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SUBJECT: Resolution – Appointing and reappointing individuals to the Tacoma Area
Commission on Disabilities – September 24, 2024
DATE: September 18, 2024

SUMMARY:

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

- Appointing Shatone Martin to serve a three-year term, retroactive to September 1, 2024, to expire August 31, 2027.
- Appointing Carletta Skinner to serve a three-year term, retroactive to September 1, 2024, to expire August 31, 2027.
- Reappointing Lukas Barfield to serve a three-year term, retroactive to September 1, 2024, to expire August 31, 2027.
- Reappointing Wanda McRae to serve a three-year term, retroactive to September 1, 2024, to expire August 31, 2027.

COUNCIL SPONSORS:

Council Members Rumbaugh, Sadalge, Scott, and Walker.

STRATEGIC POLICY PRIORITY:

Appointing individuals to the Tacoma Area Commission on Disabilities (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 22, and September 12, 2024, 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 will 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.