



RESOLUTION NO. 41470

1 BY REQUEST OF MAYOR WOODARDS

2 A RESOLUTION appointing an individual to the City Council District No. 4
3 Position, for a term to be effective July 23, 2024 through the remainder of
4 the term of office and a successor is elected and qualified.

5 WHEREAS on May 16, 2024, the City notified the public that Council
6 Member Catherine Ushka had passed away, leaving a vacancy in the Council
7 District No. 4 position, and

8 WHEREAS the City Council discussed the process for filling the position
9 and the qualifications at the Tuesday, June 4, 2024 Study Session, and
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11 WHEREAS the City announced that the City Clerk's Office would accept
12 applications from June 6, 2024, through noon on Monday, June 24, 2024; a total
13 of 23 applications were received, and

14 WHEREAS at the July 2, 2024 Study Session, the City Council held an
15 Executive Session to discuss the qualifications of the applicants, and at the July 2,
16 2024 Council meeting, the City Council selected six finalists for the District No. 4
17 vacancy, and
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19 WHEREAS these six finalists were interviewed at the Council meeting on
20 Tuesday, July 9, 2024, and at the July 16, 2024 Study Session, the City Council
21 held an Executive Session to further discuss their qualifications, and
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23 WHEREAS having considered the qualifications of the candidates and
24 community feedback, the City Council finds that it is in the best interest of the
25 public that the individual named below be appointed to the City Council District
26 No. 4 position effective July 23, 2024 for the remainder of the term of City



Council District No. 4 position and a successor is elected and qualified; Now,

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Therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That, in accordance with Tacoma City Charter 2.7, the City Council does hereby appoint Sandesh Sadalge to the City Council District No. 4 position, effective July 23, 2024 for the remainder of the term of City Council District No. 4 position and a successor is elected and qualified.

Adopted _____

Mayor

Attest:

City Clerk

Approved as to form:

City Attorney