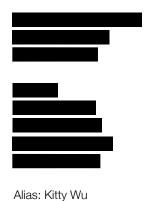


# City of Seattle Boards & Commissions Notice of Appointment

Appointee Name: Judi Rafaela Martinez (a.k.a. Kitty Wu)									
Board/Commission Name:			Position Title:						
Seattle Music Commission				Member					
Council Confirmation required?									
Appointment <i>OR</i> Reappoint									
Appointing Authority:	Date A	Appointed:	Term	of Position: *					
Council	5/12/2	2021	9/1/2021						
Mayor			to						
Other: Fill in appointing authority			8/31/	2024					
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			$\square$ Serving remaining term of a vacant posi						
Residential Neighborhood:	Zip Co		Contact Phone No.:						
Ballard	98107								
Background:									
Judi Martinez (a.k.a. Kitty Wu), is co-director of 206 Zulu, a non-profit organization that utilizes hip hop culture									
and arts as an outlet for community empowerment, education and social change.									
Established in 2004, 206 Zulu has produced many events, workshops, festivals, galleries, parades, youth									
programs, charity events and media programs throughout the Seattle/King County metropolitan area. In 2009, 206 Zulu became an anchor partner of the historic Washington Hall, a venue and community space that has been									
a hub for notable artists, musicians, activists and communities of color for 110 years, helping to manage the daily									
operations of the building, providing valuable space for events, programs, and community functions in the									
rapidly changing Central District.									
Kitty Wu has worked with notable local hip hop artists, including as manager of Khingz and in public relations for									
Shabazz Palaces. She is a co-producer of The Coolout Network, a music program that began airing on Seattle									
Public Access Television in 1991 to showcase Seattle's hip hop scene.									
Authorizing Signature (original signature	ej:		Appointing Signatory:  Jenny A. Durkan						
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Jenny A. Durken		Mayor, Cit	Mayor, City of Seattle						

<sup>\*</sup>Term begin and end date is fixed and tied to the position and not the appointment date.

# Judi Rafaela Martinez



#### **Skills & Qualifications**

Versatile, highly successful marketing and promotions administrator with broad experience in music & arts administration as well as project management. Personable and enthusiastic community leader with strong work ethic, adept at working with diverse communities. Successful collaborator in a wide range of events including: one-offs, monthlies, retreats, benefits, art shows and festivals.

## **Professional Experience**

#### Booking, Folklife Festival; Seattle, WA

2007-present

Scheduling the Vera Project/206 Zulu Hip Hop stage at the Northwest's largest free community festival. Review & evaluate artist submissions.

#### Mainstage Media Escort, One Reel; Seattle, WA 2005-present

Responsible for handling media for A-list artists at Bumbershoot, Seattle's premier music & arts festival. Arrange interviews with national & regional press in a high volume, energetic environment. Facilitate photo/video access to artists for all shows at Key Arena.

#### Co-Assistant Director, 206 Zulu; Seattle, WA 2003-present

Designated point person for Washington Hall. Create and manage annual budget & prepare quarterly & annual reports for CPA. Negotiate contracts for artist performances and venue rentals for one-offs, monthlies & annual events. Project manager & preservationist for art & history exhibits including Our Story (Vera Project), Dia de los Muertos Hip Hop altar (El Centro de la Raza) & the Northwest Hip Hop Museum (Washington Hall).

#### Office Manager, Geise Architects; Seattle, WA 2000-2003

Responsible for the daily operations of a 6 person architectural firm. Worked closely with principals to maintain high level of communication with all project heads. Coordinated meetings with clients, principals, bookkeeper, contractors & CPA. Produced weekly, monthly & annual reports; including overhead expenses, labor analysis, charge-offs, AP & AR.

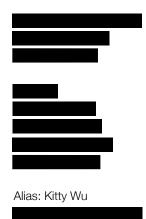
#### Office/Project Manager, Graphic Display; Seattle, WA 1989-1995 & 1999

Managed daily business for family owned sign company serving the west coast & Alaska. Client list included Port of Seattle, SeaTac Airport, Safeway, Trader Joes. Brought back as Project Manager for the 1999 Seafirst/Bank of America signage change-out contract.

#### **Education**

University of Washington, Architecture and Women's Studies 1996-1999 Seattle Central Community College, AA Program 1994-1996

# Judi Rafaela Martinez



# **Artist & Album Support**

Khingz From Slaveships to Spaceships LP Shabazz Palaces Of Light /Shabazz Palaces EPs

# **Community Building**

Board Member, The Vera Project
Bruce Lee Community Garden, University of Washington
Engage Seattle, Mayor's Office of Arts & Cultural Affairs
Floor Manager, Hip Hop 101 Television SCAN 29/77
Producer, Coolout Network Television SCAN 29/77
Speaker, Rain City Rock Camp

## **Community Programming**

206 Zulu Bumbershoot Coolout Network Dope Emporium Festival Sundiata Folklife Festival Hip Hop 101 Umojafest

# **Venue & Contract Experience**

Capitol Hill Block Party

Chop Suey

The Contour

The Crocodile

Experience Music Project (EMP/SFM)

Hugo House

Intiman Playhouse

Key Arena

Memorial Stadium

Nectar

Neumos

Seattle Center

The Vera Project

# **Seattle Music Commission**

21 Members: Pursuant to Ordinance 124422, all members subject to City Council confirmation, 3-year terms:

- 10 City Council-appointed
- 11 Mayor-appointed

# Roster:

*D	**G	RD	Position No.	Position Title	Name	Term Begin Date	Term End Date	Term #	Appointed By
6	F	1	1.	Commissioner	Joleen Winther Hughes	9/1/20	8/31/23	2	Mayor
6	F	5	2.	Commissioner	Sue Ennis	9/1/20	8/31/23	2	City Council
			3.	Commissioner	vacant	9/1/20	8/31/23		Mayor
			4.	Commissioner	vacant	9/1/20	8/31/23		City Council
			5.	Commissioner	vacant	9/1/20	8/31/23		Mayor
			6.	Commissioner	vacant	9/1/20	8/31/23		City Council
2	М	5	7.	Commissioner	Terry D. Morgan	9/1/21	8/31/24	2	Mayor
6	М	3	8.	Commissioner	Jerry Everard	9/1/18	8/31/21	2	City Council
3	F	6	9.	Commissioner	Paula Olivia Nava Madrigal	9/1/21	8/31/24	2	Mayor
2	F	3	10.	Vice Chair	Sharlese J. Metcalf	9/1/18	8/31/21	2	City Council
3	F	3	11.	Commissioner	Judi Rafaela Martinez	9/1/21	8/31/24	2	Mayor
1	F	2	12.	Chair	Reese Tanimura	9/1/18	8/31/21	2	City Council
2	М	2	13.	Commissioner	Benjamin N. Hunter	9/1/18	8/31/21	2	Mayor
1	М	7	14.	Commissioner	Nate Omdal	9/1/18	8/31/21	1	City Council
			15.	Commissioner	vacant	9/1/19	8/31/22		Mayor
			16.	Commissioner	vacant	9/1/19	8/31/22		City Council
			17.	Commissioner	vacant	9/1/19	8/31/22		Mayor
1	М	2	18.	Commissioner	Daniel D. Pak	9/1/19	8/31/22	2	City Council
			19.	Commissioner	vacant	9/1/19	8/31/22		Mayor
			20.	Commissioner	vacant	9/1/19	8/31/22		City Council
			21.	Commissioner	vacant	9/1/19	8/31/22		Mayor

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	2	3				2	2			1			
Council	3	3			3	1				2			
Other													
Total	5	6			3	3	2			3			

Key:

<sup>\*</sup>D List the corresponding Diversity Chart number (1 through 9)

<sup>\*\*</sup>G List gender identity, 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 voluntary.