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SUBJECT: Resolution – Appointing an individual to the Tacoma Arts Commission –
April 2, 2019
DATE: March 21, 2019

SUMMARY:

Appointing Davis Freeman to the “At-Large No. 3” position on the Tacoma Arts Commission to fill an unexpired term to expire December 31, 2019.

COUNCIL SPONSORS:

Mayor Woodards, Deputy Mayor McCarthy, and Council Member Thoms.

STRATEGIC POLICY PRIORITY:

Appointing individuals to the Commission best aligns with the strategic priority policy related to fostering neighborhood, community, and economic development vitality and sustainability because the Commission provides leadership in supporting and enhancing the arts for the benefit of the City and its residents.

BACKGROUND:

At the November 13, 2018 Economic Development Committee meeting, the Committee conducted interviews and recommended Davis Freeman to a short list for future vacancies on the Commission as they occur. A Commissioner has vacated their position as of March 12, 2019, which has created a vacancy.

ISSUE:

One position needs to be filled on the Tacoma Arts Commission.

ALTERNATIVES:

The Commission will continue to operate without full membership.

RECOMMENDATION:

The Economic Development Committee is recommending the appointment of the individual listed above.

FISCAL IMPACT:

There is no fiscal impact.