

City of Seattle Boards & Commissions Notice of Appointment

Appointee Name:									
Patrice Tisdale									
Board/Commission Name:		Position Title:							
Labor Standards Advisory Commission		Commissioner, Position 3							
	City Council Con	City Council Confirmation required?							
Appointment <i>OR</i> Reappointment	∀ Yes								
	☐ No								
Appointing Authority:	Term of Position	. *							
City Council	5/1/2025								
Mayor	to								
Other:	4/30/2027								
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Residential Neighborhood:		ing term of a vacant position Contact Phone No.:							
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Background:									
As General Counsel for one of the nation's most	t forward-thinking	unions. Patrice has led							
groundbreaking efforts to secure rights for gig	-								
industry-leading pay, and paid sick leave. Her e.	•	•							
employee-centric strategies that drive innovation and foster collective advancement. Starting her legal									
career with the National Labor Relations Board (NLRB), Patrice prosecuted cases of retaliation and									
unlawful termination, gaining invaluable experience in protecting workers' rights. Her work combines									
deep legal knowledge with a hands-on, practical approach to crafting solutions that align									
organizational goals with ethical leadership.									
Beyond her legal practice, Patrice is an accomplished real estate investor and entrepreneur, with a									
passion for building frameworks that support growth and stability. Whether mentoring visionary									
leaders or advocating for equitable workplaces, she remains steadfast in her mission to create									
transformative change that uplifts employees and organizations alike.									
Authorizing Signature (original signature):	Appointing Sig	Appointing Signatory:							
	Bruce A Harrell								
(K A)// O//	Mayor of Seattle								
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Date Signed (appointed):									
April 23 rd , 2025									

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

PATRICE TISDALE

EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI COLLEGE OF LAW, Cincinnati, OH

May 2014

Juris Doctorate

- Honor Council, Chair; Black Law Student Association, President
- Human Rights Quarterly, Senior Articles Editor; Potter Stewart Inn of Court, Member

WILFRID LAURIER UNIVERSITY, Waterloo, Ontario

Nov 2002

Bachelor of Arts, Honors Sociology

Black Student Association, President; Phi Beta Delta Honor Society for International Scholars, Member

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

DRIVERS UNION (DU)

Sept. 2021 – Present

General Counsel

DU is an organization of various app-based drivers that is responsible for successfully organizing for the passage of the first of its kind Ordinance providing workers' protections for Lyft and Uber drivers. As an active member of the senior management team, I advise DU's President in all major decisions including strategy to effectively grow the organization, strategically negotiate statewide legislation and contract, draft and revise internal personnel process and procedures, and oversee all legal issues including governance, litigation, and employment matters. I also lead the legal department that has successfully advocated reactivation for 1000+ drivers via settlements and judgments.

TISDALE LEGAL GROUP, PLLC

Nov. 2020 - Present

Owner, Managing Attorney

Strategize with clients regarding their desired outcomes in business management, employee relations, real estate, and successfully defend against government investigations. Advise clients in contract negotiations and entity formation.

CURTIN & HEEFNER LLP, Dovlestown, PA

Jan. 2020 - Oct. 2020

Attorney

Advised business clients of their rights under various acts within labor and employment, and municipal law practice areas. Researched and provided strategic advice to clients on how best to achieve their desired outcomes and advise on best litigation strategy.

NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD (NLRB), Philadelphia, PA

Oct 2014 - Jan. 2020

Senior Field Attorney

Served as lead counsel litigating violations of the NLRA, provide practical and strategic recommendation to Regional management regarding alleged violations of the NLRA including the impact of, and interaction with, other legislation. Conducted legal research and factual investigations on a wide range of labor topics.

- Prepared witnesses, subpoenas, and evidence for trials; presided as hearing officer in contested representation/organizing
 matters; conducted elections to determine employee's representation preferences.
- Served on Regional Office's Training Committee and as Immigration Coordinator. Was responsible for keeping abreast of
 the General Counsel's guidance regarding immigration matters. Provided training to regional staff regarding the
 implementation of immigration guidance during investigations and served as a liaison between the Region and
 headquarters.
- Successfully enforced petitions in District Court.
- Kept abreast of changing Board law and interpretations, and its applicability to current caseloads.

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COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

NAACP, BUCKS COUNTY BRANCH

Jun 2017 - Present

EXECUTIVE MEMBER & FORMER THIRD VICE PRESIDENT

As Third Vice President I serve on the Branch's Executive Board. I also serve as Co-Chair of the Branch's Criminal Justice and Education Committee which has the mission of developing and implementing strategies that will address racism in Bucks County in the areas of policing, legislation, public education, as well as increasing public awareness of racism via its three subcommittees: Reimagining Public Safety, Education and Legislation.

NEW AMERICAN ADVISORY COMMISSION, Bucks County, PA

SEP 2020 - JAN 2024

EXECUTIVE MEMBER

Part of executive board tasked with advising county Commissioners on matters that face new American that reside, work, and play in Bucks County. The mission of the Commission is to build bridges between the various immigrant communities while guiding them on the path to their success.

WARRINGTON TOWNSHIP PARK AND RECREATION BROAD

DEC 2018 - DEC 2021

MEMBER

Serve on the Township's advisory board responsible for focusing on the needs of the community and advise the Township's Board of Supervisor on matters pertinent to the growth and expansion Township's parks and recreational facilities.

BAR ADMISSIONS

WASHINGTON STATE BAR

STATE BAR OF COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA

STATE BAR OF NEW JERSEY

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO

STATE BAR OF OHIO (INACTIVE)

APR. 2024

FEB. 2020

NOV. 2017

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO

Oct 2014

Labor Standards Advisory Commission

15 Members: Pursuant to Ord. 124643, all members subject to City Council confirmation, 2-year terms:

- 7 City Council-appointed
- 7 Mayor-appointed
- Other Appointing Authority-appointed (specify): Commission-appointed

Roster:

*D	**G	RD	Position No.	Position Title	Name	Member Representation	Term Begin Date	Term End Date	Term #	Appointed By	
						Community;					
6	F	1	1.	Commissioner	Marissa Baker	Researcher	5/1/23	4/30/25	1	Mayor	
						Worker					
6	F	N/A	2.	Commissioner	Alexis Rodich	Organization	5/1/22	4/30/24	2	Mayor	
						Worker					
			3.	Commissioner	Patrice Tisdale	Organization	5/1/25	4/30/27	1	Mayor	
						Worker					
			4.	Commissioner	Silvia Gonzalez	Organization	5/1/24	4/30/26	1	Mayor	
						Worker					
3	M	1	5.	Commissioner	Greg Ramirez	Organization	5/1/23	4/30/25	1	Mayor	
						Worker					
			6.	Commissioner	Corina Yballa	Organization	5/1/24	4/30/26	1	Mayor	
			7.	Commissioner	Vacant					Mayor	
						Worker					
9	F	2	8.	Commissioner	Danielle Alvarado	Organization	5/1/24	4/30/26	2	City Council	
						Business					
6	F	6	9.	Commissioner	Amanda Powter	Owner	5/1/23	4/30/25	1	City Council	
						Worker					
			10.	Commissioner	Tom Lambro	Organization	5/1/24	4/30/26	2	City Council	
						Business					
			11.	Commissioner	Samuel Hilbert	Owner	5/1/23	4/30/25	1	City Council	
						Business					
						Association or					
6	F	NA	12.	Commissioner	Ilona Lohrey	Chamber	5/1/22	4/30/24	2	City Council	
						Worker					
6	M	NA	13.	Commissioner	Billy Hetherington	Organization	5/1/23	4/30/25	2	City Council	
						Business					
						Association or					
1	F	3	14.	Commissioner	Jeanie Chunn	Chamber	5/1/22	4/30/24	2	City Council	
			15.	Commissioner	Vacant					Commission	

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	1	2					1			2			
Council	1	4			1					3			1
Other													
Total	2	6			1		1			5			1

- **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.