




# City of Seattle Boards & Commissions Notice of Appointment

<b>Appointee Name:</b> <i>Artie M. Nosrati</i>		
<b>Board/Commission Name:</b> <i>Labor Standards Advisory Commission</i>		<b>Position Title:</b> <i>Member</i>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Appointment OR <input type="checkbox"/> Reappointment		<b>Council Confirmation required?</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<b>Appointing Authority:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Council <input type="checkbox"/> Mayor <input type="checkbox"/> Other: <i>Fill in appointing authority</i>	<b>Date Appointed:</b> <i>3/21/2018</i>	<b>Term of Position: *</b> <i>5/1/2018</i> <b>to</b> <i>4/30/2020</i>  <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Serving remaining term of a vacant position</i>
<b>Residential Neighborhood:</b> <i>Othello</i>	<b>Zip Code:</b> <i>98118</i>	<b>Contact Phone No.:</b>
<b>Background:</b> <p>Artie Nosrati is the Field Director at Working Washington. Artie has organized workers in many industries including fast food, airport, and home healthcare. He has worked on campaigns including fast food strikes for Seattle \$15, Seatac Proposition 1 (\$15 for airport workers), Secure Scheduling, multiple corporate accountability campaigns, and other causes for economic justice. Artie's most useful experience, however, is growing up with a single mother struggling on minimum wage and limited social services, and working low-wage jobs himself for many years. Artie studied English/Creative Writing at the University of Wisconsin - Milwaukee (the other, other UW). While he did not pursue a writing career, he did end up in Seattle in 2011 after a Kerouac-esque road trip.</p>		
<b>Authorizing Signature (original signature):</b> 		<b>Appointing Signatory:</b> <i>Teresa Mosqueda</i> <i>Councilmember, Citywide</i>

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

# ARTIE M. NOSRATI

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## SUMMARY

I am passionate about workers' issues and progressive policies that comes from my own first-hand experience growing up in poverty. I have experience leading high profile campaigns, strong communication skills, and value evidence-based decision making.

## SKILLS

- **Verbal Communication:** Years of direct organizing, communicating with workers and members of the public
- **Labor laws and policy:** participated in rulemaking for multiple labor laws including the Seattle Secure Scheduling Ordinance and I-1433.
- **Writing:** Have produced several professional writing pieces for various campaigns including grant proposals, reports, and messaging documents. Co-created and facilitated an undergraduate writing group, critiquing writing and organizing public readings.
- **Staff Leadership:** Trained and managed multiple staff, providing ongoing development and guidance
- **Action planning and logistics:** Coordinated and participated in a number of public actions, planning and logistics, ranging from worker strikes to civil disobedience.
- **Computer Basics:** competent with Word, Excel, and other office programs. Frequently create spreadsheets, flyers, and other materials for various campaigns.

## EXPERIENCE

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| 2017 - present | <b>Field Director, Working Washington</b><br>Managed staff on multiple campaigns in Seattle and statewide including health and safety in the workplace in Yakima, and Seattle domestic workers campaign. In addition, provided strategic planning, policy guidance, and coalition building on multiple campaigns. |
| 2015- 2017     | <b>Field Manager, Working Washington</b><br>Managed a team of organizers on multiple campaigns including Secure Scheduling in Seattle, and statewide minimum wage. Participated in planning and executing direct worker actions.  |
| 2012 - 2015    | <b>Senior Organizer, SEIU 775</b><br>Organized workers in multiple industries including home healthcare, airport, and fast food workers. Led other organizers on teams for campaigns including Seatac Proposition 1 and Seattle fast food strikes.  |
| 2011 - 2012    | <b>Organizer, Working Washington</b>  |

Organized community members and workers for economic justice issues including corporate accountability and shifting public policy to create jobs instead of cuts to social services.

2007 - 2010

**SPARK Early Literacy Tutor, Boys and Girls Club/Americorps**

Tutored K-3rd grade students with below-grade-level reading and writing abilities 1-on-1 during the school day. This program was jointly funded and operated through the Boys and Girls Club and Americorps and functioned as two terms of Americorps.

2004 - 2009

**Sales Associate/Truck Unload, Kohl's Department Store**

Unloaded truck, stocked shelves, and worked in various departments with tasks including merchandising and customer service.

2001 - 2004

**Clerk, Pick 'N' Save Grocery Store**

Bagged groceries and staffed multiple departments.

**EDUCATION**

2007-2010,  
2016-2017

BA – English/Creative Writing, *University of Wisconsin - Milwaukee*

# Labor Standards Advisory Commission

15 Members: Pursuant to *Ord. 124643*, all members subject to City Council confirmation, 2-year terms:

- 7 City Council-appointed
- 7 Mayor-appointed
- 1 Other Appointing Authority-appointed (specify): LSAC Commissioners

## Roster:

*D	**G	RD	Position No.	Position Title	Name	Term Begin Date	Term End Date	Term #	Appointed By
			1.	Commissioner		05/01/17	04/30/19		Mayor
2	M	N/A	2.	Commissioner	Anthony Burnett	05/01/16	04/30/18	1	Mayor
6	F	6	3.	Commissioner	Anna G. Boone	05/01/17	04/30/19	2	Mayor
6	F	2	4.	Commissioner	Nicole Grant	05/01/16	04/30/18	1	Mayor
1	M	7	5.	Commissioner	I-Miun Liu	05/01/17	04/30/19	2	Mayor
5	M	6	6.	Commissioner	Joe Mizrahi	05/01/16	04/30/18	1	Mayor
			7.	Commissioner		05/01/17	04/30/19		Mayor
			8.	Commissioner	Artie M. Nosrati	05/01/18	04/30/20	1	Council
3	F	N/A	9.	Commissioner	Cariño Barragán	05/01/17	04/30/19	1	Council
6	M	2	10.	Commissioner/ Co-Chair	Andrew Beane	05/01/16	04/30/18	1	Council
6	F	N/A	11.	Commissioner/ Co-Chair	Kellis Borek	05/01/17	04/30/19	2	Council
6	F	2	12.	Commissioner	Mona Smith	05/01/16	04/30/18	1	Council
6	F	N/A	13.	Commissioner	Rebecca Smith	05/01/17	04/30/19	2	Council
5	F	1	14.	Commissioner	Alia Abboud	05/01/16	04/30/18	1	Council
1	F	2	15.	Commissioner	Janet Chung	05/01/17	04/30/19	1	Commission

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	3	2			1	1			1	2			
Council	1	5					1		1	4			
Other		1			1								
<b>Total</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>8</b>			<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>		<b>2</b>	<b>6</b>			

### 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.*