




City of Seattle Boards & Commissions Notice of Appointment

Appointee Name: Carol O'Donnell		
Board/Commission Name: Pioneer Square Preservation Board		Position Title: Property Owner
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Appointment OR <input type="checkbox"/> Reappointment		Council Confirmation required? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Appointing Authority: <input type="checkbox"/> Council <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mayor <input type="checkbox"/> Other: <i>Specify appointing authority</i>		Term of Office: 3/1/16 to 3/1/19
Residential Neighborhood: Pioneer Square	Zip Code: 98104	Contact Phone No.: [REDACTED]
Legislated Authority: SMC 25.12		
Background: Ms. O'Donnell has been a resident of Pioneer Square for 22 years and currently owns a condo in the Florentine building. Ms. O'Donnell work experience at the Monmouth County Historical Association provided her with experience in applying historic preservation standards as she managed the operations of the museum, library and four 18 th century historic house museums. In addition, living in a historic building in Pioneer Square she is familiar with the review process for a Certificate of Approval. She has also served on the Eastside Heritage Board and the Marymoor Museum Board. Ms. O'Donnell has experience in serving on several Boards, both non-profit and for - profit attesting to her commitment to public services. She has also provided training for Board development. Self-described as a "history geek," Ms. O'Donnell provides rare opportunity to have a highly qualified, resident in the property owner position		
Date of Appointment: 2/9/16	Authorizing Signature (original signature): 	Appointing Signatory: Edward B. Murray Mayor of Seattle CITY CLERK

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August 3, 2015

Genna Nashem
Pioneer Square Preservation District
Seattle, Washington

Dear Genna:

Thank you for taking the time to speak with me last week. As per our conversation, I would like to be considered for the open position on the Pioneer Square Historic Preservation Board.

I have lived in Pioneer Square since 1993. When my husband and I came to Seattle, we knew at once that the historic heart of Seattle was the only place we wanted to live—a decision that we have never regretted. Over 22 years, we have seen the neighborhood through good times and bad, including the current revitalization and it is a combination of this renaissance and having more time for community involvement that has made me want to join the Historic Preservation Board.

While I am delighted with the prosperity and growth of the neighborhood—particularly the increased residential component—I am also concerned with the potential loss of buildings and public spaces that represent the history and culture of both Pioneer Square and the city of Seattle. In addition, I fear that over-gentrification will change the demographics of our community and eliminate the workers and artists that have been so much a part of our neighborhood.

I believe that my history museum background would make me a useful member of the Preservation Board and hope that my application will be accepted. I have attached my resume which details my experience and education. Please feel free to contact me if you need any further information.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Kind regards,

Carol

Carol O'Donnell



Carol O'Donnell



R E S U M E

Education:

B.A. English with History Minor, Drew University
Human Services Administration, Rutgers University
Certificate in History Museum Management, National Trust for Historic Preservation, Colonial
Williamsburg Foundation, College of William and Mary

Relevant Work Experience:

1980-85:

Business Manager, Monmouth County Historical Association: Responsible for operations and
finance for a modern museum and library and four 18th century historic house museums located
in Monmouth County, New Jersey

1985-92:

Executive Director, Monmouth County Historical Association

1992-95:

Director of Development and Membership, Museum of Flight, Seattle

1995-2014:

Director of Development and Communications, the Overlake School, Redmond, Washington:
Responsible for all areas of communication, fundraising and alumni program. Retired in June of
2014.

2014-Present

Carol O'Donnell Consulting: Helping non-profit organizations in the areas of fundraising and
board development. Current client: Hamlin Robinson School, Seattle.

Current Volunteer Work:

Florentine Owners Association Board of Directors, Pioneer Square
Eton School Board of Trustees, Bellevue, WA
Hansen Belyea, Board of Directors, Seattle, WA

Pioneer Square Preservation Board

Ten members: Per *Ordinance 110058*, all subject to City Council confirmation, 3-year terms:

- # City Council-appointed
- 10 Mayor-appointed
- # Other Appointing Authority-appointed (specify):

Roster:

*D	**G	Position No.	Position Title	Name	Term Start Date	Term End Date	Term #	Appointed By
6	M	1.	Property Owner	Mark Astor	4/2014	3/1/17	2	Mayor
		2.	Architectural Historian	Vacant	3/1/13	3/1/16	1	Mayor
6	F	3.	Property Owner	Carol O'Donnell	3/1/16	03/1/19	1	Mayor
6	M	4.	Get Engaged	Kyle Kiser	9/15	9/16	1	Mayor
6	M	5.	At-large	Ryan Hester	3/1/13	3/1/16	2	Mayor
6	M	6.	Architect	Dean A. Kralios	3/1/15	3/1/18	2	Mayor
4	F	7.	Human Services	Colleen Echohawk	3/1/16	3/1/19	1	Mayor
		8.	Attorney	Vacant	8/29/13	3/1/16	1	Mayor
6	F	9.	Retail Business	Tija Petrovich	3/1/13	3/1/16	2	Mayor
1	M	10.	Architect	Alex Rolluda	3/1/16	3/19	1	Mayor
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Diversity Chart:

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	Men	Women	Vacant	Minority	Asian-American	Black/African American	Hispanic/Latino	American Indian/Alaska Native	***Other	Caucasian/Non-Hispanic	Pacific Islander	Middle Eastern	Multiracial
Mayor	5	3	2	2	1			1	3	6			
Council													
Other													
Total	5	3	2	2	1			1	3	6			

Key:

- *D List the corresponding *Diversity Chart* number (1 through 9)
- **G List *gender*, M or F
- ***Other Includes diversity in any of the following: *race, gender and/or ability*