

2016 Seattle City Council Green Sheet

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Budget Action Title: Amend the proposed bill reorganizing DPD into a new office (OPCD) and a new Department (SDCI) to require that the Director of the new Office is reconfirmed by the Council every four years.

Has CIP Amendment: No Has Budget Proviso: No

Councilmembers: Godden; Licata; O'Brien

Staff Analyst: Aly Pennucci

Council Bill or Resolution:

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Budget Action description:

This green sheet adds a requirement that the Director of OPCD will be subject to reappointment by the Mayor and reconfirmation by the Council every four years. The proposed bill reorganizes the Department of Planning and Development (DPD) into a proposed new Office of Planning and Community Development (OPCD) and a new Seattle Department of Construction and Inspections (SDCI) (note that Green Sheet 29-1-A-1 proposes amending the names of both the office and department). In the proposed bill, the Director of OPCD would not be required to be reappointed, and could only be removed by the Mayor.

This green sheet would amend the proposed bill as follows:

3.14.991 Director—Appointment and removal

The Director of the Office of Planning and Community Development shall be appointed by the Mayor ((subject to confirmation by a majority vote of all members of the City Council. The Director may be removed by the Mayor at any time)) and confirmed by a majority of the Council. The Director is subject to

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reappointment and reconfirmation every four (4) years. The Mayor may at any time remove the Director upon filing a statement of reason therefor with the City Council.