

City of Tacoma

TO: Elizabeth Pauli, City Manager FROM: Doris Sorum, City Clerk Bill Fosbre, City Attorney

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SUBJECT: Resolution – Appointing Esther Evans to the Community's Police Advisory Committee –

January 31, 2023

DATE: January 19, 2023

SUMMARY:

Appointing Esther Evans to the "At-Large No. 1" position on the Community's Police Advisory Committee, to fill an unexpired term to expire December 31, 2023, followed by a three-year term to expire December 31, 2026.

COUNCIL SPONSORS:

Council Members Blocker, Daniels, Rumbaugh, and Ushka.

STRATEGIC POLICY PRIORITY:

Appointing individuals to the Committee best aligns with the strategic priority policy related to encouraging and promoting an open, effective, results-oriented organization as the Committee is policy-focused, which will help to ensure transparency and accountability in the way that the Tacoma Police Department operates.

BACKGROUND:

At the November 10, 2022, Community Vitality and Safety Committee meeting, the Committee conducted interviews, and at the January 12, 2023, meeting, the Committee recommended the appointment of the individual listed above to the Community's Police Advisory Committee.

ISSUE:

A position needs to be filled on the Community's Police Advisory Committee.

ALTERNATIVES:

The Committee will continue to operate without full membership.

RECOMMENDATION:

The Community Vitality and Safety Committee is recommending the appointment of the individual listed above.

FISCAL IMPACT:

There is no fiscal impact.