

City of Tacoma

TO: Elizabeth Pauli, City Manager **FROM:** Doris Sorum, City Clerk

COPY: Community Vitality and Safety Committee Members; Linda Stewart

PRESENTER: Doris Sorum, City Clerk

SUBJECT: Consideration and recommendation of applicants to the Tacoma Area

Commission on Disabilities

DATE: August 8, 2019

PRESENTATION TYPE:

Committees, Boards and Commissions Interviews

SUMMARY:

The Community Vitality and Safety Committee will interview and may recommend up to five applicants to the full City Council for appointment or reappointment to the Tacoma Area Commission on Disabilities. Below is a list of the applicants:

APPLICANTS	COUNCIL DISTRICT
Robert Hersey*	1
Ivanova Smith*	5
Lori Allison (seeking reappointment)	Outside City Limits
Anthony Caldwell (seeking reappointment)	5
Lukas Barfield	5
Marilyn Kimmerling	1
Sherelle Rogers	3
Richard Smaby	1

^{*}Participating telephonically

BACKGROUND:

The Tacoma Area Commission on Disabilities advises the City Council in policy making, and partners with the community to bring awareness of issues that affect individuals with disabilities. In addition, commission members participate on committees, help educate the public about disability issues, and serve as a resource for City staff.

ISSUE:

Positions need to be filled on the Commission.

ALTERNATIVES:

The Commission will continue to operate without full membership.

FISCAL IMPACT:

There is no fiscal impact.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff requests the Community Vitality and Safety Committee recommend the appointment or reappointment of up to five applicants to the Tacoma Area Commission on Disabilities, which would be forwarded to the full City Council on August 20, 2019.

ATTACHMENTS:

Tacoma Area Commission on Disabilities applications Current Roster