



City of Seattle Boards & Commissions Notice of Appointment

Appointee Name: Matt Remle		
Board/Commission Name: Green New Deal Oversight Board		Position Title: Member
<input type="checkbox"/> Appointment OR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reappointment		City Council Confirmation required? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Appointing Authority: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> City Council <input type="checkbox"/> Mayor <input type="checkbox"/> Other: <i>Fill in appointing authority</i>		Term of Position: * 5/1/2023 to 4/30/2026 <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Serving remaining term of a vacant position</i>
Residential Neighborhood: New Holly	Zip Code: 98108	Contact Phone No.: [REDACTED]
Background: <p>Matt Remle is Hunkpapa Lakota and lives in Beacon Hill's New Holly neighborhood. He is seeking re-appointment and has served on the Green New Deal Oversight Board as a representative of communities impacted by environmental, economic and racial inequities for one term. Matt is the co-founder of Mazaska Talks, an organization dedicated to divestment/re-investment, protecting treaty rights, and environmental justice.</p> <p>Matt has over 20 years' experience in organizing for environmental and economic justice and Tribal sovereignty. Since 2014, he has worked closely with the City government to craft, organize and pass resolutions, ordinances, and other grassroots efforts including, but not limited to: the Indigenous People's Day resolution, Seattle's socially responsible banking ordinance, resolutions opposing the Dakota Access pipeline and Keystone XL pipelines, Seattle's Green New Deal resolution and ordinance, and the King County Council's moratorium on new fossil fuel infrastructure.</p> <p>Matt served on the Green New Deal Advisory Committee which crafted the Green New Deal legislation. The committee was comprised of impacted community members, labor representatives, and environmental organizations.</p>		
Authorizing Signature (original signature):  Date Signed (appointed): 2/29/24		Appointing Signatory: Tanya Woo Seattle City Councilmember

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

Matt Remle



Employment

2004 – Present: Marysville School District Lead Native American Liaison.
Managage Title VI Grant, supervise staff of six, provide counseling services for Native American high school students, coordinate curriculum development for district, supervise summer school opportunities for students, coordinate cultural enrichment, academic achievement and parent family engagement opportunities.

2003-2004: Youth Program coordinator for the Seattle Indian Health Board.
Coordinated youth after school activities.

2000-2004: Community organizer for the Community Coalition for Environmental Justice in Seattle. Organized community driven campaigns to combat environmental justice issues in South Seattle.

1997-1999: Park Ranger assistant Snohomish County Parks and Rec.
Maintained park facilities in Snohomish county.

Education

2000 BA Poli Sci / Environmental Sciences Western Washington University.

1997 AA Degree Skagit College

Additional

2013 – present Co-editor Last Real Indians a Native American based news page.

2014 – present Co-founder/organizer Mazaska Talks an organization dedicated to divestment/re-investment, protecting treaty rights, and environmental justice.

Green New Deal Oversight Board

19 Members: Pursuant to *Ordinance 125926*, all members subject to City Council confirmation, **3**-year terms.

- **8** City Council-appointed
- **8** Mayor-appointed
- **3** Other Appointing Authority-appointed (specify): Green New Deal Oversight Board

Roster:

*D	**G	RD	Position No.	Position Title	Name	Term Begin Date	Term End Date	Term #	Appointed By
	U	2	1.	Member	Nancy Huizar	5/1/23	4/30/26	1	Mayor
4	M	2	2.	Member	Matt Remle	5/1/23	4/30/26	2	City Council
	F	2	3.	Member	Elizabeth Baskerville	5/1/23	4/30/26	1	Mayor
4	F	n/a	4.	Member (Tribal Representative)	Rachel Heaton	5/1/23	4/30/26	2	City Council
4	M	1	5.	Member (Tribal Representative)	Ken Workman	5/1/20	4/30/23	1	Mayor
	F	1	6.	Member (Age 16-25)	Hannah Lindell-Smith	5/1/23	4/30/26	1	City Council
			7.	Member (Age 16-25)	Camille Gipaya	5/1/23	4/30/26	1	Mayor
	F	n/a	8.	Member	Stephanie Ung	5/1/23	4/30/26	1	Board
	F	1	9.	Environmental Justice Representative	Susan E. Balbas	5/1/23	4/30/26	1	Mayor
1	F	5	10.	Environmental Justice Representative	Debolina Banerjee	5/1/22	4/30/25	2	City Council
1	F	2	11.	Environmental Justice Representative	Eunice How	5/1/22	4/30/25	1	Board
1	M	7	12.	Labor Union Representative	Peter Hasegawa	5/1/22	4/30/25	2	Mayor
6	F	4	13.	Labor Union Representative	Emily Meyers	5/1/22	4/30/25	2	City Council
	F	n/a	14.	Labor Union Representative	Andrea Ornelas	5/1/22	4/30/25	2	City Council
6	M	n/a	15.	Labor Union Representative	Keith Weir	5/1/22	4/30/25	2	Mayor
6	F	6	16.	Member	Jess Wallach	5/1/22	4/30/25	2	City Council
6	F	4	17.	Member	Nina Olivier	5/1/22	4/30/25	1	Board
	F	7	18.	Member	Emily Pinckney	5/1/22	4/30/25	1	City Council
6	M	5	19.	Workforce Training Representative	Steve Gelb	5/1/22	4/30/25	2	Mayor

SELF-IDENTIFIED DIVERSITY CHART

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	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	5	2		1	2	2	1	1		2			
Council	1	7			3		1	2		2			
Other		3			1	1				1			
Total	6	12		1	6	3	2	3		5			

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.