

# City of Seattle Boards & Commissions Notice of Appointment

Appointee Name: Shefali Ranganathan										
Board/Commission Name:			Position Tit	le:						
Levy to Move Seattle Oversight	t Committee		Member							
X Appointment OR Re	appointment	Council Confirmation required?								
		X Yes No								
Appointing Authority:	•	Term of Office:								
Council		1/1/2016 12/31/2018								
X Mayor										
Other: Specify appointing of	authority		•	CLER.	<u>ু</u> নূত					
Residential Neighborhood:	Zip Code:	Contact Phone No.:								
Capitol Hill	98112									
Legislated Authority:										
Ord. 124796				-						
Background:			,			•				
Shefali is the Executive Directo	r of Transportat	ion Choices Coalitio	n. Transport	ation Choices i	is a					
statewide policy and advocacy	nonprofit dedic	ated to bringing Wa	shingtonians	more and be	tter					
transportation choices. They w	ork to preserve	and expand access	to public trai	nsit and active						
transportation options across the state.										
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Shefali oversees the organizati	on and is instrui	mental in their educ	ation work a	nd helps build	coalitic	ons				
with communities throughout Seattle who depend on transit.										
Shefali lives in District 3 in the Capitol Hill neighborhood.										
Date of Appointment: Author	Appointing Sig Edward B. Mu	• , •								
3/30/16		Blue		Mayor of Seattle						
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## RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

## Executive Director Transportation Choices Coalition (TCC), Seattle, WA

January '16 - present

- Leads statewide non-profit focused on transportation policy and advocacy
- Represents TCC externally at regional and local transportation task forces, in the media, and in public forums

# **Deputy Director**

June '07 - present

Transportation Choices Coalition (TCC), Seattle, WA

- · Leads overall program planning, development, and evaluation
- Spearheaded successful transit policy and advocacy campaigns
- Advanced cutting-edge transportation policies at the state, regional and local level
- · Builds strong and diverse coalitions of environmental, business, public health, social justice groups
- Built the Transit for All coalition that advocated for the nationally-recognized ORCA LIFT program

# Transportation Policy Analyst

Dec.'04 - May '07

Environmental and Energy Study Institute (EESI), Washington D.C

- Managed the Transportation and Smart Growth program
- · Authored policy briefs on transportation issues
- Developed and advanced for federal transportation legislation
- Built broad coalition of stakeholders including federal, state and local governments, businesses, environmental and academic groups

# Program Associate

July '03 - Nov.'04

#### Casey Trees Endowment Fund, Washington D.C

- Led a USDA Forest Service Innovation program focused on engaging low-income neighborhoods in urban community tree planting projects.
- · Authored training modules and materials for a community forestry education program
- Managed 100+ community volunteers for program initiatives

#### **EDUCATION**

M.S Environmental Science: American University, Washington D.C.	May '03
M.S Environmental Science: Anna University, Madras, India	May '01
B Sc Zoology: Stella Maris College, Madras, India	May '99

## **CIVIC LEADERSHIP**

- Northwest Asian Weekly's 2011 Women of Color Empowered Honoree
- University of Washington, Nonprofit Executive Leadership Institute Certification
- Member, Puget Sound Regional Council Transportation Futures Taskforce
- Member, King County Metro Service Guidelines Taskforce
- Member, Citizens Transportation Advisory Committee 3, City of Seattle
- Board member, Move Bellevue Forward

# Levy to Move Seattle Oversight Committee

16 members: Per *Ord. 124796*, all subject to City Council confirmation, 4-year terms (The initial terms for appointed board members and residents shall be four years, except for two two-year terms [one mayoral appointee and one Council appointee] and four three-year terms [two mayoral appointees and two Council appointees]):

- Chair of the City Council's Transportation Committee or its successor committee with responsibility for transportation
- City Budget Director
- City Council-appointed (to include a licensed engineer with bridge and structures experience)
- 5 Mayor-appointed
- 4 Other Appointing Authority-appointed (specify):
  - One representative each chosen by and from among the respective members of the Seattle Pedestrian Advisory Board, Seattle Bicycle Advisory Board, Seattle Transit Advisory Board, and Seattle Freight Board

#### Roster:

*D	**G	Position No.	Position Title	Name	Term Start Date	Term End Date	Term #	Appointed By	
	F	1.	Member	Rachel Ben-Shmuel	1/1/16	12/31/19	1	Mayor	
1	F	2.	Member	Shefali Ranganathan	1/1/16	12/31/18	1	Mayor	
	F	3.	Member	Elizabeth Kiker	1/1/16	12/31/18	1	Mayor	
	М	4.	Member	Calvin Goings	1/1/16	12/31/19	1	Mayor	
	М	5.	Member	Alexandre Krieg	1/1/16	12/31/17	1	Mayor	
1	М	6.	Engineer	Nick Paranjpye	1/1/16	12/31/19	1	City Council	
	М	7.	Member	Brian Estes	1/1/16	12/31/18	1	City Council	
3	F	8.	Member	Laurie Torres	1/1/16	12/31/19	1	City Council	
	М	9.	Member	Joseph Laubach	1/1/16	12/31/18	1	City Council	
	F	10.	Member	Betty Spieth-Croll	1/1/16	12/31/17	1	City Council	
	М	11.	Ped. Board Member	Paul Muldoon	1/1/16	12/31/19	1	Pedestrian Advisory Board	
2	F	12.	Bicycle Board Member	Phyllis Porter	1/1/16	12/31/19	1	Bicycle Advisory Board	
	М	13.	Transit Board Member	Ron Posthuma	1/1/16	12/31/19	1	Transit Advisory Board	
		14.	Freight Board Member	Pat Cohn	1/1/16	12/31/19	1	Freight Advisory Board	
	М	15.	Councilmember	Councilmember Mike O'Brien	N/A	N/A		Ord. 124796	
	М	16.	Budget Director	Ben Noble	N/A	N/A		Ord. 124796	

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	2	3		1	1					4			
Council	3	2		2	1		1			3			
Other	5	1		1		1				5			
Total	10	6		4	2	1	1			12			

# 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