



TO: Elizabeth Pauli, City Manager
FROM: Nicole Emery, City Clerk
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SUBJECT: Resolution – Appointing and reappointing individuals to the Tacoma Area
Commission on Disabilities – September 26, 2023
DATE: September 18, 2023

SUMMARY:

Appointing and reappointing the following individuals to the Tacoma Area Commission on Disabilities:

- Appointing Billie Periman to serve a three-year term, retroactive to September 1, 2023, to expire August 31, 2026.
- Appointing Cheri Coleman to serve a three-year term, retroactive to September 1, 2023, to expire August 31, 2026.
- Appointing Hayley Edick to serve a three-year term, retroactive to September 1, 2023, to expire August 31, 2026.
- Appointing Wanda McRae to fill an unexpired term, to expire August 31, 2024.
- Reappointing Amin “Tony” Hester to serve a three-year term, retroactive to September 1, 2023, to expire August 31, 2026.

COUNCIL SPONSORS:

Council Members Blocker, Daniels, Rumbaugh, and Ushka.

STRATEGIC POLICY PRIORITY:

Appointing individuals to the Commission best aligns with the strategic priority policy related to encouraging and promoting an open, effective, results-oriented organization by ensuring the Tacoma Area Commission on Disabilities has full membership and can continue to advise the City Council in policy making, partner with the community to bring awareness of issues that affect individuals with disabilities, participate on committees, educate the public about disability issues, and serve as a resource for City staff.

BACKGROUND:

At the August 24, and September 14, 2023, Community Vitality and Safety Committee meetings, the Committee conducted interviews and recommended the appointment and reappointment of the individuals listed above.

ISSUE:

Positions need to be filled on the Tacoma Area Commission on Disabilities.

ALTERNATIVES:

The Commission would continue to operate without full membership.

RECOMMENDATION:

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



FISCAL IMPACT:

There is no fiscal impact.