

COMMISSIONER JACLYN TILLEY HILL HAS BEEN ELECTED AS CHAIR OF THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY CITIZENS' ECONOMY AND EFFICIENCY COMMISSION

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At its January 2006 meeting the Los Angeles County Citizen's Economy and Efficiency Commission acknowledged the role and contribution of Jaclyn Tilley Hill by electing her as the first woman to serve as Chair since the inception of the Commission.

In accepting her election as chair Ms. Hill recognized the contributions that have been made by the Commission throughout the years and remarked, "The individuals that serve on the Economy and Efficiency Commission represent the kind of dedication and commitment for which Los Angeles County should be justly proud. During my time as Chair I want to do all in my power to advance the mission of the Commission and to continue to succeed in improving the efficiency and effectiveness of local government within Los Angles County".

Ms. Hill, an appointee to the Commission of Supervisor Don Knabe, has previously served as the Chair and currently serves as a member of the County's Quality and Productivity Commission. In addition, she has served as Foreman of the Los Angeles County Grand Jury. She has also served ten years as the Chair and Commissioner of the Social Services Commission of the City of Whittier.

Ms. Hill is recognized as a highly successful fund raiser and event organizer for many Los Angeles charities for over twenty five years. She has served as an executive board member of the Assistance League of Southern California, Board member of the National Charity League, President of the Board of Trustees of the White Memorial Hospital Foundation, the Doheny Eye Institute's Luminaries, American Heart Association, and many other organizations. Ms. Hill continues as an advisory board member for the Los Angeles Children's Hospital "This Little Light" organization, the Whittier Area Literacy Council and Long Beach City College Foundation - Board of Governors. She attended California Western University and the University of Southern California.

The Economy and Efficiency Commission has twenty-one members. Each of the five members of the Board of Supervisors appoints four commissioners to the Commission for a two-year term which may be extended by reappointment. The previous year's Grand Jury Foreperson is appointed by the Board as the Commission's 21st member. Created in 1964, the Commission is charged with reviewing all aspects of local government management, operations and policies. It submits recommendations directly to the Board of Supervisors with the objective of improving the economy, efficiency and effectiveness of local government. The members of the Commission offer their time to the County on a voluntary basis and serve without pay.

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