




City of Seattle Boards & Commissions Notice of Appointment

Appointee Name: <i>Girard Montejo-Thompson</i>		
Board/Commission Name: <i>Families, Education, Preschool, and Promise Levy Oversight Committee</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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mayor <input type="checkbox"/> Other: <i>Fill in appointing authority</i>		Term of Position: * 1/1/2025 to 12/31/2026 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>Serving remaining term of a vacant position</i>
Residential Neighborhood: <i>District 3</i>	Zip Code: <i>98101</i>	Contact Phone No.: <i>Business phone # - NOT personal phone #</i>
Background: Philip "Girard" Montejo-Thompson is a Seattle Public Schools educator with over 10 years of experience. Specializing in the sciences for elementary and middle grade students, Girard is dedicated to ensuring all students have access to science, technology, engineering, and math (STEM) learning.		
Authorizing Signature (original signature):  Date Signed (appointed): March 21st, 2025		Appointing Signatory: <i>Bruce A. Harrell</i> <i>Mayor of Seattle</i>

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

GIRARD MONTEJO-THOMPSON

Objective

To cultivate enthusiasm for education.

Education, Central Washington University, Ellensburg, WA

Bachelor of Arts in Elementary Education

June 2013

Second Major: Philosophy

Minor: Middle Level Science

Honors/Activities

President, Science Education Club

April 2011 – Mar. 2012

Vice President, Science Education Club

Mar. 2009 – Mar. 2011

WSTA (WA Science Teachers Association) conference

Mar. 2009 and 2010

Member, Science Education Club

May 2008 – Mar. 2009

STEP (Science Talent Education Program)

Sept. – June 2006

Certifications

Washington Elementary Teaching Certificate K-8

June 2013

Middle Level Science Teaching Certificate 4-9

June 2013

Teaching Experience

1st Grade, Highland Park Elementary

2023/24

4th/5th Grade, Highland Park Elementary

2020/23

8th Science, Denny International Middle School

2018/19

6th and 7th Science, Orca K-8

Oct. 2017/18

Kindergarten, Roxhill Elementary

2016/17

1st Grade, Roxhill Elementary

2015/16

6th and 8th Science, Washington Middle School

Dec. 2014/15

Substituting, Seattle Public Schools

Oct. – Nov. 2014

Student Teaching, Sacajawea Elementary School, Seattle, WA

Jan. – Mar. 2013

Pre-Autumn Experience, Tyee Middle School, Bellevue, WA

Sept. – Oct. 2010

Related Experience

Vice President, Seattle Education Association

June 2024 – Present

Teacher, CDSA Beacon Hill, Seattle, WA

Dec. 2013 – Sept. 2014

Camp Counselor, Hidden Valley Camp, Granite Falls, WA Aug – June '08-'09, '12-'13

Families, Education, Preschool, and Promise Levy Oversight Committee

17 Members: Pursuant to *Ordinance 125604*, 12 members subject to City Council confirmation, *staggered*-year terms:

- 6 City Council-appointed 3-year terms, subject to City Council confirmation
- 6 Mayor-appointed 3-year terms, subject to City Council confirmation
- 5 Other Appointing Authority-appointed (specify): *Ordinance 125604*

Roster:

*D	**G	RD	Position No.	Position Title	Name	Term Begin Date	Term End Date	Term #	Appointed By
1	F	2	1.	Member	Erin Okuno	1/1/22	12/31/25	3	Council
6	F		2.	Member	Natalie Beauregard	1/1/23	12/31/25	1	Council
3	F	2	3.	Member	Manuela Slye	1/1/21	12/31/24	1	Council
3	F		4.	Member	Janet Ceballos	1/1/25	12/31/26	1	Council
2	M	2	5.	Member	Donald Felder	1/1/22	12/31/24	2	Council
			6.	Member	Vacant	1/1/24	12/31/26		Council
9	M		7.	Member	Girard Montejo-Thompson	1/1/25	12/31/26	1	Mayor
2	F		8.	Member	Linda Thompson-Black	1/1/25	12/31/26	2	Mayor
1	F	N/A	9.	Member	Susan Yu Yi Lee	1/1/23	12/31/25	2	Mayor
2	M		10.	Member	Marques Gittens	1/1/23	12/31/25	2	Mayor
2	F	4	11.	Member	Lakeya Afolalu	1/1/24	12/31/26	1	Mayor
6	M		12.	Member	Evan M. Smith	1/1/25	12/31/26	2	Mayor
9	M	N/A	13.	Mayor	Bruce Harrell	N/A	N/A	1	Ordinance 125604
3	F	N/A	14.	Library, Education and Neighborhoods Committee	Maritza Rivera	N/A	N/A	1	Ordinance 125604
2	M	N/A	15.	School District Superintendent	Brent Jones	N/A	N/A	1	Ordinance 125604
9	F	N/A	16.	School District Board Member	Sarah Clark	N/A	N/A	1	Ordinance 125604
1	F	N/A	17.	Chancellor of Seattle Colleges	Rosie Rimando-Chareunsap	N/A	N/A	1	Ordinance 125604

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	3			1	3				1			
Council	1	5			1	1	2			1			
Other	2	3			1	1	1						2
Total	6	10			3	5	3			2			2

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.