



TO: Elizabeth Pauli, City Manager
FROM: Doris Sorum, City Clerk
Bill Fosbre, City Attorney
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SUBJECT: Resolution – Appointing and reappointing individuals to the Tacoma Arts Commission –
November 13, 2020
DATE: December 1, 2020

SUMMARY:

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

- Appointing Jasmine Brown to the “At-Large No. 4” position to serve a three-year term, effective January 1, 2021, to expire December 31, 2023.
- Appointing Jeanette Sanchez to the “At-Large No. 5” position to serve a three-year term, effective January 1, 2021, to expire December 31, 2023.
- Appointing Jamika Scott to the “At-Large No. 6” position to serve a three-year term, effective January 1, 2021, to expire December 31, 2023.
- Appointing Alejandra Villeda to the “At-Large No. 9” position to serve a three-year term, effective January 1, 2021, to expire December 31, 2023.
- Reappointing Rosie Ayala to the “At-Large No. 1” position to serve a three-year term, effective January 1, 2021, to expire December 31, 2023.
- Reappointing Heather Conklin to the “Tacoma Public Education Rep.” position to serve a three-year term, effective January 1, 2021, to expire December 31, 2023.

COUNCIL SPONSORS:

Deputy Mayor Blocker and Council Members McCarthy, Thoms, and Ushka.

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 provides leadership in supporting and enhancing the arts for the benefit of the City and its residents.

BACKGROUND:

At the November 10, 2020 Economic Development Committee meeting, the Committee conducted interviews and recommended the appointment and reappointment of the individuals listed above.

ISSUE:

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.