

City of Seattle

Notice of Appointment

Name: Diane Laurine		<input type="checkbox"/> Executive Appointment <input type="checkbox"/> Reappointment <input type="checkbox"/> Legislative Appointment <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Agency Appointment <input type="checkbox"/> PDA Council <input type="checkbox"/> PDA Constituency
Residential Neighborhood: Seattle, WA	98125	Contact Phone No.: N/A
Appointed to: Seattle Commission for People with Disabilities		Date of Appointment:
Authority (Ord., Res.): 118392		Term of Office: From: Confirmation To: 4/30/16
Background: Dianne was born with Cerebral Palsy and all that she has ever known. She feels lucky to grow up with loving family and friends but know many people with disabilities are not nearly as fortunate. She is a seasoned advocate for the disabled as well as a filmmaker and artist. Her diverse life experiences and dealing with negative attitudes toward people with disabilities are her inspiration for filmmaking. She hopes to bring that that passion to the Commission. Her videos help to foster an understanding and bridge the gap between people with disabilities and the community.		
Authorizing Signature: 		Name and Title of Officer Making Appointment: Bruce Harrell, Seattle City Council

Dianne Laurine

Professional Summary |

I am interested in projects that support, stimulate and encourage self-advocacy for individuals with disabilities. My projects use a combination of education and entertainment to communicate messages of equality, respect for diversity and value in uniqueness.

Specialties |

Filmmaking | Acting | Directing/Production | Customer Relations, Meeting facilitation and presentations | Seminars | Teaching

Education |

Liberal Arts Coursework, 1981-1991
Shorline Community College, Seattle, WA

Experience |

Owner/Filmmaker, January 1994-Present
Grace Productions, Seattle, WA

- Making videos to help foster understanding and bridge the gap between people with disabilities and the community.

Advocate, 2001-2009

Washington Initiative for Supported Employment, Seattle, WA

- Presented at Annual Employment Conference
- Spoke as an advocate for people with disabilities in Olympia at the Capital building

Advocate, 1998-2004

Developmental Disabilities Administration, King County, WA

- Spoke at events and conferences | Assisted with meeting facilitation

Peer Advocate, October 1991-February 2000

Washington Coalition for People with Disabilities, King County, WA

- Spoke at events and conferences | Assisted with meeting facilitation

SEATTLE COMMISSION FOR PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES

APRIL 2015

16 members: Per SMC 3.14.920 Confirmed by City Council, all subject to City Council confirmation, 2-year terms:

- 7 City Council-appointed
- 7 Mayor-appointed
- 1 Commission- Appointed
- 1 Mayor-appointed

Roster:

*D	**G	Position No.	Position Title	Name	Term Start Date	Term End Date	Term #	Appointed By
2	M	1.	Member	Jonathan Porter	Council Confirmation	04/30/17	3rd	Mayor
6	F	2.	Member	Patricia Copeland	Council Confirmation	04/30/17	3rd	Mayor
		3.	Member	Vacant		04/30/15		Mayor
2	F	4.	Member	Hope Drummond	Council Confirmation	04/30/16	3 rd	Mayor
6	M	5.	Member	Mark Adreon	Council Confirmation	04/30/16	3 rd	Mayor
6	M	6.	Member	Steve Lewis	Council Confirmation	04/30/16	1 st	Mayor
2	F	7.	Member	Christiana Obey	Council Confirmation	04/30/17	1 st	Mayor
1	F	8.	Member	Vicki Foster	12/11/14	04/30/16	3 rd	City Council
6	M	9.	Member	Ryan Troyer	12/11/14	04/30/16	2 nd	City Council
6	M	10.	Member	Mike Barta	7/8/13	04/30/15	3 rd	City Council
6		11.	Member	Vacant		04/30/15		City Council
6	F	12.	Member	Deborah Witmer	12/11/14	04/30/16	3 rd	City Council
6	M	13.	Member	Robert Canamar	7/8/13	04/30/15	2 nd	City Council
6	M	14.	Member	Ivan Molton	12/11/14	04/30/16	1 st	City Council
6	F	15.	Member	Diane Laurine	Council Confirmation	04/30/16	1 st	Commission
1	F	16.	Member	Yan Jun (Angela) Liu		09/30/15	1 term	Mayor

Diversity Chart:

	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)				
	Men	Women	Vacant	Minority	Asian-American	Black/African American	Hispanic/Latino	American Indian/Alaska Native	***Other	Caucasian/Non-Hispanic	Pacific Islander	Middle Eastern	Multiracial
Mayor	3	3	1	3	0	3	0	0	0	3	0	0	0
Council	4	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Comm	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GE	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	7	7	2	5	2	3	0	0	0	7	0	0	0

Key:

***D** List the corresponding *Diversity Chart* number (1 through 9)

****G** List *gender*, M or F

*****Other** Includes diversity in any of the following: *race, gender and/or ability*