

City of Tacoma

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COPY: City Council and City Clerk

SUBJECT: Resolution – Appointing and Reappointing Individuals to the Sustainable Tacoma

Commission – May 22, 2018

DATE: May 11, 2018

SUMMARY:

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

- Reappointing Alexandra Brewer to the Sustainable Tacoma Commission, to serve a three-year term, effective May 1, 2018, to expire April 30, 2021.
- Reappointing Philip Coughlan to the Sustainable Tacoma Commission, to serve a three-year term, effective May 1, 2018, to expire April 30, 2021.
- Appointing JC Rubi to the Sustainable Tacoma Commission, to serve a three-year term, effective May 1, 2018, to expire April 30, 2021.
- Appointing Kenneth Coble to the Sustainable Tacoma Commission, to serve a three-year term, effective May 1, 2018, to expire April 30, 2021.
- Appointing Heather Rawley to the Sustainable Tacoma Commission, to serve a two-year term, effective May 1, 2018, to expire April 30, 2020.
- Appointing Matthew Benedict to the Sustainable Tacoma Commission, to fill an unexpired term, effective May 22, 2018, to expire April 30, 2019, followed by a three-year term to expire April 30, 2022.
- Appointing Liberty Evans-Agnew to the "Youth" position on the Sustainable Tacoma Commission, to serve a one-year term, effective May 1, 2018, to expire April 30, 2019.

COUNCIL SPONSORS:

Deputy Mayor Ibsen and Council Members Beale and Mello.

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 oversees implementation of Tacoma's Climate Action Plan as the City and community reduce greenhouse gas emissions.

BACKGROUND:

At the May 9, 2018 Infrastructure, Planning, and Sustainability Committee meeting, the Committee conducted interviews and recommended the appointment and reappointment of the individuals listed above.

ISSUE:

Seven positions need to be filled on the Sustainable Tacoma Commission.

ALTERNATIVES:

The Commission will continue to operate without full membership.

RECOMMENDATION:

The Infrastructure, Planning, and Sustainability Committee is recommending the appointment and reappointment of the individuals listed above.

FISCAL IMPACT:

There is no fiscal impact.