000) | Fresno County Paramedic Training Institute (1993-1994) | American Ambulance Paramedic & Dispatch Training (1993) | EMT Training Academy at Oak Knoll Naval Hospital (1992-1993) | Alameda City College (1991-1992) | U.S. Navy Class A Fire Fighting Academy (1969-1990)

Professional and Community Affiliations: President/CEO of AmeriGuard Security Services, a locally-owned nation-wide security company |

Former Secretary, Treasurer and Vice-President of the Central California Hispanic Chamber of Commere | Member of the Greater Fresno Area

Chamber of Commerce | Member of North Pointe Church | Member of the California Alarm Association | Member of the American Society for

Industrial Security (ASIS International) | Qualified Manager with the Bureau of Security & Investigative Services with the State of California

For what Board or Commission are you applying? City of Fresno Planning Commission

Briefly explain why you are interested in serving on this Board(s) or Commission(s): I am a life-long resident of the City of Fresno, my father was a Deputy Sheriff for the County of Fresno and he was heavily involved in community programs; all my family lives here and has made a comfortable living in Fresno; I would like to be involved in developing the future direction of the City of Fresno and give back to the community.

Provide 3 Personal and Professional References. Provide name, address, and phone number where they may be reached during the day.

- Roy Vasquez (Planning Commissioner) |

- Juan Arambula (Retired California State Assemblyman) |

- John Hernandez (Executive Director of CCHCC) |

I declare under penalty of perjury the above information is true and correct.

Dated: 7-13-12 Applicant: [Signature] Signature

Return completed, signed application to the City Clerk's Office, 2600 Fresno Street, Room 2133, Fresno, CA 93721-3603 or FAX to 559-488-1005. Your application will be kept on file for two years. Please re-file after that time if you are still interested in serving on a Board or Commission.

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY: Date referred to Mayor Date referred to Councilmember

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# LAWRENCE D. GARCIA

## PRESIDENT / CEO

### EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

- JANUARY 2002 TO PRESENT **AMERIGUARD SECURITY SERVICES, INC – FRESNO, CA**  
*Owner/Operator/Qualified Manager* licensed through the state of California Bureau of Security and Investigative Services (BSIS). In Charge of all decision making, managing and strategic planning for the entire company. Responsible for Sales & Marketing for all new and existing contracts. Contract manager of several facilities throughout the central valley. Liaison between employees/management. Developed the company in ten+ years from a 30+ employee local guard company to now encompassing in excess of 500+ employees with operations throughout the United States. Fully qualified security officer, Guard Card, Firearm Permit, Baton Permit, Chemical Mace, First Aid/CPR, EMT, PC8-32, Level 3 Post Certificate, Search and Seizure Qualifications, basic laws to arrest, Concealed Weapons Permit and holder of Federal Firearms License (FFL). Within this time-frame diversified to business to include Alarm System installations (AmeriGuard Security Systems) and a Security Officer Training Academy in Fresno, CA and Laurel, MD (The Training Point).
- JUNE 1988 TO APRIL 2002 **AGS SERVICES – FRESNO, CA**  
Started work as a *security officer* licensed by the state of California and was promoted throughout the years to *Lead Guard*, to *Site Supervisor*, to *Area Supervisor*, to *Project Manager*. Responsibilities included guard duties, guard supervision and contract management. Became *Qualified Manager* licensed through the state of California in 2000.
- AUGUST 1998 TO NOVEMBER 2000 **VALLEY CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL (ER) – FRESNO, CA**  
*Emergency Room Technician*  
Performed duties as EMT covering basic and advanced CPR, BTLS, BLS, PLS, Blood Draws, Wound Management, Splint/ Cast Triage, Bleeding Control, 12 lead EKGs, Patient/Family Relations.
- JUNE 1994 TO AUGUST 1996 **NORTH CENTRAL FIRE DISTRICT – FRESNO, CA**  
*PCF Fire Fighter*  
Assistant in Medical Aids and Fire Response for District 7 of the NCFD. Stabilizing patients, taking vital signs, patient assessment, triaging patients and coordinating transportation to hospitals as deemed necessary.
- JUNE 1993 TO AUGUST 1998 **AMERICAN AMBULANCE – FRESNO, CA**  
*Emergency Medical Technician*  
Assistant to paramedic in basic life support and emergency calls. Stabilizing patients, taking vital signs, patient assessment, assisting and providing paramedics with medical and life saving equipment as needed. Used radio to coordinate transfer of patients to hospital, Certified Code 1, 2 & 3 Transporter.
- JULY 1989 TO APRIL 1993 **UNITED STATES NAVY, USS SAMUEL GOMPERS AD-37 – SAN FRANCISCO, CA**  
*Damage Control Second Class E-5*  
Member of the Fire Fighting Team on board the USS Gompers. Knowledge of basic and advanced firefighting. Able to work as team leader. Able to access damage control in a professional and timely manner. Received a Navy Achievement award for participation in fighting and controlling an on board fire that threatened both ship and crew. Various training courses and duty assignments in leadership positions.

### EDUCATION

- Fresno City College – Fresno Peace Officers Standard & Training (1999-2000)
- Fresno County Paramedic Training Institute (1993-1994)
- American Ambulance – EMT & Dispatch Training (1993)
- Oak Knoll Naval Hospital – Paramedic Training (1992-1993)
- Alameda City College – General Education (1991-1992)
- US Navy Class A Firefighting Academy – Certified (1989-1990)
- United States Department of the Navy – Honorable Discharge 1993
- Fresno High School Graduate (1989)

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