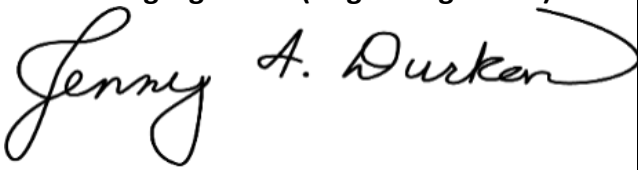




City of Seattle Boards & Commissions Notice of Appointment

Appointee Name: <i>Katie Garrow</i>		
Board/Commission Name: <i>Green New Deal Oversight Board</i>		Position Title: <i>Labor Union Representative</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>Green New Deal Oversight Board</i>		Term of Position: * 5/1/2020 to 4/30/2022 <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Serving remaining term of a vacant position</i>
Residential Neighborhood: <i>Unincorporated KC</i>	Zip Code: 98146	Contact Phone No.: [REDACTED]
Background: <p>Katie Garrow is currently the Deputy Executive Director for the MLK Labor Council, where she represents the Council publicly at public hearings, press conferences, rallies, etc. Through her role at MLK Labor, she works with unions in all trades such as fossil fuel dependent jobs like oil refineries, low carbon jobs like childcare providers, and clean energy jobs like electricians who work with hydroelectricity. It is her job to make sure that a transition to a greener economy happens, but does not happen on the back of workers.</p> <p>Last year, working with the Seattle Building Trades, 350 Seattle, The Beacon Hill Community Council, Transportation Choices Coalition and many other affiliate unions, they designed a spending plan for the Green New Deal component of the JumpStart Seattle tax. This spending plan is focused on a residential retrofitting program that prioritizes helping low income BIPOC residents transition from oil and natural gas as a heating sources in their homes to electricity. Making sure that these new jobs created are as good or better than the ones in fossil fuel industries.</p>		
Authorizing Signature (original signature): 		Appointing Signatory: <i>Jenny A. Durkan</i> <i>Mayor of Seattle</i>
Date Signed (appointed): 6/8/21		

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

Katie Garrow

EXPERIENCE

Deputy Executive Director, MLK Labor, Seattle WA (April 2016-present)

- Represent the Council publicly (public hearings, press conferences, rallies, etc)
- Responsible for operational business of the Council
- Direct political program (endorsements, contributions, coordinate volunteers for campaigns)
- Run and staff internal coalitions with affiliate unions

Union Representative, PTE Local 17, Seattle WA (Aug 2013-April 2016)

- Co-chair (w/ management) of the City of Seattle Joint Labor Management Healthcare Committee (overseeing benefits for city employees)
- Enforce and negotiate union contracts in the City of Seattle
- Represent members in grievance proceedings (inc mediation, arbitration and settlement negotiations)
- Lobby, campaign and develop policy with elected officials that benefit workers (Let's Move Seattle, Universal Pre-K, departmental funding, paid parental leave, \$15, Office of Labor Standards)

Legislative / Lobbying Intern, Washington State Labor Council, Olympia, WA (Jan-July 2013)

- Testified on behalf of legislation that affects our constituency
- Track and send our alerts regarding legislation that affects local union affiliates

Political Organizer, IFPTE - Local 21, San Francisco, CA (Aug-Dec 2012)

- Recruited and trained 260+ volunteers over two months for eight key campaigns
- Supervised phone banks in collaboration with the San Francisco Labor Council
- Spoke at union membership and coalition meetings of 50+ people about the campaigns
- Designed and organized post-election meetings with volunteers and institutionalized 'best practices'
- Recruited multilingual members to reach out to monolingual voters

Interim Day Labor Program Director La Raza Centro Legal, San Francisco, CA (2011-2012)

- Managed a program of services (health, education, and economic development) for 150+ day laborers
- Recruited and trained 30+ workers to testify at committee hearings and participate in legislative visits
- Secured and managed \$50,000 / yr collaborative jobs program with the City of SF for day laborers
- Tracked metrics and wrote bi-monthly grant reports for a \$150,000 / year contract with the City of SF
- Facilitated weekly popular education courses with day laborers in Spanish

Bank Teller, Bank of the Pacific, Aberdeen, WA (2005-2010)

EDUCATION

Pacific Lutheran University; Tacoma, WA; Magna Cum Laude

Bachelor of Arts: Spanish Language and Literature and Global Studies

OTHER ACTIVITIES

- Board Treasurer, Seattle King County Workforce Development Board (October 2017-present)
- Member, West Seattle Bridge Oversight Board (Jan 2018-April 2019)
- Member, Board of Directors, Yoga Behind Bars (August 2014-August 2017)

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

Green New Deal Oversight Board

19 Members: Pursuant to Ordinance 125926, members subject to City Council confirmation, three-year terms:

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

Roster:

*D	**G	RD	Position No.	Position Title	Name	Term Begin Date	Term End Date	Term #	Appointed By
1	F	2	1.	Member	Maria Batayola	5/1/20	4/30/23	1	Mayor
4	M	2	2.	Member	Matt Remle	5/1/20	4/30/23	1	City Council
3	M	1	3.	Member	Tomás Alberto Madrigal	5/1/20	4/30/23	1	Mayor
4	F		4.	Member (Tribal Representative)	Rachel Heaton	5/1/20	4/30/23	1	City Council
			5.	Member (Tribal Representative)		5/1/20	4/30/23		Mayor
			6.	Member (Age 16-25)		5/1/20	4/30/23		City Council
2	M	3	7.	Member (Age 16-25)	Tyler Valentine	5/1/20	4/30/23	1	Mayor
			8.	Member		5/1/20	4/30/23		Board
2	M	2	9.	Environmental Justice Representative	Dennis Comer	5/1/20	4/30/23	1	Mayor
1	F	4	10.	Environmental Justice Representative	Debolina Banerjee	5/1/20	4/30/22	1	City Council
			11.	Environmental Justice Representative		5/1/20	4/30/22		Board
6	F		12.	Labor Union Representative	Katie Garrow	5/1/20	4/30/22	1	Mayor
			13.	Labor Union Representative		5/1/20	4/30/22		City Council
			14.	Labor Union Representative		5/1/20	4/30/22		City Council
6	M		15.	Labor Union Representative	Keith Weir	5/1/20	4/30/22	1	Mayor
6	F	6	16.	Member	Jess Wallach	5/1/20	4/30/22	1	City Council
			17.	Member		5/1/20	4/30/22		Board
			18.	Member		5/1/20	4/30/22		City Council
6	M	5	19.	Workforce Training Representative	Steve Gelb	5/1/20	4/30/22	1	Mayor

SELF-IDENTIFIED DIVERSITY CHART

			(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)		
	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	1			3			
Council	1	3			1			2		1			
Other													
Total	6	5			2	2	1	2		4			

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.