

City of Tacoma

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SUBJECT: Appointing Individuals to the Tacoma Community Redevelopment Authority Board –

April 22, 2014

DATE: April 7, 2014

SUMMARY:

Appointing and reappointing Rea Hagan and Helen-Hien Tran to the Tacoma Community Redevelopment Authority Board to the "Contractor" designation to serve two-year terms to expire December 31, 2015.

COUNCIL SPONSORS:

Council Members Ibsen, Lonergan, and Walker.

STRATEGIC POLICY PRIORITY:

Appointing and reappointing individuals to the Board best aligns with the strategic policy priority related to fostering neighborhood, community, and economic development vitality and sustainability because the Board administers loans to a variety of clients such as low-income families who need help in buying or repairing their homes, owners who provide multi-family housing to low-income families, businesses which create jobs or rehabilitate older, blighted buildings, and non-profit organizations that provide services to our community.

BACKGROUND:

At the April 7, 2014 Neighborhoods and Housing Committee meeting, the Committee interviewed applicants and recommended the appointment and reappointment of the individuals listed above.

ISSUE:

There are currently two openings for the "Contractor" designation on the Tacoma Community Redevelopment Authority Board.

ALTERNATIVES:

The Board would operate without full membership.

RECOMMENDATION:

The Neighborhoods and Housing Committee is recommending the appointment and reappointment of the individuals listed above.

FISCAL IMPACT:

There is no fiscal impact.