



City of Seattle Boards & Commissions Notice of Appointment

Appointee Name: Heyiwot Amare		
Board/Commission Name: Seattle Disability Commission		Position Title: Commissioner
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Appointment OR <input 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:	Date Appointed: <i>mm/dd/yy.</i>	Term of Position: * 5/1/2020 to 4/30/2022 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>Serving remaining term of a vacant position</i>
Residential Neighborhood:	Zip Code:	Contact Phone No.: (email preferred) [REDACTED]
Background: I want to be part of SDC because I want to see people who are the same color as me in positions of leadership. I also want to see more people who have disabilities in positions of leadership, and I think I bring a unique perspective because I am young – I will be 23. I am still learning about being a leader, and what sort of style of leadership that I will develop. This experience will help me find my dream job, because of the experience I will gain. I also am part of the Best Buddies program, and have worked with King County and the Special Olympics team to develop more accessible signage, such as using simpler wording where possible.		
Authorizing Signature (original signature): 		Appointing Signatory: <i>Tammy J. Morales</i> <i>City Council Member</i>

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

This candidate requested alternative accommodations for their application process. Instead of affixing a written/typed Resume and answers to the application questions, they prepared a video response, linked below.

https://youtu.be/_HuRG71JJQ

Seattle Disability Commission

May 2021

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

- 8 City Council-appointed
- 9 Mayor-appointed (includes 1 Get-engaged Mayor position)
- 4 Other Appointing Authority-appointed (specify): Commission-appointed

Roster:

*D	**G	RD	Position No.	Position Title	Name	Term Begin Date	Term End Date	Term #	Appointed By
9	F	3	1.	Member	Hannah Wilson	5/01/21	4/30/23	1	Mayor
			2.	Member	VACANT	5/01/19	4/30/21		City Council
6	M	3	3.	Member	VACANT	5/01/19	4/30/21		Mayor
			4.	Member	Christine Lew	5/01/21	4/30/23	1	City Council
			5.	Member	VACANT	11/1/19	10/31/21		Mayor
			6.	Member	VACANT	11/1/19	10/31/21		City Council
2	NB	5	7.	Member	ChrisTiana ObeySumner	11/1/19	10/31/21	3	Mayor
			8.	Member	April Snow	11/1/19	10/31/21	1	Commission
4	F		9.	Member	Kristina Sawyckyj	5/01/20	4/30/22	2	City Council
2	F	3	10.	Member	Anquida Adams	5/01/20	4/30/22	2	Mayor
6	F	7	11.	Member	Jessica Williams-Hall	5/01/20	4/30/22	2	City Council
			12.	Member	VACANT	5/01/20	4/30/22		Mayor
			13.	Member	VACANT	11/1/20	10/31/22		City Council
			14.	Member	VACANT	11/1/20	10/31/22		Mayor
			15.	Member	Taylor Woods	11/1/20	10/31/22	1	City Council
			16.	Get Engaged	Paula Orrego	9/1/20	8/31/21	1	Mayor
			17.	Member	Heyiwot Amare	5/01/20	4/30/22	1	City Council
			18.	Member	VACANT	11/1/20	10/31/22		Mayor
1	M	2	19.	Member	Daniel Kogita	5/01/20	4/30/22	2	Commission
			20.	Member	Dawn Dailey	11/1/20	10/31/22	1	Commission
		1	21.	Member	Kaitlin Skilton	11/1/20	10/31/22	1	Commission

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	1	2		1		2				1			1
Council	1	2						1		2			
Other	1				1								
Total	3	4		1	1	2		1		3			1

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.