



City of Seattle Boards & Commissions Notice of Appointment

Appointee Name: <i>Calvin Lassiter</i>		
Board/Commission Name: <i>Seattle Human Rights Commission</i>		Position Title: <i>Member</i>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Appointment OR <input type="checkbox"/> Reappointment		City Council Confirmation required? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Appointing Authority: <input type="checkbox"/> City Council <input type="checkbox"/> Mayor <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: <i>Commission</i>		Term of Position: * 1/23/2024 to 1/22/2026 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>Serving remaining term of a vacant position</i>
Residential Neighborhood: <i>Pioneer Square</i>	Zip Code: <i>98104</i>	Contact Phone No.: <i>Business phone # - NOT personal phone #</i>
Background: Calvin Lassiter is a human rights advocate, future entrepreneur, and spiritual enthusiast based in Seattle. Born in Murfreesboro, North Carolina, he brings a Southern perspective on justice and the warmth and hospitality that shaped him. He served two years on his hometown's Economic Development Board, gaining hands-on experience in civic planning and community expansion. With firsthand experience of homelessness and the criminal justice system, Calvin brings a grounded, authentic voice to issues like African American rights, women's rights, criminal justice reform, housing equity, and LGBT advocacy. While he brings a wide range of experience, he doesn't claim expertise in any field. He believes learning never stops and is committed to building a more just, compassionate, and unified Seattle.		
Authorizing Signature (original signature):  <i>Bryannah Quander (May 7, 2025 18:26 PDT)</i> Date Signed (appointed): <i>05/07/2025</i>		Appointing Signatory: <i>Bryannah Quander</i> <i>Seattle Human Rights Commission Co-Chair</i>

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

Calvin Lassiter

Objective

Dedicated professional seeking opportunities to contribute skills and experience in a dynamic, collaborative work environment.

Education

Wake Technical Community College, Raleigh, NC

Baking & Pastry Arts (DNF)

- Associate of Arts (DNF)
 - GPA: 3.03
 - Relevant Coursework: Food Safety and Sanitation
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Certifications

- **Class 12 Mixologist Permit**, Washington State Liquor and Cannabis Board
Valid: November 1, 2024 – November 1, 2029
Authorized to serve, mix, and supervise the sale of alcohol in Washington State.
[WSLCB](#)
 - **CPR/AED Certification for Adult/Child/Infant**, American Heart Association
Valid: February 9, 2025 – February 9, 2027
Trained in life-saving techniques for all age groups.
[Homepage](#)
 - **OSHA Excavator Certification**
Valid: 2023 – Present
Certified in the safe and efficient operation of excavators.
 - **ServSafe Food Protection Manager**, National Restaurant Association
Valid: 2023 – Present
Certified in food safety and sanitation practices.
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Skills

- Time Management
 - Teamwork
 - Basic Knowledge of Food and Beverage
 - Customer Service Oriented
 - Critical Thinking
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Experience

Steward, Climate Pledge Arena, Seattle, WA

October 3, 2024 – Present

- Ensured cleanliness and sanitation of kitchen and dining areas.
- Managed dishwashing and kitchen support tasks during high-capacity events.
- Collaborated with team members to maintain a safe and efficient work environment.

General Laborer, StaffZone (Temp Agency)

June 2023 – March 2024

- Supported construction sites, warehouses, and factories with various tasks.

Marination, Perdue Farms

June 2022 – December 2022

- Ensured food safety protocols were followed, trained staff, and maintained quality control.
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Professional Affiliations and Honors

Board Member, Economic Development for Hertford County

August 2021 – February 2023

- Contributed to economic planning, development projects, and community outreach.
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Community Involvement

Volunteer, South Wilmington Men's Shelter

- Assisted in daily operations and provided support to residents.

Seattle Human Rights Commission

21 Members: Pursuant to *SMC 3.14.920*, all members subject to City Council confirmation, 2-year terms except for the Get Engaged member who will serve a 1-year term pursuant to *SMC 3.51*:

- 8 City Council-appointed
- 9 Mayor-appointed (includes 1 Get-engaged Mayor position)
- 4 Other Appointing Authority-appointed: Commission-appointed

Roster:

*D	**G	RD	Position No.	Position Title	Name	Term Begin Date	Term End Date	Term #	Appointed By
	F		1.	Member	Bryennah Quander	7/23/23	7/22/25	1	City Council
	M		2.	Member	Trevor Duston	7/23/23	7/22/25	1	Mayor
	F		3.	Member	Amy Bailey	7/23/23	7/22/25	1	City Council
	F		4.	Member	Gwen McCullough	7/23/23	7/22/25	1	Mayor
	M		5.	Member	James Munger	7/23/23	7/22/25	1	City Council
	M		6.	Member	Kyle Tibbs	1/23/24	1/22/26	1	Mayor
	F		7.	Member	Mariam Sulayman Koss	1/23/24	1/22/26	1	City Council
	M		8.	Member	Calvin Lassiter	1/23/24	1/22/26	1	Commission
	F		9.	Member	Beverly Smith	7/23/24	7/22/26	1	Mayor
	F		10.	Member	Koumudi Phadake	7/23/24	7/22/26	1	City Council
			11.	Member	VACANT				Mayor
	F		12.	Member	Anika Khan	7/23/24	7/22/26	1	City Council
	F		13.	Member	Kristina Sawyckj	1/23/24	1/22/26	1	Mayor
	M		14.	Member	Ali Khan	1/23/24	1/22/26	1	City Council
	F		15.	Member	Diana Ortega-Chance	1/23/24	1/22/26	1	Mayor
	M		16.	Get Engaged	Avery Hultgren	9/1/24	8/31/25	1	Mayor
	M		17.	Member	Phillip Lewis	7/23/24	7/22/26	1	City Council
	F		18.	Member	Katie Sophie Gonser	1/23/24	1/22/26	1	Mayor
	M		19.	Member	Goutham Putta	7/23/24	7/22/26	1	Commission
	M		20.	Member	Nicholas Leydon	1/23/24	1/22/26	1	Commission
	F		21.	Member	Miranda Catsambas	7/23/24	7/22/26	1	Commission

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	3	4											
Council	3	5											
Comm	3	2											
Total	20												

List the corresponding *Diversity Chart* number (1 through 9) **G L ist gender, M= Male, F= Female, T= Transgender, NB= Non-Binary O= Other U= Unknown **RD Residential Council District number

Key: *D 1 through 7 or N/A -Diversity info is self-identified and voluntary.