



City of Seattle Boards & Commissions Notice of Appointment

Appointee Name: Catherine Hillenbrand		
Board/Commission Name: Capitol Hill Housing Improvement Program		Position Title: 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 type="checkbox"/> Mayor <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: <i>PDA Governing Council</i>	Date Appointed: 4/9/2018	Term of Position: * 4/1/2018 to 3/31/2021 <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Serving remaining term of a vacant position</i>
Residential Neighborhood/Council District: Capitol Hill CD #3	Zip Code: 98122	Contact Phone No.: [REDACTED]
Background: Cathy is a 45 year resident of Capitol Hill. She has had several businesses on the Hill including the Comet Tavern and the Real Comet Press. After 30 plus years in the Stevens neighborhood, she and her husband are resident owners of the DuBois Apartments near Seattle Central College. Cathy chaired the Steering Committee of the Capitol Hill Champion, a joint venture of the Community Council and the Chamber of Commerce, formed to implement our community's vision for the redevelopment above the Capitol Hill Light Rail Station. Cathy is a graduate of Duke University and holds a JD from the University of Washington. This reappointment represents Ms. Hillenbrand's fourth term.		
Authorizing Signature (original signature): 		Appointing Signatory: Robert Schwartz, Chair Capitol Hill Housing Governing Council

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

RESUME: Catherine Hillenbrand

BRIEF BIO:

Catherine Hillenbrand is a 40 year resident of Capitol Hill. She has had several businesses on the Hill including the Comet Tavern and the Real Comet Press. After 30 plus years in the Stevens neighborhood, she and her husband are resident owners of the DuBois Apartments near Seattle Central Community College. Their two sons attended Puget Sound Primary School, Stevens Elementary, Seattle Academy and Running Start at SCCC. Cathy currently chairs the Steering Committee of the Capitol Hill Champion, a joint venture of the Community Council and the Chamber, formed to advocate for implementation of our community's vision for the redevelopment of the light rail construction sites on Broadway.

CURRENT:

- Resident owner of DuBois Apartments/Capitol Hill. Also involved in redevelopment of a downtown block in Spokane which includes a mixed income apartment building.
- The Capitol Hill Champion – chair of Steering Committee. The Champion is a joint venture of the Capitol Hill Community Council and the Capitol Hill Chamber of Commerce advocating for implementation of the Capitol Hill Community vision at Sound Transit's light rail re-development sites on Broadway. The Champion is the advocacy group that emerged from the Chamber's TOD Stakeholder Working Group
- Advisory Council (Northwest), Artspace Projects www.artspaceusa.org
- Advisory Council Spectrum Dance Theater www.spectrumdance.org
- Advisory Council Cal Anderson Park Alliance www.calandersonpark.com
- Washington Womens Foundation member www.wawomensfoundation.org
- Avid gardener now exploring a roof-top orchard and a very shallow green roof.

PRIOR:

- Capitol Hill Chamber's Arts and Entertainment Committee, TOD Stakeholders Working Group
- Seattle Arts Commissioner, 2003-2008. Chair Public Arts Advisory Committee, sat on Light Rail Review Panel for University Link, Sound Transit
- Active participation in Washington Womens Foundation, including committee and program leadership, long-time member Impact Assessment Committee
- Served on various Boards, including CRI (the Conflict Resolution, Research and Resource Institute), Women Artists Group of the Northwest (WAG), and/or, Nine One One and Reflex. I co-chaired WAG's programming committee in the late '70's and was involved in bringing a number of nationally known women artists to Seattle. I was also actively engaged in SAM's Contemporary Art Council in the late '70s and early '80s and served on SAM's Olympic Sculpture Park Program Committee: 2003 – 2005.
- Long-time involvement in the arts community as volunteer, business owner and staff.
- Active in my children's schools, including 4 years on Seattle Academy Diversity Committee

2006/2007: Resource Development Director for Spectrum Dance Theater. Currently serve on Spectrum's Advisory Council. www.spectrumdance.org

2001/2002: Seattle coordinator for the Urban Institute's *Investing in Creativity* project, a comprehensive national study on the support structure for U. S. artists. One of 10 cities profiled for this study, Seattle was the initial research site and served as a prototype for the work to follow. This research resulted in the creation of LINC. www.lincnet.net

Horticulture: I maintain a keen interest in the local horticultural community and in garden design. Worked at Wells Medina Nursery and Fremont Gardens (1996 – 2000).

Founder and Publisher of The Real Comet Press: From 1980 – 1990, we published works ranging from cultural critique to comics, including Lynda Barry's first four books. I was actively engaged in the local book publisher's organization and in the book publishing scene across the country and internationally.

1977 – 1981: Owned and operated the Comet Tavern, watering hole to the arts, located at the intersection of *and/or* and the Empty Space Theatre.

I collect visual art, and support a variety of arts, cultural and social service organizations.

I am an attorney (UW School of Law 1974) and a member of WSBA, although I don't currently practice law.

Capitol Hill Housing Improvement Program (CHH) Public Development Authority

AUGUST 2018

No less than 11 members and no more than 15 members: Pursuant to RCW 35.21.730 and Seattle Municipal Code 3.110, *all* members subject to City Council confirmation, 3-year terms:

- 3 Mayor-appointed
- 8 to 12 Other Appointing Authority-appointed (specify): CHH Governing Council

Roster:

*D	**G	RD	Position No.	Position Title	Name	Term Begin Date	Term End Date	Term #	Appointed By
6	M	3	1.	Member	Paul Breckenridge	4/1/17	3/31/20	2	Governing Council
3	M	3	2.	Member	Frank Alvarado III, <i>Filing out the remainder of an existing term.</i>	4/1/15	3/31/18	1	Governing Council
3	M	7	3.	Member	Chasten Fulbright	3/1/17	3/31/20	1	Mayor
2	F	3	4.	Secretary	Selomé Teshome	4/1/16	3/31/19	1	Governing Council
6	M	3	5.	Member	Derrick Belgarde	4/1/16	3/31/19	1	Governing Council
6	M	3	6.	Member	Bob Fikso	4/1/17	3/31/20	2	Governing Council
9	F	2	7.	Member	Shalimar Gonzales	4/1/17	3/31/20	1	Mayor
6	M	3	8.	Member	Michael Malone	4/1/17	3/31/20	4	Governing Council
6	M	N/A	9.	Vice Chair	Robert Schwartz	4/1/18	3/31/21	3	Governing Council
6	F	3	10.	Member	Rachel Ben-Shmuel	4/1/16	3/31/19	3	Governing Council
6	F	3	11.	Chair	Catherine Hillenbrand	4/1/18	3/31/21	4	Governing Council
6	M	3	12.	Member	Dana Behar	4/1/17	3/31/20	3	Governing Council
6	M	3	13.	Member	Eric Snow	4/1/18	3/31/21	2	Mayor
2	F	3	14.	Member	Barbara Nabors-Glass	4/1/18	3/31/21	2	Governing Council
6	M	2	15.	Treasurer	Drew Porter	4/1/18	3/31/21	2	Governing Council

SELF-IDENTIFIED DIVERSITY CHART

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	Men	Women	Transgender	Unknown	Asian	Black/ African American	Hispanic/ Latino	American Indian/ Alaska Native	Other (Specification Optional)	Caucasian/ Non- Hispanic	Pacific Islander	Middle Eastern	Multiracial
Mayor	2	1					1			1			1
Council													
Other	7	5				2	1	1		8			
Total	9	6				2	2	1		9			1

Key: *D List the corresponding *Diversity Chart* number (1 through 9) – Diversity information is self-identified & voluntary