




City of Seattle Boards & Commissions Notice of Appointment

Appointee Name: <i>Steve Gillespie</i>		
Board/Commission Name: <i>Park District Community Oversight Committee</i>	Position Title: <i>District 7 Member</i>	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Appointment <i>OR</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Reappointment	Date of Appointment: <i>Date appointment made - 04/07/15</i>	
Appointing Authority: <input type="checkbox"/> Council Appointment <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mayor Appointment <input type="checkbox"/> Other Appointment: <i>Specify "Other" appointing Authority name</i>		Council Confirmation required? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Residential Neighborhood: <i>Belltown</i>	Zip Code: <i>98121</i>	Contact Phone No.: <i>Business phone # - NOT personal phone #</i>
Legislated Authority: <i>Legislation type(s), number(s)</i>	Term of Office: <i>04/13/15 04/13/16</i>	
Background: <i>Steve is a land use attorney at Foster Pepper where he assists public and private clients in obtaining and defending land use entitlements. Steve has experience representing many of Seattle's major institutions with master planning and project-level permitting.</i> <i>Steve is very involved in his community and serves as a steering committee member for Downtown Seattle Families. He is also a volunteer for youth activities for the Northwest Ultimate Association.</i> <i>Steve holds a B.S. in Mechanical Engineering with a minor in Mathematics from the University of Washington, as well as a J.D. from the University of Washington School of Law.</i>		
Authorizing Signature: 	Appointing Signatory: <i>Ed Murray</i> <i>Mayor of Seattle</i>	

Steve Gillespie



OBJECTIVE: To serve the people of Seattle, and my fellow District 7 residents, as a member of the Citizen Oversight Committee for the new Seattle Park District.

EDUCATION

University of Washington School of Law, J.D., 2007

- *Washington Law Review—Managing Editor*
- *Order of the Coif (Top 10% of Graduating Class)*

University of Washington, B.S., Mechanical Engineering/Minor in Mathematics, 1997

- *Dean's List*
- *UW Crew, 1992-1996*

EMPLOYMENT & PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Foster Pepper PLLC, 2007-Present, Land Use Attorney

Assist public and private clients in obtaining and defending land use entitlements, including environmental review under state and federal law, for development projects and non-project planning actions. Represent Seattle's Major Institutions (universities, colleges, and hospitals) with master planning and project-level permitting. Litigate in administrative and judicial tribunals, including land use appellate action and jury trial in superior court, as well as appeals to state Court of Appeals and Washington State Supreme Court.

- *Washington Super Lawyers Rising Star™ in 2013 and 2014*
- *Foster Pepper Pro Bono Litigator of the Year for 2013*

United States National Rowing Team, 1997-2004

- *2003 World Championships: Qualified United States for 2004 Olympics in the Men's Double Sculls*
- *1998 World Championships: Finished Fourth in Men's Quadruple Sculls*

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Downtown Seattle Families, Steering Committee Member

- *Advocate for, and use, family-friendly amenities such as play spaces and school Downtown*
- *Plan and participate in community-building social events for Downtown families*

The Northwest Ultimate Association (DiscNW), volunteer for youth activities

- *2011-2013, volunteer and Emcee for DiscNW Fall Auction*
- *2008-2014, Spring Reign Tournament—world's largest co-ed youth Ultimate tournament*

South End Ultimate Program, pro bono attorney

- *Form 501(c)(3) entity to manage Ultimate-based youth development programs in South End*

Foster Pepper Pro Bono Committee, Member

Downtown Seattle Association, Urban Experience Subcommittee Member

Bayview Manor Retirement Community, Advisory Committee Vice-Chair

Park District Community Oversight Committee

15 members: Per Ord. 124468; CB 118056; SMC 3.26, all subject to City Council confirmation, 1-, 2- 3-year terms:

- 15 Mayor-appointed
- 15 City Council-confirmed

Roster:

*D	**G	Position No.	Position Title	Name	Date Appointed	Term End Date	Term #	Appointed By
	M	1.	Park Board Member	Bob Edmiston	4/7/15	3/31/16	1	Mayor
	M	2.	Park Board Member	Diana Kincaid	4/7/15	3/31/16	1	Mayor
	M	3.	Park Board Member	Tom Tierney	4/7/15	3/31/16	1	Mayor
	F	4.	Park Board Member	Barbara Wright	3/17/15	3/31/18	1	Mayor
	F	5.	Commission Member	Jennifer Rodriguez	3/17/15	4/13/17	1	Mayor
	F	6.	Commission Member	Lylianna Allala	4/7/15	4/13/18	1	Mayor
	F	7.	Commission Member	Patt Copeland	3/17/15	4/13/17	1	Mayor
	F	8.	Commission Member	Patti Wilma	3/17/15	4/13/18	1	Mayor
	F	9.	Council District 1	Trang Hoang	3/17/15	4/13/17	1	Mayor
	F	10.	Council District 2	Kelly McCaffrey	3/17/15	4/13/16	1	Mayor
	M	11.	Council District 3	Marc Daudon	4/7/15	4/13/16	1	Mayor
	F	12.	Council District 4	Dewey Potter	4/7/15	4/13/18	1	Mayor
	F	13.	Council District 5	Jessica Farmer	3/17/15	4/13/17	1	Mayor
	F	14.	Council District 6	Maisha Barnett	3/17/15	4/13/16	1	Mayor
	M	15.	Council District 7	Steve Gillespie	4/7/15	4/13/16	1	Mayor

Diversity Chart:

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	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													
Council													
Other													
Total	4	11		5	2	1	2			10			

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*