

City of Tacoma

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COPY: City Council and City Clerk

SUBJECT: Resolution – Appointing individuals to the Tacoma Community Redevelopment Authority

Board - September 12, 2017

DATE: August 25, 2017

SUMMARY:

Appointing the following individuals to the Tacoma Community Redevelopment Authority Board: Appointing Karsen Keever to the "Contractor" designation and Zachary Schon to the "Licensed Realtor or Broker" designation to fill an unexpired term to expire December 31, 2017, followed by a two-year term to expire December 31, 2019.

COUNCIL SPONSORS:

Council Members Blocker, Campbell, Lonergan, and Walker Lee.

STRATEGIC POLICY PRIORITY:

Appointing 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 August 24, 2017 Community Vitality and Safety Committee meeting, the Committee conducted interviews and recommended the appointment of the individuals listed above.

ISSUE:

Five positions need to be filled on the Tacoma Community Redevelopment Authority.

ALTERNATIVES:

The Board would operate without full membership.

RECOMMENDATION:

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

FISCAL IMPACT:

There is no fiscal impact.