




City of Seattle Boards & Commissions Notice of Appointment

Appointee Name: <i>Tana Yasu</i>		
Board/Commission Name: <i>Seattle Women's 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>2/16/2021</i>	Term of Position: * <i>7/2/2020</i> to <i>7/1/2022</i> <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Serving remaining term of a vacant position</i>
Residential Neighborhood:	Zip Code: <i>98136</i>	Contact Phone No.:
<p>Background: Tana was born and raised in Seattle/ King County, and this is her fourth year on the Seattle Women's Commission. The Commission has been an exciting journey for Tana, and she has learned and experienced so much. In her work, she has raised awareness of issues impacting many marginalized people in our communities. Ranging from the Dis-Abled, (or Differently Abled), to dealing with conflict, based on Race, LGBTQ, and even a roller-derby organization. Human Trafficking/ Sexual Assault/ Homelessness/ and Domestic Violence. Now the issues that affect our most vulnerable are compounded with the new disease, Covid-19. We have given voice to the voiceless, and support a plethora of organizations across the board to empower people, foster positive change, and even given supportive data that helped to create laws and mandates based on research from collaborating with Community Partners. Our newest challenge is the Pandemic. It has been a pleasure to volunteer for the City of Seattle and feel honored to be voted in as a co-chair and look forward to continuing to do the work that the community expects of me.</p>		
Authorizing Signature (original signature): 		Appointing Signatory: <i>Councilmember Tammy Morales</i> <i>Seattle City Council</i>

Tana Yasu



SKILLS

Networking, Community Building, Developing Strategic Process, Team Player

EXPERIENCE

Pink Boutique, Seattle - *Proprietor/ Stylist/ Designer*

OCTOBER 2011 - PRESENT

- Business and Personal Styling: Custom Clothing/ Hair Care and Maintenance
- Marketing, Advertising, Networking, Marketplace Events, Black Business Association

Historic Central Area Arts & Cultural District, Seattle - *Board Member/ Administrative Assistant*

JUNE 2016 - PRESENT

- Assist in continued support of artistic creation, economic vibrancy, livability, affordability, desirability, and artistic vitality in the Central District.
- Participate in sustaining and strengthening the physical identity and sense of place for cultural relevance in the Central District.
- Create and maintain relationships with other organizations, including correspondence.
- Recruit membership, organize and facilitate meetings, maintain internet and social media presence, create, and maintain database.
- Review grants, contracts, and fiscal sponsor correspondence

Building Art Space Equitably (BASE), City of Seattle - *Co-Facilitator, Constituency*

MAY 2018 - PRESENT

- Plan and facilitate meetings on curriculum design for the proposed Cultural Space Certification designed to reward projects that include cultural space.

EDUCATION

Renton Technical College, Renton - *AAS*

SEPTEMBER 2007 - MARCH 2009: *Administrative Office Management*

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

OCTOBER 2017 - PRESENT: **City of Seattle Women's Commission** - *Commissioner/ Co-Chair*

NOVEMBER 2017 - FEBRUARY 2020: **Seattle MLK Organizing Coalition** - *Treasurer and Youth Outreach*

JULY 2017 - SEPTEMBER 2018: **Disabled American Veterans** - *Auxiliary and*

Community Engagement FEBRUARY 2017 - OCTOBER 2018: **Women In Business Expo Group** - *Executive Board Member*

MARCH 2017 - APRIL 2018: **Rainier Avenue Radio**- *Executive Board Member*

