



City of Seattle Boards & Commissions Notice of Appointment

Appointee Name: Abriel Johnny		
Board/Commission Name: Seattle Women's Commission		Position Title: Commission Member
<input type="checkbox"/> Appointment OR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reappointment		Council Confirmation required? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Appointing Authority: <input type="checkbox"/> Council <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mayor <input type="checkbox"/> Other: <i>Fill in appointing authority</i>	Date Appointed: 06/15/23	Term of Position: * 7/2/2022 to 7/1/2024 <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Serving remaining term of a vacant position</i>
Residential Neighborhood: West Seattle	Zip Code: 98146	Contact Phone No.:
Background: Creative professional passionate about racial and social equity. Knowledgeable about government relations, legislative process, and political research.		
Authorizing Signature (original signature):  Date Signed: 6/15/2023	Appointing Signatory: Bruce Harrell Mayor of Seattle	

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SKILLS & KNOWLEDGE

Cultural Intelligence	Community Outreach	Strategic Planning
Emotional Intelligence	Government Relations	Policy Development

EDUCATION

M.P.S., Political Management, George Washington University	2018
Nonprofit Management Certificate, University of Washington	2016
B.A., Law and Policy, University of Washington	2015

EXPERIENCE

Cowlitz Indian Tribe, *Government Relations & Affairs,* 2016- Present
Member of Strategic Planning Committee, Communications Committee, and Tribal Council Executive Committee staffer. Strengthen local and state government-to-government relationships. Track Washington State legislation of interest to Cowlitz Tribe. Cowlitz Tribe representative for developing the new Department of Children, Youth, and Families tribal consultation policy.

Washington Indian Gaming Association, temporarily covered *Deputy Director duties* 2016
Served as WIGA representative on communication & media projects with Washington State Tribes. Supported planning process for WIGA Northwest Indian Gaming Conference & Expo.

United Indians of All Tribes Foundation, *Executive Assistant,* 2016
Revised board governance documents and contribute to fundraising efforts. Aide in Cultural event planning; contributed to media and public relations strategies, serve as government relations liaison for cultural event.

Washington State Senate, *Session aide, Senator McCoy office,* (Legislative session) 2015-2016
Created, organized, and implemented *Native Legislative Shadow Day* for students. Managed outreach and community engagement to students of color. Managed early education research, casework, and constituent communications.

United Indians of All Tribes Foundation, *Early Childhood Specialist,* 2008-2011
Provided early childhood education and access to comprehensive services to Native families. Managed outreach, recruitment, and community engagement for entire program

COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP

United Indians of All Tribes Foundation, <i>Board of Directors, Secretary Officer</i>	2017-present
Seafair Pow Wow Committee, <i>Chair of Royalty, Media, PR & Government Relations</i>	2016-present
Native Action Network, <i>Presenter at Young Women's Leadership Academy</i>	2017

TRAINING

Leading others, Department of Enterprise Services	2017
Native American Leadership Training, Native Nation Events	2016

Seattle Women's Commission March 2023

21 Members: Pursuant to SMC 3.14.920, all members subject to City Council confirmation, 2-year terms:

- 8 City Council-appointed
- 9 Mayor-appointed -plus one Get Engaged.
- 4 Other Appointing Authority-appointed: Commission-appointed

*D	**G	RD	Position No.	Position Title	Name	Term Begin Date	Term End Date	Term #	Appointed By
2			1.	Member	Marcia Wright-Soika	7/02/21	7/01/23	1	Mayor
			2.	Member	Abriel Johnny	7/02/22	7/01/24	2	Mayor
			3.	Member	VACANT	7/02/22	7/01/24	1	Mayor
			4.	Member	VACANT	7/02/20	7/01/22		Mayor
			5.	Member	VACANT	7/02/21	7/01/23		Mayor
			6.	Member	VACANT	7/02/21	7/01/23		Mayor
6			7.	Member	Rebecca Bryant	7/02/22	7/01/24	2	Mayor
3		4	8.	Member	Krystal Guerrero	7/02/22	7/01/24	1	Commission
			9.	Member	VACANT	7/02/21	7/01/23		Mayor
9			10.	Member	Kyla Evans	7/02/22	7/01/24	1	City Council
			11.	Member	VACANT	7/02/21	7/01/23		City Council
2	F	N/A	12.	Member	Jamilah Williams	7/02/21	7/01/23	3	City Council
1			13.	Member	Vinati Mamidala	7/01/22	7/02/24	1	City Council
1	F		14.	Member	Sarah Liu	7/02/22	7/01/24	1	City Council
			15.	Member	VACANT	7/02/21	7/01/23		City Council
6			16.	Member	Jema Turk	7/02/21	7/01/23	1	City Council
6			17.	Member	Rachel Morowitz	7/02/22	7/01/24	1	Commission
6			18.	Member	VACANT	7/02/20	7/01/22		City Council
1	F		19.	Member	Whitney Nakamura	7/02/22	7/01/24	2	Commission
6			20.	Member	VACANT	7/02/21	7/01/23		Commission
			21.	Get Engaged	Theresa Faltesek-Gibbons	9/01/22	8/31/23	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	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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Council	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Comm	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Key:

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

****G** List *gender*, **M** = Male, **F**= Female, **T**= Transgender, **U**= Unknown

RD Residential Council District number 1 through 7 or N/A
Diversity information is self-identified and is voluntary.

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