



# City of Seattle Boards & Commissions Notice of Appointment

<b>Appointee Name:</b> Matthew Fujimoto		
<b>Board/Commission Name:</b> International Special Review District		<b>Position Title:</b> Mayoral appointee
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Appointment OR <input type="checkbox"/> Reappointment		<b>Council Confirmation required?</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<b>Appointing Authority:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Council <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mayor <input type="checkbox"/> Other: <i>Fill in appointing authority</i>	<b>Date Appointed:</b> 2/14/2020	<b>Term of Position: *</b> 1/1/2020 to 12/31/2021  <input type="checkbox"/> Serving remaining term of a vacant position
<b>Residential Neighborhood:</b> Ballard <i>Capitol Hill</i>	<b>Zip Code:</b> 98107 <i>98122</i>	<b>Contact Phone No.:</b> [REDACTED]
<b>Legislated Authority:</b> Ordinance 112134		
<b>Background:</b> Matt Fujimoto is a lifelong Seattle resident, architect and a 3rd generation Chinese/Japanese-American who identifies with the CID as his "home community". He is a member of the Chew Lun Benevolent Association. He recognizes the different power differentials at play in the neighborhood and the importance of community members' voices being heard. He possesses a clear understanding of the land use code and its application in the District.		
<b>Authorizing Signature (original signature):</b> <i>Jenny A. Durkan</i>	<b>Appointing Signatory:</b> Jenny A. Durkan Mayor of Seattle	

*Matthew Fujimoto*

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

# matt fujimoto



license matt fujimoto wa state architect license # 13017

bio matt lives and works in seattle, where his third-generation chinese-american and japanese-american heritage has long resided. he is a design practitioner, design instructor, language instructor, youth outreach teaching artist, and community volunteer. his grandparents immigrated to the U.S. in the late eighteen and early nineteen hundreds, working as merchants and farmers. his japanese-american family incarcerated at Minidoka; his chinese earning u.s citizenship through military service during WWII; he honors his heritage through his work.

community associations 2019-ongoing chew lun benevolent association acting secretary  
2016-17 creative advantage partner, seattle public schools seattle architecture foundation teaching artist  
2015 university of washington international teaching english as a foreign language certification  
2012 university of washington college of built environments department of architecture B.A.

community focus 2012-19 university of washington summer youth programs high school architecture course (summer-camp.uw.edu)  
founding instructor of introductory architectural design program. youth outreach for over 200 students and 1600 classroom-hours, including program planning, curriculum development, training of teaching assistants  
2016-17 seattle public schools teaching artist at Washington MS, Mercer MS (seattle architecture foundation)  
equitable education initiative to teach at washington MS and asa mercer for over 100 students and 150 classroom-hours  
2015-16 university of washington, english language instructor for japanese students focused on environmental stewardship  
content-oriented english language instruction for over 60 international students and 400 classroom-hours

professional design services 2018-19 low-income housing institute (matt fujimoto, employee of northwest studio)  
architectural design services for a 51-unit apartment building with support services, entitlement, permitting, bid documents  
2016-17 compass housing alliance (matt fujimoto, employee of hybrid architecture)  
architectural design services for transitional housing and support service structures prefabricated in china  
2016-17 bol vietnamese restaurants bolseattle.com  
architectural design & construction services for a M/WBE owner re-establishing her restaurants in the rapidly developing roosevelt neighborhood. involved extensive design collaboration with local artists, fabricators, and minority tradespeople: splinter & slagg, nobloneon, duy vo, cuong ha, richard hoy, force/collide  
2015-18 hybrid\_space art gallery hybridarc.com/space  
curator and installation exhibitor focused on issues experienced by the rapidly gentrifying capitol hill neighborhood. exhibitions included university of washington students, mixed-media, performing arts, public interview, 3D art  
2015-17 tang real estate (matt fujimoto, employee of hybrid architecture)  
architectural design services for two new houses bordering the chinatown-id  
2013-15 teavana corporate office and seattle corporate coffee company refresh (matt fujimoto, employee of ora architects)  
architectural design services focused on creating space for a small retail entity acquired by a larger company. involved extensive collaboration with key staff from the retail side to create a space true to the smaller company's ethos. included a full commercial kitchen and tasting room, open and enclosed office space, conferencing, collaboration spaces and over 500,000sf of tenant improvements for the larger company. master planning, scope and program evaluation, ADA planning, and way-finding to integrate and revitalize a historic building  
2012-15 cross-laminated timber haus (matt fujimoto, employee of stettler design)  
a home for a master woodcraftsman and his family in la punt, switzerland  
2011-14 green lake small craft center renovation (matt fujimoto, employee of stettler design)  
facilities assessment, fundraising and design proposal for aging boathouse center in seattle's most-used park  
reference leslie rome, program director, university of washington syp - summer-camp.uw.edu - [REDACTED]  
stacy segal, exec director; kathryn higgins, director - seattle arch foundation - [REDACTED]  
rob humble, principal - hybrid - hybridarc.com/space - [REDACTED]  
mary hoy, restaurant owner, bol pho bistro and bol test kitchen - [REDACTED]

## International Special Review District Board

7 members: Per *Ordinance 112134*, *SMC 23.66.020*, and *SMC 23.66.312*, two of which are subject to City Council confirmation, 2-year terms:

- 2 Mayor-appointed
  - 5 Other Appointing Authority-appointed: Special Review District election
- All residents, persons who operate businesses, their employees, and property owners of the special review district shall be eligible to vote. The five (5) elected members of the Board shall consist of:
- Two (2) members who own property in the International District, or who own or are employed by businesses located in the International District
  - Two (2) members who are either residents (including tenants), or persons with a recognized and demonstrated interest in the welfare of the International District Community
  - One (1) member at large

### Roster:

*D	**G	RD	Position No.	Position Title	Name	Term Begin Date	Term End Date	Term #	Appointed By
6	M	6	1.	Property owner in the International District, or own or are employed by businesses located in the International District	Russ Williams	12/1/19	11/30/21	2	Special Review District
1	M	3	2.	Resident, or person with a recognized and demonstrated interest in the welfare of the International District Community	Matt Chan	12/1/19	11/30/21	1	Special Review District
1	F	3	3.	Property owner in the International District, or own or are employed by businesses located in the International District	Tanya Woo	12/1/18	11/30/20	1	Mayor, due to vacancy of elected member
1	M	2	4.	Resident, or person with a recognized and demonstrated interest in the welfare of the International District Community	M. Faye Hong	12/1/19	11/30/21	1	Special Review District
1	M	n/a	5.	At-Large	Andy Yip	12/1/18	11/30/20	1	Special Review District

9	M	n/a	6.	Architect	Sergio Legon-Talamoni	1/1/19	12/31/20	2	Mayor
1	M	3	7.	Architect	Matthew Fujimoto	1/1/20	12/31/21	1	Mayor

**SELF-IDENTIFIED DIVERSITY CHART**

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