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Dear USC community,

I am delighted to announce that **Mr. John Mork**, founder and chief executive officer of the Energy Corporation of America (ECA), has been elected chair of the USC Board of Trustees. Mr. Mork and his wife Julie are well-known to our community, as their historic gift in 2011 created the USC Mork Family Scholars Program. Mr. Mork has been a member of our Board of Trustees since 2006, and a longstanding, passionate supporter of the Trojan Family.

Mr. Mork succeeds Mr. Edward P. Roski Jr., who served as chair with tremendous distinction since 2008. Mr. Roski, who received an honorary degree from USC at our recent Commencement, will continue as a member of the board. The accompanying [press release](#) contains additional details.

Yours truly,

C. L. Max Nikias
President

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via email