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**Lancaster Council Member Nina Morris Appointed to Serve on National League of Cities' Community and Economic Development Committee**

**Lancaster, TX** - Nina Morris, Council Member District 6, Lancaster, Texas, has been appointed to the [National League of Cities](#) (NLC) 2019 [Community and Economic Development \(CED\)](#) federal advocacy committee. This committee has the lead responsibility for developing NLC's federal policy positions on issues involving housing, community and economic development, land use, recreation and parks, historic preservation and international competitiveness. The appointment was announced by NLC President Karen Freeman-Wilson, mayor of Gary, Indiana.



"I am honored by the opportunity to represent my community and participate in NLC policy development. Together our voices influence congressional leaders' position on key quality of life issues that are critical to our neighborhoods. I am ready to roll up my sleeves and get to work!" said Council Member Morris.

As a committee member, Morris will play a key role in shaping NLC's policy positions and advocate on behalf of America's cities and towns before Congress, with the administration and at home.

"Our federal advocacy committees help ensure that policymakers in Washington know what's happening on the ground in our communities – and what is needed from our federal partners," said **Karen Freeman-Wilson, mayor of Gary, Indiana, and president of the National League of Cities (NLC)**. "I am proud to have Nina Morris join NLC's Community and Economic Development Committee on behalf of her residents.



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Together with a team of local leaders from around the country, we will work to solve the most pressing challenges facing our communities.”

The leadership of this year’s committee will consist of Chair Laurie-Anne Sayles, Councilmember, Gaithersburg, Maryland, Vice Chair Kristopher Dahir, Councilmember, Sparks, Nevada, and Vice Chair Kevin Thompson, Councilmember, Mesa, Arizona.

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