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SUBJECT: Consideration and recommendation of applicants to the Tacoma Creates Advisory Board
DATE: August 8, 2023

PRESENTATION TYPE:
 Committees, Boards and Commissions Interviews

SUMMARY:
 The Economic Development Committee will review and may recommend up to four applicants to the full City Council for reappointment to the Tacoma Creates Advisory Board. Below is a list of the applicants:

APPLICANTS	COUNCIL DISTRICT	ELIGIBLE POSITION(S)
Allison Campbell (seeking reappointment)	1	Professional: Heritage
Sheree Cooks (seeking reappointment)	4	District No. 4
Amanda Figueroa (seeking reappointment)	5	Professional: Science
Brian Robinson (seeking reappointment)	3	Professional: Arts

BACKGROUND:
 The Board advises to the Tacoma Creates Administration on funding programs to support public benefit in arts, culture, heritage, and science programs throughout Tacoma.

ISSUE:
 Positions need to be filled on the Board.

ALTERNATIVES:
 The Board would operate without full membership.

FISCAL IMPACT:
 There is no fiscal impact.

RECOMMENDATION:
 Staff requests that the Economic Development Committee recommend the reappointment of up to four applicants to the Tacoma Creates Advisory Board, which would be forwarded to the full City Council on August 22, 2023.

ATTACHMENTS:
 Tacoma Creates Advisory Board Applications
 Current Roster