

City of Tacoma Memorandum

TO: T.C. Broadnax, City Manager

FROM: Doris Sorum, City Clerk

COPY: Infrastructure, Planning, and Sustainability Committee Members

SUBJECT: Consideration and recommendation of applicants to the Human Services

Commission

DATE: August 18, 2016

SUMMARY:

The Community Vitality and Safety Committee will interview and may recommend to the full City Council appointments to the Human Services Commission. Below is a list of the applicants:

APPLICANTS	COUNCIL DISTRICT
Paulette Brown	Outside City Limits
Zachary Dillon	2
Jason Grube	1
Dana Owens-Cheatham	3
Valentine Smith	3

BACKGROUND:

The Human Services Commission conducts public hearings, accepts and reviews funding applications, rates project applications and makes human services funding recommendations to the City Council. The Commission also serves as a resource to the City Council and City Staff for implementation of the City's Human Services Strategic Plan.

ISSUE:

Three members need to be appointed to fill one unexpired term, and two three-year terms.

ALTERNATIVES:

The Commission would continue to operate without full membership.

FISCAL IMPACT:

There is no fiscal impact.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff requests that the Community Vitality and Safety Committee recommend the appointment of three members to the Human Services Commission, which would be forwarded to the full City Council on September 13, 2016.

ATTACHMENTS:

Current Commission Roster Human Services Commission applications