Los Angeles County Supervisor Janice Hahn Joins SCAQMD Board

Los Angeles County Supervisor Janice Hahn was sworn in today as the newest member of the South Coast Air Quality Management District Governing Board.

Hahn was elected to the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors in November 2016. She represents the Fourth District which stretches from Marina del Rey through the beach cities, Palos Verdes Peninsula, Harbor Area, Long Beach, through the Gateway Cities and east to Diamond Bar.

Hahn has spent her career in public service representing residents who live in communities that have been disproportionately impacted by poor air quality, including the Harbor Area and the cities alongside the I-710 freeway. As a member of the Los Angeles City Council she was integral in constructing the Port of Los Angeles’ Clean Air Action Plan in 2006, which has dramatically reduced air pollution from our ports.

Hahn served on the Los Angeles City Council for 10 years and in the House of Representatives for five and a half years. She is currently the chair of the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors.

While in Washington, Hahn served on the House Homeland Security Committee, Committee on Small Business and the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. She earned nationwide recognition for founding the Congressional Ports Opportunity, Renewal, Trade, and Security (PORTS) Caucus and recruited over 100 of her fellow House colleagues to advocate for ports issues and infrastructure. She has been a leader on efforts to rebuild our national freight infrastructure system and level the playing field for small business owners.

Hahn inherited a passion for public service from her late father, Supervisor Kenneth Hahn, who held public office in Los Angeles County for 50 years.

SCAQMD is the air pollution control agency for Orange County and major portions of Los Angeles, San Bernardino and Riverside counties.

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