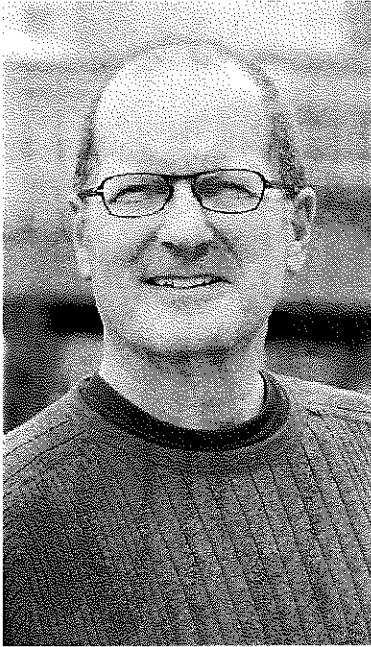




City of Seattle Boards & Commissions Notice of Appointment

Appointee Name: <i>Jeffrey Benesi</i>		
Board/Commission Name: <i>Seattle Arts Commission</i>		Position Title: <i>At-large member</i>
<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>Specify appointing authority</i>		Term of Office: <i>1/1/16 to 12/31/17</i>
Residential Neighborhood: <i>Queen Anne</i>	Zip Code: <i>98118</i>	Contact Phone No.: <i>N/A</i>
Legislated Authority: <i>Ordinance 121006</i>		
Background: <i>Mr. Benesi has more than 30 years of experience as a landscape and urban designer. He is currently employed at Mithun and previously worked at Hewitt Architects and TRA. His portfolio covers a broad range of project types ranging from housing authority redevelopment; parks and streetscape design; transit-oriented development; and large scale master planning projects. A couple of projects Jeff is currently involved with are the First Hill Streetcar Design and Seattle waterfront in association with Corner Field Operations.</i>		
Date of Appointment: <i>3/21/16</i>	Authorizing Signature (original signature): 	Appointing Signatory: <i>Edward B. Murray</i> <i>Mayor of Seattle</i>

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Jeffrey Benesi

Senior Associate / Urban Designer

Jeff has over 30 years of experience creating livable homes and urban cities through functional streetscapes and inviting spaces. His clients become his teammates as they interactively work together identify issues and craft design solutions. Jeff's expertise in landscape architecture and urban design is evident in his broad portfolio of work from housing authority redevelopments and parks to streetscape and community reinvestment strategies. A natural educator and artist, Jeff uses these skills to successfully convey conceptual ideas and technical details to all those involved. Working collaboratively with stakeholders, Jeff creates solutions that integrate the client and community vision into every project.

Education

Bachelor of Fine Arts, University of Washington, 1981

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Bachelor of Science in Landscape Architecture, Michigan State University, 1971

Professional Affiliations and Activities

AIA Seattle Urban Design Committee

AIA Seattle Honors Member

American Society of Landscape Architects, ASLA

Representative Projects

Boeing Renton Master Plan / Renton, WA (confidential)

Special Forces Master Plan and Report / Fort Lewis, WA

Seattle Neighborhood Planning Framework and Urban Design / Seattle, WA

Sunset Area Community Investment Strategy / Renton, WA

Denver Housing Authority South Lincoln Redevelopment / Denver, CO

Northgate Urban Design Framework Plan / Seattle, WA

University of Washington Tacoma Master Plan Update / Tacoma, WA

Austin Project Green / Austin, TX

Foster Industrial Corridor Study / Portland, OR

Pike/Pine Corridor Study / Seattle, WA

First Hill Streetcar Plazas and Streetscape Design / Seattle, WA

Northgate Urban Center Park Development / Seattle, WA

South Lake Union Urban Form Study / Seattle, WA

Mount Vernon Downtown Waterfront Master Plan* / Mt. Vernon, WA

Richmond Beach Saltwater Park* / Shoreline, WA

Northgate Transit Oriented Development* / Seattle, WA

Bergen Place Park Improvement* / Seattle, WA

Lake City Civic Center Garage, Plaza, and Redevelopment of Albert Davis Park* / Seattle, WA

Westlake Avenue Design* / Seattle, WA

Northgate Pedestrian and Open Spaces* / Seattle, WA

South Lake Union Wharf* / Seattle, WA

South Lake Union Park Master Plan Update* / Seattle, WA

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Representative Projects

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South Lake Union Park Planning Study* /
Seattle, WA

Potlatch Trail Study* / Seattle, WA

McClellan Station Area Plan* / Seattle, WA

Seattle Center International Fountain
Rehabilitation* / Seattle, WA

Seattle Center Site Standards and
Guidelines* / Seattle, WA

City of Seattle Municipal Civic Center
Master Plan* / Seattle, WA

University of Washington Campus Plan* /
Seattle, WA

Duke University Master Plan* /
Durham, NC

University of Washington Tacoma Master
Plan Update / Tacoma, WA

**Completed with a previous firm*

Seattle Arts Commission Roster

16 members: Per ordinance 121006, all subject to City Council confirmation, 2-year terms:

- 7 City Council-appointed
- 7 Mayor-appointed
- 1 Commission Appointed
- 1 Get-Engaged

*D	**G	Position No.	Position Title	Name	Term Start Date	Term End Date	Term #	Appointed By
2	F	1.	At-Large	Sharon Williams	01/01/16	12/31/17	2 nd	City Council
6	M	2.	At-Large	Billy O'Neill	01/01/15	12/31/16	2 nd	City Council
1	F	3.	At-Large	Priya Frank	01/01/15	12/31/16	1 st	City Council
1	F	4.	At-Large	Cassie Chinn	01/01/16	12/31/17	1 st	City Council
1	F	5.	At-Large	Huong T. Vu	01/29/14	12/31/15	2 nd	City Council
3	M	6.	At-Large	Jerry Garcia	01/01/15	12/31/16	2 nd	City Council
3	M	7.	At-Large	Juan Alonso- Rodriguez	01/01/16	12/31/17	1 st	City Council
6	M	8.	At-Large	Steven Galatro	01/01/16	12/31/17	1 st	Commission
6	M	9.	At-Large	Gian-Carlo Scandiuzzi	01/01/15	12/31/16	3 rd	Mayor
3	F	10.	At-Large	Kelly Rodriguez	01/01/15	12/31/16	1 st	Mayor
6	M	11.	At-Large	Jeffrey Benesi	01/01/16	12/31/17	3 rd	Mayor
1	F	12.	At-Large	Terri Hiroshima	01/01/15	12/31/16	2 nd	Mayor
2	M	13.	At-Large	Jonathan M. Cunningham	01/01/16	12/31/17	2 nd	Mayor
2	F	14.	At-Large	Vivian Phillips	12/31/15	12/31/16	2 nd	Mayor
4	F	15.	At-Large	Tracy Rector	12/31/15	12/31/16	2 nd	Mayor
1	M	16.	Get-Engaged	Ashraf Hasham	9/01/15	8/31/16	Only	Mayor

Diversity Chart:

	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)				
	Men	Women	Vacant	Minority	Asian-American	Black/African American	Hispanic/Latino	American Indian/Alaska Native	***Other	Caucasian/Non-Hispanic	Pacific Islander	Middle Eastern	Multiracial
Mayor	4	4			2	2	1	1		2			
Council	3	4			2	1	2			1			
Other	1									1			
Total	8	8											

Key:

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

****G** List *gender*, M or F

*****Other** Includes diversity in any of the following: *race, gender and/or ability*