

# City of Tacoma

**TO:** Elizabeth Pauli, City Manager

**FROM:** Doris Sorum, City Clerk, City Attorney's Office

Bill Fosbre, City Attorney

**COPY:** City Council and City Clerk

**SUBJECT:** Resolution – Appointing and reappointing individuals to the Tacoma Arts Commission –

January 2, 2018

**DATE:** December 14, 2017

#### **SUMMARY:**

Appointing and reappointing the following individuals to the Tacoma Arts Commission:

- Appointing Rosie Ayala to the At-Large No. 1 position to serve a three-year term to expire December 31, 2020.
- Appointing Michelle Douglas to the At-Large No. 6 position to serve a three-year term to expire December 31, 2020.
- Appointing Paula Jacobson to the At-Large No. 9 position to serve a three-year term to expire December 31, 2020.
- Reappointing Wanda Thompson to the At-Large No. 4 position to serve a three-year term to expire December 31, 2020.
- Reappointing Lynn Wilmot-Stenehjem to the At-Large No. 5 position to serve a three-year term to expire December 31, 2020.
- Reappointing Heather Conklin to the Tacoma Public Education Representative position to serve a three-year term to expire December 31, 2020.

## **COUNCIL SPONSORS:**

Council Members Campbell, Mello, and Thoms.

## STRATEGIC POLICY PRIORITY:

Appointing and reappointing 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 14, 2017 Economic Development Committee meeting, the Committee conducted interviews and recommended the appointment and reappointment of the individuals listed above.

#### **ISSUE:**

Six positions need to be filled on the Tacoma Arts Commission.

# **ALTERNATIVES:**

The Commission would operate without full membership.

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

The Economic Development Committee is recommending the appointment and reappointment of the individuals listed above.

# FISCAL IMPACT:

There is no fiscal impact.