




City of Seattle Boards & Commissions Notice of Appointment

Appointee Name: Ray Corona		
Board/Commission Name: Seattle LGBT Commission		Position Title: Commission Member
<input type="checkbox"/> Appointment OR <input checked="" 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: 5/1/16 - 04/30/18 FILED CITY OF SEATTLE 2016 MAY 17 PM 4:13 CITY CLERK
Residential Neighborhood: Northwest District	Zip Code: 98133	Contact Phone No.:
Legislated Authority: SMC 3.14.920, SMC 3.14.921, SMC 3.51.010, Ordinance 118392, Ordinance 120871, Ordinance 120325, Ordinance 123219		
Background: Ray Corona, is an undocumented openly gay activist. He was the first one in his family to graduate from high school and attend a four year college, Ray graduated from University of Washington in 2013 with a degree in Society, Ethics and Human Behavior. Some of his notable accomplishments include: Winning the Princeton Prize in Race Relations in 2009 for his work with Latino Youth in Mukilteo School District. Leading the Washington Dream Coalition (WDC), immigrant youth organization that advocates for undocumented immigrants in WA State. Ray along with other member of WDC have done extensive work on how to best support undocumented students. Washington Dream Coalition was the leading voice for youth during the fight for the State DREAM Act/REAL Hope Act; known to many students as WASFA. Ray Corona has a strong commitment to advocacy and education which can be seen through his experience. In former roles Ray has served as the Advocacy Manager for the Latino Community Fund and student recruiter for UW Bothell, he even created his own college prep program. Ray currently works as a corporate recruiter for a commercial landscaping company, bringing his expertise and personal experience as a diverse young professional to the commercial landscaping sector.		
Date of Appointment: 4/27/16	Authorizing Signature (original signature): 	Appointing Signatory: Edward B. Murray Mayor of Seattle

Ray Corona

Qualifications

Strategic bilingual communicator (Spanish/English): Able to manage vital information and make compelling and informative presentations to varied and large audiences using multiple formats.

Natural relationship builder: Easily builds connections and establishes trust with diverse groups, government leaders, educators, and corporate professionals by constantly providing excellent customer service.

Skillful events leader: Effectively plans, coordinates, manages, and executes complex events.

Adept communication tool user: Skillfully uses productivity software and social media to develop marketing materials, presentations, and educational materials and reports in Spanish and English at a professional level.

Skills/Competencies

Microsoft Outlook, Excel, Word, PowerPoint | Social Media (Facebook & LinkedIn) | Diversity Recruitment | Budgeting

Experience

Regional Recruiter & HR Generalist

Jan. 2016-

Present

LandCare

- Coordinated, scheduled and performed phone screenings and initial interviews for hourly and salary employees for various branches in WA & OR.
- Created and managed postings in both Spanish and English, identified most successful mediums of recruitment.
- Responsible for tracking applicant flow and number of candidates hired for both hourly and salary positions.
- Managed marketing budgets for each branch.
- Assisted branch administrators with on-boarding process by running background checks, E-verify, and ensured employee completed all new hire paperwork.

Advocacy Manager/Youth Organizer

Jan. 2015-August

2015 Latino Community Fund

- Tracked 8 legislative priorities and maintained legislative relationships with 50 state and city officials.
- Developed an advocacy summer youth program and recruited 50 youth in western and central Washington.
- Recruited and trained 60 students from Northwest Washington to participate in the College Bound Advocacy day. Assisted students in drafting testimony and supporting arguments to deliver to state representatives and senators.

Admissions Advisor/Recruiter University of Washington Bothell

Aug. 2013-Jan.

2015

Diversity Outreach and Recruitment Lead

Nov. 2012-Aug.

2013

- Coached, simplified, and streamlined the college admission and financial aid processes to over 1200 diverse students and 300 educators which drove a 24% increase in enrollment over 3 years.
- Recruited from over 75 schools across Washington State by scheduling visits, delivering presentations and forming partnerships to increase enrollment.
- Performed as Master of Ceremonies. In addition, assisted with the creation and execution of over 10 recruitment events (including culturally relevant events for Black, Latino, Pacific Islander and Native American populations). All on a fixed budget, maximized resources through partnering with various stakeholders and community groups.
- Lead school district officials to develop a college going culture in the Marysville School District. Facilitated college preparation, leadership programming and trainings for over 150 educators and 800 students. Designed surveys to collect data from educators and students in order to gauge understanding of college planning and preparation.
- Reviewed and evolved a new marketing strategy for marketing materials, brochures, bracelets, website and social media content.

Seattle Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender Commission

MAY 2016

16 members: Per SMC 3.14.920, all subject to City Council confirmation, 2 –years for each term:

- 7 City Council-appointed
- 7 Mayor-appointed
- 1 Commission appointed
- 1 Member Get Engaged Program Appointed by the Mayor Confirmed by City Council
1-year term appointed in September

Roster:

*D	**G	Position No.	Position Title	Name	Term Start Date	Term End Date	Term #	Appointed By
3	M	1.	Member	Ray Corona	Confirmation	4/30/18	1 st	Mayor
		2.	Member	Vacant		4/30/17		Mayor
2	F	3.	Member	Dominique Stephens	Confirmation	4/30/18	1 st	Mayor
5	F	4.	Member	Luzviminda Uzuri “Lulu” Carpenter	05/01/15	4/30/17	2 nd	Mayor
3	M	5.	Member	Freddy Mora	Confirmation	4/30/17	1 st	Mayor
3	M	6.	Member	Manuel Venegas	06/08/15	4/30/17	1 st	Mayor
		7.	Member	Vacant		4/30/17		Mayor
9	NB	8.	Member	Yani Robinson	Confirmation	4/30/17	1 st	City Council
6	F	9.	Member	Debra Salls	12/14/15	4/30/17	1 st	City Council
6	F	10.	Member	Julia Ricciardi	Confirmation	04/30/17	1 st	City Council
6	M	11.	Member	Nicholas Oakley	Confirmation	4/30/17	1 st	City Council
		12.	Member	Vacant		4/30/18		City Council
2	GF	13.	Member	The Lady B	Confirmation	4/30/18	1 st	City Council
		14.	Member	Vacant		4/30/18		City Council
		15.	Member	Vacant		4/30/17		Commission
6	M	16.	Member	Elijah Grossman	09/08/15	09/30/16	1 term	Get Engaged

Diversity Chart:

		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)			
	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	3	2	2	5	0	1	3	0	1	0	0	0	0
Council	1	2	2	2	0	1	0	0	0	3	0	0	1
Comm	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GE	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
total	5	4	5	7	0	2	3	0	3	4	0	0	1

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*