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Mark Tortorich joined the OHA Board of Commissioners in July 2019, bringing over 35 years' experience in real estate development and construction. A licensed California architect, Tortorich currently serves as Vice President for Kaiser Permanente Northern California capital facilities and real estate group. His expertise will contribute immensely to OHA's development and real estate acquisition strategy.

Also, a board member of Habitat for Humanity SF, Tortorich has keen awareness of the dearth of affordable housing throughout the Bay Area and the dire need to explore and expand the housing supply using diverse and innovative approaches to design, construction and funding.

Prior to joining Kaiser Permanente, Tortorich served as Vice President of Planning Design and Construction for the Stanford University Medical Center. In that role he oversaw the expansion of the Stanford Hospital and Lucile Packard Children's Hospital in Palo Alto, CA. The Children's Hospital project, a significant component of a greater Stanford University Medical Center Renewal Project, added 521,000 square feet of space and 104 pediatric hospital beds in a new five-story building. Tortorich's commitment to the green design of that project is also part of the forward-thinking, outside-the-box solutions that will blend with OHA's approach to addressing the demands of today's environmental and development planning.

A graduate of Cal Poly San Luis Obispo with a degree in architecture, Mr. Tortorich enjoys time with family, especially his granddaughter, also an Oakland resident, and traveling to historic or architecturally significant sites. He also has a love of the beach and all things outdoors. OHA welcomes Mr. Tortorich to our team as we continue the work we do on behalf of families in Oakland, CA.



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