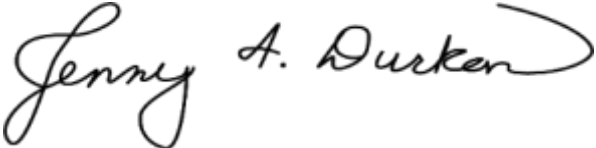




City of Seattle Boards & Commissions Notice of Appointment

Appointee Name: Mark Braseth		
Board/Commission Name: Seattle Planning Commission		Position Title: Member
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Appointment OR <input type="checkbox"/> Reappointment	City Council Confirmation required? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Appointing Authority: <input type="checkbox"/> City Council <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mayor <input type="checkbox"/> Other: <i>Fill in appointing authority</i>	Term of Position: * 4/16/2020 to 4/15/2023 <input type="checkbox"/> Serving remaining term of a vacant position	
Residential Neighborhood: Maple Leaf	Zip Code: 98115	Contact Phone No.: [REDACTED]
Background: Mr. Braseth is a Principal at Braseth Construction. He has transitioned from a career in land use and transportation planning, having worked at the Puget Sound Regional Council, to construction and development as a General Contractor in his small family owned business. He understands the difficulty and high costs of delivering affordable housing and as a former land use and transportation planner he understands the need and importance of housing affordability to maintain vibrant, livable and equitable communities. He has a unique understanding of land use and transportation policy and how that policy translates to development and construction.		
Authorizing Signature (original signature): 	Appointing Signatory: Mayor Jenny Durkan	
Date Signed (appointed): 1/13/2021		

*Term begin and end date is fixed and tied to the position and not the appointment date.

Mark Braseth

EXPERIENCE

Vice President/Principle 2020-Current

Braseth Construction, Seattle, WA

- Oversee internal operations at Braseth Construction
- In charge of entitlements, project underwriting, and marketing for development projects
- Construction project management

Project Manager

Braseth Construction, Seattle, WA

2015-2020

- Manage all facets of commercial construction from estimating, preconstruction services/consulting, building, and closeout.
- Project type focus includes; commercial tenant improvement, multifamily, mixed-use, townhome construction, hospitality, and historical renovation.

Short Range Transportation Planning

2013-2015

Puget Sound Regional Council, Seattle, WA

- Evaluated and ranked transportation projects competing for roughly \$700 million in federal transportation funds.
- Monitored over 500 regional transportation projects to ensure they met federal, state, and regional regulations.
- Communicated to over 80 local, state, and non-governmental agencies, on how to apply for and use federal transportation funds.

Land Use & Transportation Planning

2012-2013

Puget Sound Regional Council, Seattle, WA

- Supported the Growing Transit Communities (GTC) HUD Grant conducting land use and community planning around future light rail stations.
- Supported GTC outreach programs to engage citizens, local agencies, and non-governmental agencies in the planning process.
- Conducted data analysis on policy research on topics such as Tax Increment Financing.

Graduate Teaching Fellow

January-March 2012

University of Oregon, Eugene, OR

- Taught a graduate level GIS (Geographic Information Systems) lab.
- Evaluated student work and tutoring.

Graduate Research Fellow

January 2011-Present

University of Oregon, Eugene, OR

- Participated in a statewide evaluation of the national Safe Routes to School (SRTS) program in Oregon.
- Used ArcGIS to analyze pedestrian safety for over 200 SRTS programs.
- Created a database of pedestrian and bicycle vehicular crashes within SRTS schools attendance boundaries.

Neighborhood Planning Intern

June-September 2011

City of Seattle Department of Planning and Development, Seattle, WA

- Provided data analysis for healthy living assessments in two Seattle neighborhoods.
- Assessed transit access, walkability, and bicycle friendliness.
- Created graphics for three urban design framework documents.
- Researched and wrote on neighborhood place making.

- Assisted in public engagement by making maps and aiding in public planning exercises.

Report Writer

March-July 2011

Sustainable Cities Initiative, Eugene, OR

- Wrote a professional report for the City of Salem synthesizing seven development proposals for three sites in Salem, OR.

Researcher

January-June 2011

Community Planning Workshop, Eugene, OR

- Executed a target industry analysis for the City of Salem on the renewable energy industry.
- Wrote economic development strategies for the City of Salem.
- Interviewed leaders in the renewable energy field.
- Performed data analysis using North American Industry Codes and other labor statistics.

Volunteer Programs Coordinator

2009-2010

Seattle Community Court, Seattle, WA

- Trained four new AmeriCorps Liaison members.
- Developed procedures and sustainability manual to aid new recruits and future community courts.

EDUCATION

University of Oregon, Eugene, Oregon

Master Community and Regional Planning, March 2012

University of Washington, Seattle, Washington

Certificate in Community Development 2010

Washington State University, Pullman, Washington

Dual Bachelor of Arts degrees, Applied Intercultural Communication Studies and Political Science (Global Emphasis). Minor in Spanish, 2008 *magna cum laude*

- Member of Phi Beta Kappa and Pi Sigma Alpha political science honors society
- Study abroad, summer 2007 La Serena, Chile. Studied Chilean culture and Spanish

VOLUNTEER WORK

SOS Outreach

The Summit at Snoqualmie, WA

Winters 2015-2018

- Volunteer Snowboard Instructor for youth participants at SOS Outreach

LiveMove Communications Coordinator

2010-2012

University of Oregon, Eugene, OR

- Headed a commitment to action plan that was accepted for membership by the Clinton Global Initiative University (CGI U).
- Publicize LiveMove speaker series on transportation and livability.
- Wrote and won a \$3,000 grant to hold a bicycle rack design competition.

AmeriCorps, JustServe

2008-2009

Seattle Community Court, Seattle, WA

- Assisted over 500 defendants of low “quality of life crimes,” fulfill their community service hours and aid them in their social services contacts.
- Engaged as an ambassador for Seattle Municipal Community Court.
- Participated in Undoing Institutional Racism (UIR) training.

Seattle Planning Commission

JANUARY 2021

16 Members: Pursuant to SMC 3.6, all members subject to City Council confirmation, 3-year terms (except for position 16 which serves a one-year term and is a Get Engaged member):

- 7 City Council-appointed
- 8 Mayor-appointed
- 1 Other Appointing Authority-appointed (specify): Planning Commission

Roster:

*D	**G	RD	Position No.	Position Title	Name	Term Begin Date	Term End Date	Term #	Appointed By
6	F	3	1.	Member	McCaela Daffern	4/16/19	4/15/22	1	City Council
3	F	2	2.	Member	Dhyana Quintanar Solares	4/16/19	4/15/22	1	Mayor
6	F	2	3.	Member	Lauren Squires	4/16/19	4/15/22	1	City Council
6	F	7	4.	Member	Katherine Idziorek	4/16/19	4/15/22	1	Mayor
7	F	5	5.	Member	Jamie Stroble	4/16/19	4/15/22	1	City Council
6	M	5	6.	Member	Mark Braseth	4/16/20	4/15/23	1	Mayor
9	M	6	7.	Member	Roque Deherrera	4/16/20	4/15/23	1	City Council
1	F	5	8.	Member	Radhika Nair	4/16/20	4/15/23	1	Mayor
6	M	1	9.	Member	Matt Hutchins	4/16/20	4/15/23	1	City Council
6	F	2	10.	Member	Alanna Peterson	4/16/20	4/15/23	1	Mayor
3	M	3	11.	Member	Julio Sanchez	4/16/18	4/15/21	1	City Council
9	F	5	12.	Member	Rose Lew Tsai-Le Whitson	4/16/18	4/15/21	1	Mayor
6	M	4	13.	Member	David Goldberg	4/16/18	4/15/21	1	City Council
2	F	7	14.	Member	Patience Manzezulu Malaba	4/16/18	4/15/21	1	Mayor
6	M	4	15.	Member	Rick Mohler	4/16/18	4/15/21	1	Commission
2	M	5	16.	Get Engaged	Kelabe Tewolde	9/1/20	8/31/21	1	Mayor

SELF-IDENTIFIED DIVERSITY CHART

					(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
	Male	Female	Transgender	NB/O/U	Asian	Black/ African American	Hispanic/ Latino	American Indian/ Alaska Native	Other	Caucasian/ Non-Hispanic	Pacific Islander	Middle Eastern	Multiracial
Mayor	2	6			1	2	1			3			1
Council	4	3					1			4	1		1
Other	1									1			
Total	7	9			1	2	2			8	1		2

Key:

- *D List the corresponding Diversity Chart number (1 through 9)
- **G List gender, M= Male, F= Female, T= Transgender, NB= Non-Binary O= Other U= Unknown
- RD Residential Council District number 1 through 7 or N/A

Diversity information is self-identified and is voluntary.