

# City of Seattle Boards & Commissions Notice of Appointment

Appointee Name: Dan Wise									
Board/Commission Name: Housing Levy Oversight Committee	Position Title:		Position Title: Member						
Appointment OR Reappointment	City Council Confirmation required?  X Yes								
Appointing Authority:  City Council  Mayor	No Term of Position: * 1/1/2022 to								
Other: Fill in appointing authority	12/31/2023  ☐ Serving remaining term of a vacant position								
Residential Neighborhood:  Crown Hill	Zip Code: 98117	Co	ontact Phone No.:						
Background:  Dan Wise has spent over two decades working with people impacted by poverty and housing instability in the greater Seattle area. Her work has included advocating for social justice, developing programs and initiatives to address the crisis of poverty in our region, and consulting on the development of affordable housing. She is the Deputy Director of Catholic Community Services of King County. In addition to this position, she teaches policy classes at the University of Washington School of Social Work graduate program. She is a founding board member of the Aurora Commons; a refuge for people experiencing housing instability in north Seattle.									
Authorizing Signature (original signature):	Appointing Signatory:  Bruce A. Harrell								
Bruce Q. Hanell	Mayor of Seattle								
Date Signed (appointed): 3/17/2022									

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

## Dan Wise, MSW

#### **EXPERIENCE**

# Catholic Community Services of King County, Seattle, WA 1999 to Present

## Deputy Director

Provided leadership and oversight for programs working with single adults, veterans and families in poverty throughout King County.

#### Programs include:

- Rental Assistance and Prevention Programs: Housing and Essential Needs Program, Emergency Assistance, Supportive Services for Veteran Families, Rapid Re-housing and Diversion
- Transitional housing Programs: Katherine's House; Rita's House; Michael's Place
- Day Centers: Kent Community Engagement Center, Federal Way Day Center
- Enhanced Shelters: Bridge enhanced shelter, The Inn, South King County shelters
- Permanent Housing: Palo Studios; Cedar Park, Sunset Court
- Other programs: Social Service Provider Academy, Tenant Law Center, ASSET training program, LIFT transportation

#### Director Responsibilities:

- Supervise service and management staff of programs.
- Oversee \$60,000,000 of funding annually across programs.
- Manage Federal, State, County and local municipal government contracts.
- Directly supervise 14 managers/directors who work with approximately 500 program staff.
- Develop operating and service budgets for new and existing programs.
- Cultivate relationships with private donors.
- Work with staff to improve data collection and reporting.
- Advocate for system change on local and statewide levels.
- Write applications for both government and private funding.

#### Community Initiatives and Program Development Responsibilities:

- Represent the agency on the King County All Home System Performance Committee
- Represent the agency on policy conversations with the King County Coordinated Entry for All team for chronically homeless adults and Veterans.
- Provide support to the housing development team on new housing projects.
- Work with architects and contractors to ensure the facilities meet the service needs of clients.
- Develop operating pro formas and service budgets.
- Write applications for government funding.
- Write job descriptions and operating policies.
- Meet with neighborhood groups to discuss the new program
- Develop and implement service models in new programs.

### Prior Agency Roles

- Director of Homeless Services
- Program Director and Services Manager of Aloha Inn transitional housing program for homeless adults.
- Coordinated the implementation of the local Homeless Information Management System in fourteen programs
- Designed, developed and implemented twelve new programs for people in poverty

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#### University of Washington School of Social Work, Seattle, WA 2020 to present

- Part time instructor in MSW program
- Health Policy class focused on health/mental health policy issues
- Provided both in-person and online instruction

#### Seattle/King County Coalition on Homelessness, Seattle, WA prior position

- Served as Co-chair of the organization for two years, served on the Steering Committee for 9 years
- Coordinated the nationally recognized annual One Night Count of people who are homeless, an event that includes 700+ volunteers
- Secured funding for the first Executive Director position for the organization
- Initiated successful advocacy campaigns to retain and/or increase services for people who are homeless
- Organized the Racial Justice Initiative, Outreach and Encampment Taskforce on Homelessness, and the Case Manager Training initiative

#### Food Lifeline, Shoreline, WA prior position

- Built relationships with current and prospective donors
- Coordinated the logistics of food and in-kind donations
- Oversaw donor acknowledgement and record keeping

#### The Committee to End Elder Homelessness (now HEARTH), Boston, MA prior position

- Assisted development office with grant writing and fundraising
- Developed outreach client data management system and organized agency's helpline initiative

#### **EDUCATION**

#### **Master of Social Work**

Boston University School of Social Work, Boston, MA

Concentration in human service management, program planning and community organizing

#### Bachelor of Science, Social Work, cum laude

Southern Connecticut State University, New Haven, CT

#### Awards, accomplishments and notable trainings

- Founding board member of the Aurora Commons
- Recipient of the President's Award from Catholic Community Services
- Recipient of the Seattle Mayor's Award for Human Services
- Successfully championed effort to change state law regarding criminal background checks (Senate Bill 6167)
- Implemented a countywide homeless prevention program that keeps over 1,000 people each month in housing.
- Current member of the Homeless Advisory Committee for Housing Development Consortium
- Recipient of a Excellence in Service Award from CCS
- Rental Housing Development Finance training course: National Development Council
- Computer Spreadsheet Analysis for Housing training course: National Development Council

# **Housing Levy Oversight Committee**

Thirteen Members: Pursuant to Ordinance 125028, all subject to City Council confirmation.

- 6 City Council-appointed
  - o Position 8 (City employee): Seven year term
  - Positions 9 and 10: Two year terms\*
  - o Positions 11, 12, and 13: Three year terms
- 7 Mayor-appointed
  - Position 1 (City employee): Seven year term
  - Position 2, 3, and 4: Two year terms\*
  - Positions 5, 6, and 7: Three year terms

#### Roster:

*D	**G	RD	Position No.	Position Title	Name	Term Begin Date	Term End Date	Term #	Appointed By
6	F	N/A	1.	Mayor representative	Leslie Brinson	1/1/17	12/31/23	1	Mayor
6	F	3	2.	Member	Ann T. Melone	1/1/22	12/31/23	3	Mayor
1	F	4	3.	Member	Pradeepta Upadhyay	1/1/22	12/31/23	3	Mayor
6	F	6	4.	Member	Dan Wise	1/1/22	12/31/23	1	Mayor
3	F	6	5.	Member	Denise Rodriguez	1/1/22	12/31/23	1	Mayor
2	F	5	6.	Member	Patience Malaba	1/1/22	12/31/23	1	Mayor
1	М	3	7.	Member	Joel C. Ing	1/1/22	12/31/23	1	Mayor
6	F	N/A	8.	Council representative	Traci Ratzliff	1/1/17	12/31/23	1	Council
2	М	N/A	9.	Member	Damien James	1/1/22	12/31/23	1	Council
6	М	2	10.	Member	Colin Morgan-Cross	1/1/22	12/31/23	3	Council
6	F	6	11.	Member	Beth Boram	1/1/22	12/31/23	3	Council
6	F	4	12.	Member	Erin Christensen Ishizaki	1/1/22	12/31/23	3	Council
2	F	2	13.	Member	Vallerie Fisher	1/1/22	12/31/23	3	Council

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	6			2	1	1			3			
Council	2	4				2				4			
Other													
Total	3	10			2	3	1			7			

Key:

<sup>\*</sup>Subsequent appointees to the Oversight Committee shall each serve for a term expiring three years after the expiration of the initial term for the position.

<sup>\*</sup>D List the corresponding *Diversity Chart* number (1 through 9)

<sup>\*\*</sup>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