

City of Tacoma

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

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SUBJECT: Resolution – Appointing individuals to the Core Coordinating Team

December 1, 2020

DATE: December 8, 2020

SUMMARY:

Appointing the following individuals to the Core Coordinating Team:

- Marcia Tate Arunga
- Lawrence Coleman
- Keysha-Rae Cooper
- Kayla Davis
- Ronnie Gordon
- Fahren Johnson
- Bruce Kadden
- Marquis King Mason
- Annalycia Matthews
- Vhonda McElroy
- Salvador Mungia
- Anna Nepomuceno
- Priya Saxena
- Vanna Sing
- Anaid Yarena
- Patricia Flores as the Commission on Immigrant and Refugee Affairs Representative
- Verda Washington as the Human Services Commission Representative
- Chris Tubig as the alternate

COUNCIL SPONSORS:

Deputy Mayor Blocker and Council Members Beale, Hines, and Ushka.

STRATEGIC POLICY PRIORITY:

Appointing individuals to the Core Coordinating Team best aligns with the strategic policy related to equity and accessibility. The Core Coordinating Team seeks to reduce racial and other inequities, disparities, or discrimination to under-represented communities through community-led, multi-sector systems transformation for the benefit of the City and its residents.

BACKGROUND:

At the November 19, and November 23, 2020 Community Vitality and Safety Committee special meetings, the Committee conducted interviews and recommended the appointment of the individuals listed above to the Core Coordinating Team.

This recommendation supports Resolution No. 40667, authorizing the one-time use of \$75,000, budgeted from the Council Contingency Fund, to stand-up a community-led, multi-sector systems transformation effort to address all institutions, systems, policies, practices, and

contracts impacted by systemic racism, with initial priority being given to policing in the City, and also Resolution No. 40622, affirming the City's commitment to anti-racist systems transformation across the City.

ISSUE:

Positions need to be filled on the Core Coordinating Team.

ALTERNATIVES:

Positions could be left vacant on the Core Coordinating Team.

RECOMMENDATION:

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

FISCAL IMPACT:

There is no fiscal impact.