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Canyon Lake Council Member Craton Elected to League of California Cities Board

Canyon Lake— At its January meeting, the Riverside County Division, League of California Cities elected Canyon Lake Council Member and Former Mayor Mary Craton to a Two-Year Term on the League State Board.

“Mary has been a stalwart League leader at the state and federal levels for several years,” said Hemet Council Member Robin Lowe, League of California Cities president. “I know she will represent our Division in an outstanding fashion.”

Craton, first elected to the Canyon Lake City Council in 2002, served as mayor twice and is an active voice in Riverside County for efficient government and improved local infrastructure. She has served on the National League of Cities Finance, Administration and Intergovernmental Relations (FAIR) Steering Committee for several years. Craton is currently an appointee of the Mayors and Council Department of the League to its Transportation, Communications and Public Works Policy Committee.

“I am honored by the confidence of my city colleagues,” Craton said. “I will make time to be a faithful board member and look forward to working on statewide issues.”

Perris Mayor Daryl Busch congratulated Craton on her election. “I’m glad Mary will have a chance to serve. She will do a great job for our Division.” Craton’s appointment to the League Board will end in September, 2011, after which time the Board seat passes to the Eastern portion of the Division by By-Law requirement

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