



City of Seattle Boards & Commissions Notice of Appointment

Appointee Name: <i>Sara Patton</i>		
Board/Commission Name: <i>City Light Review Panel</i>		Position Title: <i>Non-Profit Representative</i>
<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>Fill in appointing authority</i>	Date Appointed: <i>4/23/2018</i> <i>4/25/18</i> <i>ECP</i>	Term of Position: * <i>5/1/2018</i> to <i>4/30/2021</i>
Residential Neighborhood: <i>Broadway</i>	Zip Code: <i>98102</i>	Contact Phone No.: <div style="background-color: black; width: 100px; height: 1.2em;"></div>
Background: <p>Sara Patton (Non-Profit Energy Efficiency Advocate) is the former Executive Director of NW Energy Coalition, an influential regional alliance of conservation, low-income, and consumer advocate organizations, utilities, businesses, communities of faith and citizen activists. Prior to her 21-year tenure at the NW Energy Coalition, Ms. Patton worked for energy efficiency at Seattle City Light for nearly 16 years. She is a member of the Washington State Bar Association and holds degrees from Antioch School of Law and Reed College. Her community service and honors include the Board of Save Our Wild Salmon, the Board of the Northwest Energy Efficiency Alliance, the Seattle City Light Advisory Board, the Energy Trust of Oregon's Energy Conservation Council, the Sierra Club's Cascade Chapter Executive Committee, the Northwest Energy Efficiency Taskforce, the Regional Technical Forum Policy Advisory Committee, the Pike Place Market Historical Commission, and 2006 Helen H. Jackson Woman of Valor Award.</p>		
Authorizing Signature (original signature): 		Appointing Signatory: <i>Jenny A. Durkan</i> <i>Mayor of Seattle</i>

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

SARA PATTON



EDUCATION AND BAR

J.D. 1976, Antioch School of Law, Washington, D.C.

Admitted to the Washington State Bar 1976

B.A. 1971, Literature, Phi Beta Kappa, Reed College, Portland, Oregon

High school diploma 1967, Queen Anne High School, Seattle, Washington

WORK EXPERIENCE

Executive Director

NW Energy Coalition

811 First Avenue, Suite 305

Seattle, Washington 98104

November 1993 to 2015

Chief executive of NW Energy Coalition, an alliance of more than 110 environmental, consumer, low-income and civic public interest groups; clean energy businesses; labor unions and progressive electric and gas utilities. The Coalition advocates energy efficiency, renewable energy, low-income weatherization, consumer protection and restoration of fish and wildlife in the Columbia River Basin as the foundations of a clean and affordable energy future for the Northwest. The Coalition covers Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Montana and British Columbia. The Executive Director manages the resources of the Coalition's staff of 13 in Washington, Oregon, Idaho and Montana and mobilizes member organizations to achieve the Coalition's goals.

Major Coalition accomplishments under my direction include:

- Increasing utility membership, doubling total organizational membership, and expanding constituencies
- Achieving Coalition policy consensus on difficult issues such as balancing utility incentives for energy efficiency and renewables with protection for low income households
- Launching the Renewable Northwest Project and Climate Connections (RNP became an independent organization and Climate Connections became the policy advocacy arm of Climate Solutions)
- Securing over \$60 million for low-income weatherization
- Enacting statewide energy efficiency and renewable energy standards for utilities in Montana, Oregon and Washington
- Ensuring total reliance on energy efficiency and new renewables to meet all load growth for 20 years in the Northwest Power & Conservation Council's 6th Power & Conservation Plan

Various Positions in Energy Conservation Policy and Planning

Seattle City Light

January 1978 to November 1993

Program Development Section Manager, March 1991-November 1993. My section was responsible for long- and short-range conservation planning, analysis of conservation technical

potential, R&D projects, management of major program demonstrations such as the Lighting Design Lab, energy conservation in City Light's integrated resource plans, policy representation and regulatory development. My staff varied from 18 to 28.

Energy Planning Supervisor, August 1980-March 1991. My unit was responsible for conservation policy analysis and advocacy to local, state, regional and federal decision-makers, preparing the conservation section of integrated resource plans, development of city energy code and utility energy efficiency requirements, and negotiation of conservation contracts with the Bonneville Power Administration (\$20 million in 10 years). Staff varied from six to 10.

Policy Analyst, January 1978-August 1980. I was responsible for legislative, regulatory and policy analyses including an amendment to the Washington State Constitution to allow publicly owned utilities to lend money for weatherization and an administrative rulemaking for residential electric service efficiency standards. I was acting Director of the Office of Conservation with full responsibility for 25 staff charged with planning, research and evaluation of utility conservation programs during this time.

Other Work Experience: 1967-1978

Tutor for the University of Washington's Office of Minority Affairs
Clinical law student in the Urban Law Institute in Washington, D.C.
Legal intern for U.S. Representative Shirley Chisholm
Teacher at the West Side Alliance Day Care Center in New York City
Itinerant apple picker in Tonasket, Washington
Salmon cannery worker in Excursion Inlet, Alaska

COMMUNITY SERVICE and HONORS

Northwest Energy Efficiency Taskforce Executive Committee 2008 to present
Northwest Energy Efficiency Alliance Board 2007 to 2009
Sierra Club Cascade Chapter Executive Committee 2007 to 2009
Sierra Club National Board Nominating Committee 2015 to 2018
2005 Helen H. Jackson Woman of Valor
Pike Place Market Historical Commission 2005 to 2015, chair 2009
Friends of the Market Board 2005 to 2018, President 2015-2018
Apollo Washington Executive Committee 2005 to 2009
United Steelworkers Associate Program, founding member Seattle local, 2004 to 2009
Seattle City Light Advisory Board 2003 to 2006
Seattle City Light Review Panel 2015 to present
Save Our *wild* Salmon Board of Directors 1995 to 2015, Secretary 2004 to 2015
Energy Conservation Council of the Energy Trust of Oregon 2000 to 2005
City of Seattle Environmental Oversight Panel 1997 to 2002
Board of Management Metrocenter YMCA 1992 to 2005, Chair Annual Fund Drive 1993
Board of Trustees Stuart Hall (home for teen aged girls) 1983 to 1987
Regional Technical Forum Policy Advisory Committee 2012 to 2015

City Light Review Panel

9 Members: Pursuant to *Ordinance #123256*, members subject to City Council confirmation, 3-year terms:

- 4 City Council-appointed
- 5 Mayor-appointed
- 0 Other Appointing Authority-appointed (specify):

Roster:

*D	**G	RD	Position No.	Position Title	Name	Term Begin Date	Term End Date	Term #	Appointed By
6	F		1.	Economist	Nina Sidneva	4/12/17	4/11/20	1	Mayor
2	M		2.	Financial Analyst	Calvin Shirley	4/12/17	4/11/20	1	Council
6	F		3.	Non-Profit Representative	Sara Patton	5/1/18	4/30/21	2	Mayor
6	M	6	4.	Residential Customer Representative	Thomas Buchanan	10/01/16	9/30/19	1	Council
6	M	7	5.	Commercial Customer Representative	David Allen	11/01/15	11/01/18	3	Mayor
6	M	4	6.	Industrial Customer Representative	Patrick Jablonski	10/01/16	9/30/19	1	Council
2	M	3	7.	Low-Income Customer Representative	Leon Garnett	4/12/16	4/11/19	1	Mayor
6	M	4	8.	Member at Large	John Putz	10/01/16	9/30/19	1	Council
6	F		9.	Suburban Franchise Representative	Gail E. Labanara	5/1/18	4/30/21	2	Mayor

SELF-IDENTIFIED DIVERSITY CHART

					(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
	Men	Women	Transgender	Unknown	Asian	Black/ African American	Hispanic/ Latino	American Indian/ Alaska Native	Other	Caucasian/ Non- Hispanic	Pacific Islander	Middle Eastern	Multiracial
Mayor	2	3				1				4			
Council	4	0				1				3			
Other													
Total	6	3				2				7			

Key:

- *D List the corresponding *Diversity Chart* number (1 through 9)
 - **G List *gender*, **M** = Male, **F**= Female, **T**= Transgender, **U**= Unknown
 - RD Residential Council District number 1 through 7 or N/A
- Diversity information is self-identified and is voluntary.*