



City of Seattle Boards & Commissions Notice of Appointment

Appointee Name: Steve Horvath		
Board/Commission Name Community Involvement Commission		Position Title: Member-at-Large
☒ Appointment OR ☐ Reappointment		City Council Confirmation required? ☒ Yes ☐ No
Appointing Authority: ☐ City Council ☒ Mayor ☐ Other:		Term of Position: * 6/1/2020 to 5/31/2022 ☒ <i>Serving remaining term of a vacant position</i>
Residential Neighborhood Belltown	Zip Code 98122	Contact Phone No.: [REDACTED]
Background: <i>Steve Horvath currently serves as the executive director for Belltown United and is the founder of two community-oriented ventures: Condo Connection and the Seattle Crime Awareness and Prevention (SCAP) network. Prior to starting volunteer and non-profit ventures, Steve previously worked as a healthcare IT solutions architect at hospital systems throughout the United States.</i>		
Authorizing Signature (original signature):  Date Signed (appointed): 3/9/2022		Appointing Signatory: Bruce A. Harrell Mayor of Seattle

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

STEVE HORVATH

APTITUDE & PRACTICE SUMMARY

Enterprise solutions architect with decades of experience tackling complex, multi-faceted projects at the intersection of humans and technology. Organizations rely on my breadth of experience, creativity and passion for problem-solving to curate solutions for engagement, technical strategy, project and process management, activation readiness, staff education and mentoring.

EXPERIENCE

Belltown United ♦ Seattle, WA

December 2020 - Current

Executive Director

- Created the belltownunited.org web platform in January 2021 that's grown to attract over 4,000 users in the last month
- Collected over \$30,000 in donations, largely from the Belltown businesses and residential communities, to produce [Belltown Rock the Block](#) in September 2021
- Increased monthly newsletter distribution to by 63% between January and September 2021
- Created the *Belltown United Presents* series that's drawn over 1,400 registrants and attendees across 5 public events in 2021
- Mapped Belltown businesses, commercial properties and residential communities to connect with approximately 50% of our neighborhood business community and over 70% of our residential community since January 2021
- Formalized a number of [projects](#) to provide a positive impact to the Belltown neighborhood including Battery Portal advocacy, *Project Vigilant*, small business "Welcome Back" promotion, neighborhood recovery survey and more
- Increased volunteer participation in events, digital growth strategies, advocacy projects and extended organizational outreach to include litter picks and neighborhood beautification

Condo Connection ♦ Seattle, WA

January 2021 - Current

Founder

- [Condo Connection](#) is dedicated to helping maintain healthy, vibrant condominium communities by providing owners and volunteer leaders free opportunities to collaborate and learn. Seattle alone is home to 36,000+ residential units across 1,500+ condominium properties.
- Resources include topics covering governance, emergency preparedness, insurance, COVID-19 and more
- Regular content distribution includes several dozen condominiums in Seattle and across the US
- Web traffic is approximately 350+ unique visits/month and growing

Seattle Crime Awareness & Prevention (SCAP) ♦ Seattle, WA

October 2020 - Current

Founder

- Seattle Crime Awareness & Prevention (SCAP), hosted by seattlecrime.org, provides a no-cost collaborative communication vehicle between urban multi-family residential communities, commercial properties and businesses.
- Dozens of residential managers and leaders attended [expert sessions](#) in January, February and March 2021
- Curated online resources addressing [crime prevention](#), [statistics](#) and [homelessness](#) for public use
- SCAP's communication concept has been adopted by Belltown United as *Project Vigilant*

Renown Medical Center ♦ Reno, NV

March 2016 – April 2018

System Architect & Change Management Leader

- Supported physician adoption, governance and satisfaction by leading inpatient and ambulatory Physician Advisory Councils in partnership with the CMIO and Vice President of IT
- Managed software delivery and performance expectations for operations leaders in the Lab, PHMO and other verticals
- Increased Epic application team satisfaction and reduced Production change errors by transforming the IT change control process to synergize with best practices of the Epic application development cycle
- Streamlined access and maintenance as the principal architect for clinical user security infrastructure and the shared Epic clinical applications user interface; consolidated 90+ physician security templates to 1 template
- Directed the successful implementation of barcoded blood product administration
- Authored and instructed the *Epic + Excel* curriculum for dozens of IT analysts

Inova Health System ♦ Falls Church, VA

Nov. 2014 – Feb. 2016

Meaningful Use Analyst / Technical Project Manager

- Coordinated successful Meaningful Use attestations as principal liaison to all Inova ambulatory physician groups
- Improved operational provider maintenance in Morrissey (MSOW) by liaising with the credentialing office; enhanced the Epic provider interface by providing technical expertise to the Epic Provider and Interface Teams
- Technical architect for Promoting Interoperability integrated application restructuring

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- Delivered a clean and efficient system-wide Chart Review overhaul in partnership with the Associate CMIO
- Designed and published exceptional user-facing training material in collaboration with the Clinical Training Team

Cedars-Sinai Health System ♦ Los Angeles, CA

Oct. 2012 – June 2014

Lead Consultant, Team Lead & Technical Project Manager

- Increased user satisfaction and efficiency through a comprehensive overhaul of Chart Review, the Notes Activity, the sedation toolset and security cleanups
- Led the 2012 Epic version upgrade for Inpatient applications, including the organization, review and assignment of ~9,000 release notes and associated configuration
- Negotiated change requests with operations leaders and distributed work among analysts; liaised between clinical and revenue cycle teams to develop and execute key EHR strategies (e.g. pre-admission ordering and therapy plans)
- Engineered a holistic change management optimization project with Epic Work Groups and the Change Team
- Technical project manager for enterprise initiatives including Care Everywhere and Meaningful Use Transitions of Care
- Maintained EAP integrity during Radiant implementation throughout multiple integrated changes
- Authored and instructed the *Epic Fundamentals* curriculum for EIS analysts and operations personnel
- Implemented a universal optimization e-request process (FormSite) directly integrated with the Epic user interface

Sanford Medical Center ♦ Fargo, ND

April 2012 – Sep. 2012

Activation Coordinator, Technical Specialist & Project Manager

- Big-bang clinical activation project manager for two hospital campuses and multiple clinics; worked directly with over a dozen VPs, directors and the CNIO to identify needs, strategize and execute a successful support model
- Led the successful, comprehensive transformation for outpatient dialysis clinics in six geographically diverse sites from paper to electronic documentation, ordering and scheduling in Epic in 10 weeks
- Principal liaison between clinical informatics operations and technology teams; transitioned to technology role pre-live to provide just-in-time configuration updates and command center technical support
- Mentored Security and Inpatient analysts in advanced system queries, reporting and analytical techniques and strategies

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Queens Medical Center ♦ Honolulu, HI

March 2011 – Feb. 2012

Consultant

- Led *Reporting Workbench* reconfiguration that reduced 70 security classes to 10, restructured template groups and types and then executed changes for approximately 6,600 user records
- Planned and implemented SER revisions for all (current and legacy) physician and mid-level personnel
- Orchestrated comprehensive documentation overhauls for inpatient, outpatient and hospital outpatient departments including rehab services (OT, PT, SLP), hemodialysis and urology
- Principal design and implementation support for *Care Everywhere* interoperability and *Media Manager* scanning
- Coordinated with security team to identify opportunities for optimization
- Established & disseminated techniques for data analysis and management with team members

Kaiser Permanente Hawaii ♦ Honolulu, HI

Oct. 2008 – Feb. 2011

Principal Consultant & Inpatient Team Mentor

- Key specialist for inpatient implementation, post-live stabilization and optimization
- As principal security and user workspace architect, integrated new security and access requirements with design from two prior implementations (fully deployed ambulatory suite plus inpatient phases I & II); introduced user template functionality to streamline maintenance for over three thousand clinical users
- Acted as build and migration manager to establish naming and numbering conventions, track thousands of records in multiple master files and plan and execute data migration strategy across five environments
- Partnered with CMIO, project director, managers, nurse champion, physician champion and lead analysts to evaluate scope, timelines, deliverables and risks, establish priorities, analyze workload and propose assignments
- '08 + '09 double-version upgrade lead for inpatient clinicals in concert with integrated application teams
- Developed a cache of unique tools to inventory, analyze and manage networked records
- Mentored seven analysts in all aspects of the application deployment from implementation to ongoing support
- Honored as 2009 Analyst of the Year for assistance with the inpatient project

Parkland Health and Hospital System ♦ Dallas, TX

Oct. 2007 – Sep. 2008

Consultant

- Led the MAR implementation in partnership with a talented group of nurse informaticists
- Principal review, testing and implementation of 2007 Epic version upgrades for Inpatient and Ambulatory applications
- Worked closely with Nursing Informatics Team to define requirements and develop orders, preference list and order set content for users across varied inpatient and hospital outpatient departments
- Coordinated successful orders-based appointment scheduling integration with the Cadence Team
- Dedicated one-on-one work with application team members to share techniques and transfer knowledge
- Engineered custom build and security tracking tools adopted by multiple teams

Epic Systems Corporation ♦ Madison, WI

Nov. 2004 – Nov. 2006

Application Manager

- Served four principal customers, acting as liaison to IT project managers, analysts and operations clinicians
- Created timeline and scope recommendations, workflow analysis, progress and risk assessments, application testing and mentoring for system design and configuration sessions
- Partnered with Kaiser Permanente National team to design workflows and tailor functionality, develop best practices, change management and training initiatives for nursing and ancillaries across the Kaiser enterprise
- Assisted over a dozen inpatient and emergency department software go-lives
- Contributed to numerous internal projects improving documentation, knowledge distribution and service quality
- “Whale of a Job” commendation for work with Kaiser Permanente

TECHNICAL EXPERTISE

- Originally trained and certified at Epic with a foundation in Clinical Documentation and Orders
- Advanced Epic database management, reporting and analysis
- MS Excel expert

EDUCATION

Simpson College ♦ Indianola, IA

1999-2003

- Bachelor of Music Degree, Summa Cum Laude

Community Involvement Commission

Sixteen Members: Pursuant to Ordinance 125192, all members subject to City Council confirmation, one – and two-year terms for the initial round of appointments, two-year terms thereafter:

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

Roster:*Updated 3/1/22

*D	**G	RD	Position No.	Position Title	Name	Term Begin Date	Term End Date	Term #	Appointed By
5	F	1	1.	City Council District #1	Jasmine Aryana	6/1/20	5/31/22	1	City Council
		2	2.	City Council District #2	VACANT	6/1/21	5/31/23	1	City Council
		3	3.	City Council District #3	VACANT	6/1/21	5/31/23	1	City Council
2	F	4	4.	City Council District #4	Martha Lucas	6/1/21	5/31/23	1	City Council
2	M	5	5.	City Council District #5	William (Bill) Southern	6/1/20	5/31/22	1	City Council
9	F	6	6.	City Council District #6	Kristine Dillin	6/1/21	5/31/23	1	City Council
		7	7.	City Council District #7	VACANT	6/1/20	5/31/22	1	City Council
2/9	F	6	8.	Member At Large	Julia Jannon-Shields	6/1/21	5/31/23	1	Mayor
6	M	7	9.	Member At Large	Steve Horvath	6/1/20	5/31/22	1	Mayor
			10.	Member At Large	VACANT	6/1/21	5/31/23	1	Mayor
2	F	6	11.	Member At Large	Ahoua Koné	6/1/20	5/31/22	1	Mayor
1	F	6	12.	Member At Large	Saba Rahman	6/1/21	5/31/23	1	Mayor
2	M	7	13.	Member At Large	Robert Radford	6/1/20	5/31/22	1	Mayor
6	F	2	14.	Get Engaged Member	Oksana Reva	9/1/21	8/31/22	1	Mayor
			15.	Commissioner	VACANT	6/1/21	5/31/23	1	Commission
1	F	6	16.	Commissioner	Carol Redfield	6/1/20	5/31/22	2	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	2	4			1	3*				2			1*
Council	1	3				2			1				1
Other		1			1								
Total	3	8			2	5			1	2			2

*One Commissioner identifies as both (2) and (9) so totals will be different

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.