



# City of Seattle Boards & Commissions Notice of Appointment

<b>Appointee Name:</b> <i>Steven D. Sparks</i>		
<b>Board/Commission Name:</b> <i>Pioneer Square Preservation Board</i>		<b>Position Title:</b> <i>Human Services member</i>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Appointment</b> OR <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Reappointment</b>		<b>City Council Confirmation required?</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<b>Appointing Authority:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> City Council <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mayor <input type="checkbox"/> Other: <i>Fill in appointing authority</i>		<b>Term of Position: *</b> <i>3/2/2022</i> <b>to</b> <i>3/1/2025</i> <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Serving remaining term of a vacant position</i>
<b>Residential Neighborhood:</b> <i>na</i>	<b>Zip Code:</b> <i>98104</i>	<b>Contact Phone No.:</b> [REDACTED]
<b>Background:</b> Steven Sparks is the Program Coordinator at the Bread of Life Mission in Pioneer Square. He has experience on boards and committees within his spiritual community. He shared concerns of homelessness, crime, and graffiti, but he sees the value in Pioneer Square and the “100 years of tales” of history, he said it is unique and adds value to the city of Seattle.		
<b>Authorizing Signature (original signature):</b>  <b>Date Signed (appointed):</b> 6/22/2022		<b>Appointing Signatory:</b> <i>Bruce A. Harrell</i> <i>Mayor of Seattle</i>

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

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# STEVEN D. SPARKS

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## PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Accomplished Program Coordinator offering an excellent track record of success in managing high quality Christian based recovery programs in the Urban Missions field. Articulate, resourceful and dedicated to the service of helping impaired individuals.

## SKILLS

- Biblical Counseling
- Teaching
- Administrative skills
- Excellent organizational skills
- Good Communication skills
- Case management
- Program management
- Budgeting
- Grant writing

## WORK HISTORY

**Program Coordinator**, 06/2019 to Current

**Bread Of Life Mission** – Seattle, WA

- Assisted in development and implementation of Christ centered addiction recovery programs
- Provided mentoring, discipleship training, case management and recovery support
- Carried full case load of men for spiritual counseling
- Facilitated support groups such as Genesis and Peer Support groups in men's twelve month inpatient residential setting
- Coordinated program scheduling and work therapy development
- Developed reentry transitional and after care programs
- Coordinated communication among volunteers, staff and Life Change Program to foster high degree of understanding of missions core value

**Education Coordinator**, 10/2017 to 06/2019

**The Pacific NW Adult And Teen Challenge** – Renton, WA

- Managed operations and programs of Teen Challenges Adult Men's Education Center
- Developed education curriculum for twelve month Drug and Alcohol Program
- Planned, formulated and assessed goals, policies and activities designed to implement educational objectives and performance standards
- Taught classes in employment readiness, interviewing skills
- Modified and prepared class curricula and targeted lesson plans based on subject matter requirements
- Taught various classes on Theology, Christology, Ecclesiology and other doctrines of Bible

**House Manager, 01/2014 to 01/2015**

**Bread Of Life Mission – Seattle, WA.**

- Maintained positive living environment by providing residents with healthy and drug free environment
- Communicated effectively with residents, staff and other by listening, being respectful and promoting positive demeanor
- Created all Life Change Program work schedules so that every area essential for smooth operation of facility was covered
- Enforced policies and safety standards through building and residents rooms
- Facilitated floor meetings to discuss concerns, review complaints and convey information about policy changes
- Conducted daily welfare checks and ensured that all resident needs were met by coordinating with facility staff

## EDUCATION

Urban Missions Studies, 2017

**The Urban Missions Institute - Wasilla, Ak.**

Received certification by enrolling in a various classes that would enable me to be more effective in Urban Missions field.

Christian Counseling, 2009

**University of Christian Studis And Seminary - Eagle River, AK**

Received certificates of completion in various Graduates studies towards a Masters in Christian Counseling.

Study of The Bible, 2000

**Interdenominational Theological Center - Atlanta, GA**

Entered the Seminary to study for a Master in Divinty, completed one year before leaving.

**Bachelor of Science: Economics And Business Adminstartion, 1975**

**Defiance College - Defiance, OH**

## CERTIFICATIONS

- Certified Genesis Alcohol and Drug Counselor.
- Certified Peer Counselor.
- Certificates from the Emmaus Correspondence School in Bible studies.
- CPR, AED, and Basic First Aid Certification

# Pioneer Square Preservation Board

Ten Members: Pursuant to 110058, all members subject to City Council confirmation, 3-year terms:

- # City Council-appointed
- 10 Mayor-appointed
- # Other Appointing Authority-appointed (specify):

## Roster:

*D	**G	RD	Position No.	Position Title	Name	Term Begin Date	Term End Date	Term #	Appointed By
8	F	2	1.	Property Owner	Kianoush Curran	3/2/20	3/1/23	2	Mayor
6	F	7	2.	Historian	Maureen R. Elenga	3/2/22	3/1/25	2	Mayor
6	M		3.	Property Owner	Henry Watson	3/2/22	3/1/25	1	Mayor
			4.	Get Engaged	Vacant (No candidate)	9/1/21	8/31/22	1	Mayor
5	NB	2	5.	At Large	Lauren Kush	3/2/22	3/1/25	2	Mayor
3	M		6.	Architect	Jose Lorenzo-Tores	3/2/21	3/1/24	1	Mayor
2	M	N/A	7.	Human Services	Steven D. Sparks	3/2/22	3/1/25	1	Mayor
6	F	2	8.	Attorney	Lindsey Pflugrath	3/2/20	3/1/23	1	Mayor
6	M	2	9.	Retail	Karl Mueller	3/2/22	3/1/25	1	Mayor
1	F	N/A	10.	Architect	Sohyun Kim	3/2/22	3/1/25	1	Mayor

## SELF-IDENTIFIED DIVERSITY CHART

	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	4	4		1	1	1	1		1	4		1	
Council													
Other													
<b>Total</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>		<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>		<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>		<b>1</b>	

## 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.