



City of Seattle Boards & Commissions Notice of Appointment

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Appointee Name: <i>Tammy J. Morales</i>		
Board/Commission Name: <i>Seattle Human Rights Commission</i>		Position Title: <i>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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Council <input type="checkbox"/> Mayor <input type="checkbox"/> Other: <i>Fill in appointing authority</i>	Date Appointed: <i>9/12/2017</i>	Term of Position: * <i>7/23/2017</i> to <i>7/22/2019</i>
Residential Neighborhood: <i>Southeast Neighborhood District</i>	Zip Code: <i>98118</i>	Contact Phone No.:
Background: <p>Tammy Morales is a community advocate with a proven ability to bring diverse people together and get results. She has spent her career working to protect the basic human rights of our most vulnerable neighbors. Since moving to Seattle in 2000, Tammy has worked in south Seattle and south King County to expand access to affordable housing, support immigrant and minority-owned businesses, and improve food security. As a community advocate she has pushed for better relationships between our communities of color and our police department. Tammy is a member of the steering committee for Rainier Beach Action Coalition and Vice-Chair of the board for the Rainier Valley Community Clinic, which provides high quality perinatal care to women in the medically underserved Rainier Valley.</p>		
Authorizing Signature (original signature): 		Appointing Signatory: <i>Councilmember Lisa Herbold</i> <i>Seattle City Council</i>

Tammy J. Morales

Tammy Morales is a strategic thinker and community advocate with a proven ability to bring diverse people together and get results. With passion and expertise, she has worked with small businesses, local community organizations, neighborhoods and government agencies to create more equitable programs and systems.

Employment

Founder, Tammy Morales Consulting LLC, dba: Urban Food Link	2007 - present
Freelance Researcher and Writer	2005-2007
Senior Program Manager, Social Venture Partners International	2003 - 2005
Program Officer, Impact Capital/Seattle LISC	2000 - 2003
Budget & Policy Analyst, City of New York Independent Budget Office	1999 - 2000
Legislative Director, Honorable Garnet F. Coleman, Texas Legislature	1996 - 1998

Education

Master of Science, Community and Regional Planning, University of Texas, Austin
BA, Anthropology, University of Texas, San Antonio

Current Community Involvement

American Planning Association, Member	2007 - Present
Rainier Beach Action Coalition, Steering Committee	2014 - Present
Rainier Valley Community Clinic	Beginning 2016
Seattle Good Business Network	2010 - Present
Appointed to serve on King County Executive's Local Food Economy Initiative	2014-2015

Tammy Morales has served on many advisory councils, committees, nonprofit boards and volunteer activities in Seattle for the past fifteen years.

Skills & Expertise

Policy Research & Analysis
Program Development & Technical Assistance
Project Management & Program Implementation

With a focus on food access and innovation, Urban Food Link was instrumental in working on programs such as:

Global to Local: Project coordinator for the SeaTac-Tukwila Food Innovation Network- includes convening stakeholders, establishing metrics and strategy implementation.

Forterra: Provided recommendations for City of Federal Way's comprehensive plan and regulatory code to support urban agriculture as part of Forterra's EPA (Environmental Protection Agency) Building Blocks for Sustainable Communities grant-funded project.

Public Health- Seattle & King County: Technical assistance provider for Healthy Foods Here, a healthy retail initiative funded by Communities Putting Prevention to Work (CPPW), a stimulus

award from Centers for Disease Control (CDC), and in collaboration with City of Seattle Office of Economic Development. Work included project development, implementation and evaluation and policy research and recommendations.

Seattle's Office of Sustainability and Environment: Assessed capacity and demand for small food-processing facilities, including gaps in infrastructure identified by current secondary food processing entrepreneurs and inventory of existing processors.

Seattle City Council Committee on Regional Development and Sustainability:

Collaborated with EcoPraxis to develop a framework for analyzing economic opportunities for increasing growth in the food system in Seattle and King County. Assessed the economic impact and opportunities of a community-based food system. Many of our policy recommendations were adopted by the City of Seattle. For example, the City:

- Amended municipal code to allow for commercial urban farming
- Hired a food policy advisor within the Office of Sustainability and the Environment
- Amended street ordinance to ease street food vending regulations
- Joined the Regional Food Policy Council
- Convened a series of listening sessions to engage the community in conversations about how better to support our local food system.

StartZone Entrepreneurship Training Program: Conducted series of "Growing Your Food-Related Business" workshops for StartZone members specifically interested in food businesses. StartZone helps South King County residents achieve financial self-sufficiency by providing accessible and affordable training, consulting and other support for building small businesses that are bankable, profitable and sustainably connected to the local economy.

United Way King County: Conducted preliminary food security assessment to determine food access issues in north King County. Presented findings of assessment at the North Community Council Hunger Summit.

Tammy Morales has made many presentations before the Seattle City Council and other governmental venues. In addition, she has conducted trainings and workshops throughout the United States and at international conferences:

- American Planning Association (APA) National Conference (2011)
- BALLE National Conference (2011)
- Community Food Security Coalition's National Conference (2010, 2011)
- Community Indicators Consortium International Conference (2009)
- Community Alliance for Global Justice (2008)
- Funders Network for Smart Growth and Livable Communities (2012)
- NeighborWorks: "Strategies for a Fair Food Economy" (2012)
- Puget Sound Regional Food Policy Council (2011)
- Seattle Green Festival (2009)
- University of Oregon Food Justice Conference (2011)

In 2015, Tammy Morales ran for the newly created District 2 seat on the Seattle City Council, garnering 49% of the vote against a two-term incumbent.

Seattle Human Rights Commission

August 2017

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

- 7 City Council-appointed
- 8 Mayor-appointed
- 1 Other Appointing Authority-appointed: Commission-appointed

Roster:

*D	**G	RD	Position No.	Position Title	Name	Term Begin Date	Term End Date	Term #	Appointed By
			1.	Member	William James Dow	7/23/17	7/22/19	2	City Council
			2.	Member	Marisa L. Herrera	7/23/17	7/22/19	2	Mayor
			3.	Member	Fekadu A. Shibeshi	7/23/15	7/22/17	1	City Council
			4.	Member	Faride Cuevas	7/23/17	7/22/19	1	Mayor
			5.	Member	Tammy J. Morales	7/23/17	7/22/19	2	City Council
			6.	Member	Shkelqim Kelmendi	1/23/16	1/22/18	1	Mayor
			7.	Member	Kiddist Emmanuel	1/23/16	1/22/18	1	City Council
			8.	Member	Vacant	1/23/16	1/22/18	1	Commission
			9.	Member	Amy Garyuam Huang	7/23/16	7/22/18	2	Mayor
			10.	Member	Marcel Baugh	7/23/16	7/22/18	1	City Council
			11.	Member	Sarah Bishop	7/23/16	7/22/18	2	Mayor
			12.	Member	Jeremy Wood	7/23/16	7/22/18	1	City Council
			13.	Member	Alice Serko	1/23/17	1/22/19	1	Mayor
			14.	Member	Danielle Marie Wallace	1/23/17	1/22/19	2	City Council
			15.	Member	Rachel Ryon	1/23/17	1/22/19	1	Mayor
			16.	Get Engaged	Nesley Bravo	9/1/17	8/31/18	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					1					3			
Council						2	1			3			
Comm							1						
Total													

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.*