



TO: T.C. Broadnax, City Manager
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COPY: City Council and City Clerk
SUBJECT: Resolution – Appointing individuals to the Tacoma Housing Authority – August 4, 2015
DATE: July 27, 2015

SUMMARY:

A resolution appointing or reappointing the following individuals to the Tacoma Housing Authority: reappointing Arthur Banks to a five-year term to expire August 4, 2020, and appointing Derek Young to an unexpired term to expire on August 22, 2016.

COUNCIL SPONSORS:

Mayor Strickland.

STRATEGIC POLICY PRIORITY:

This item best aligns with the strategic priorities to strengthen and support a safe city with healthy residents; ensure all Tacoma residents have an affordable, safe place to call home; provide support services to Tacoma Housing Authority residents to ensure that families reach their full potential; and foster communities that are safe, vibrant, prosperous, and just.

BACKGROUND:

Under Tacoma City Charter Section 2.4, appointments may be made by a majority vote of the City Council from names presented in writing to the City Council by the Mayor. Mayor Strickland nominated Arthur Banks and Derek Young to serve on the Tacoma Housing Authority in writing to City Clerk Doris Sorum.

ISSUE:

Two positions need to be filled on the Tacoma Housing Authority.

ALTERNATIVES:

The Commission would operate without full membership.

RECOMMENDATION:

Mayor Strickland is recommending the appointment of the above listed individuals.

FISCAL IMPACT:

There is no fiscal impact.