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Charles Black to serve as general counsel for Father Joe's Villages

San Diego lawyer and real estate executive Charles Black, who led the Petco Park development team to revitalize San Diego's East Village and was the senior executive of the Irvine Company in San Diego County, has volunteered to serve as general counsel for Father Joe's Villages. Black has been a member of Father Joe's Villages Board of Directors since 2006.

“In these tough economic times with funds being tight it was easy to get a board member to resign to provide pro bono services,” said Father Joe Carroll, president of Father Joe's Villages. “As an experienced leader in downtown, Charles will work closely with us to address the problems of homelessness and long range planning for the area.”

When he was developing the Ballpark Village project, Black worked closely with Father Joe and Village staff in the development of 16th & Market, San Diego's first ever high rise workforce affordable housing set to open Feb. 11, 2009. “That coupled with my experiences as a board member has given me a strong appreciation of the importance of Father Joe's mission,” Black said. “Volunteering my time to direct legal affairs at Father Joe's Villages is the best way I know to support that mission.”

The balance of Black's time will be devoted to his practice at the Law Offices of Charles E. Black and development services business. For more information on Charles Black, see www.ceblegal.com.

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