

Appointee Name: Patience Manzezulu Malaba						
Board/Commission Name:		Position Title:				
Seattle Planning Commission		Member				
	City Council	City Council Confirmation required?				
Appointment <i>OR</i> Reappointment	Yes No					
Appointing Authority:	Term of Position: *					
City Council	4/16/2021					
Mayor Other: <i>Fill in appointing authority</i>	to 4/15/2024					
	Serving rel	maining	g term of a vacant position			
Residential Neighborhood: Northgate	Zip Code: 98125	Conta	act Phone No.:			

Background:

Patience Malaba brings a decade of experience in community development, policy, and advocacy to her work. As Advocacy Manager at the Housing Development Consortium (HDC), she manages the organization's policy advocacy engagement that advances their annual policy priorities. Prior to joining HDC, Patience managed Seattle for Everyone, a broad coalition of organizations united on a foundation of support for the Housing Affordability and Livability Agenda (HALA). For the past three years, she has served on the Sierra Club Seattle Executive Committee. She serves on other Boards on behalf of HDC, including the Puget Sound Regional Council's Growth Management Policy Board and the Washington Low Income Housing Alliance's Public Policy Committee. Patience is currently a Master of Public Administration degree candidate at Seattle University. She also has a Community Solutions Programs Professional Development Certificate from George Mason University and a Bachelor of Social Science degree in Development Studies from Lupane State University in Zimbabwe.

Authorizing Signature (original signature): Appointing Signatory: Mayor Jenny Durkan

Date Signed (appointed): 8/6/21

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

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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Housing Development Consortium

Advocacy Manager (June 2018 to date)

- Lead the development of an Annual HDC Advocacy Priorities and education and awareness of member engagement in advocacy and policy priorities.
- Interact directly with elected and public officials to educate and motivate them to act in concert with HDC's key Annual Advocacy Priorities.
- Ensure effective execution and completion of specific policy and advocacy projects and campaigns.
- Represent HDC at community, civic and partner organization meetings and events throughout King County.
- Create and foster strategic relationships with HDC members; other housing and homeless service agencies; and faith, environmental, health, education, and smart growth groups to promote issues of mutual concern.
- Research relevant King countywide housing issues and create related reports, advocacy materials and other communication tools to promote HDC's advocacy priorities. Partner with member housing policy staff to create professional policy briefs.
- Organize, manage, and facilitate meetings and events as defined by the Executive Director
- Manage Seattle for Everyone Coalition work, working on the Mandatory Housing Affordability Citywide program and other HALA recommendations.

Futurewise- (January 2018- June 2018)

Lead Mobilization Coordinator -Seattle for Everyone Coalition

- Develop and ensure implementation of housing affordability outreach and organizing efforts in coordination with Seattle for Everyone coalition partners and Futurewise team;
- Develop outreach materials and social media content that provides up-to-date information on HALA and opportunities to engage;
- Coordinate with Outreach Committee and organizing team on mobilization efforts for public hearings and policy briefings;
- Attend community meetings and events around Seattle to educate or speak on coalition policy work;
- Conduct face-to-face outreach to citywide and neighborhood-based institutions, organizations, businesses, and individuals;
- Recruit, support, and provide testimony training to grassroots supporters.

Services Employees International Union - (January 2017-September 2017)

Lead Organizer-Amazon Security Campaign

- Ran the field and distributed turf to organizers
- Co-facilitated the Amazon Shareholders Coalition
- Developed staff in reach out efforts to building relationship with workers
- Ensured the growth and development of the organizing committee of workers

Services Employees International Union (January 2016-to Dec 2016)

External Organizer - Amazon Security Campaign

- Identified and developed worker-leaders through one-on-one communication
- Built and maintained worker committees
- Helped to organize and run actions such as rallies and picket lines
- Interviewed and documented worker stories to build a narrative for the case of the campaign
- Perform administrative tasks necessary for worker organizing such as maintaining database of worker list

One America (August 2015 to December 2015)

Organizing Intern, Seattle, United States of America

U.S Department of State Fellow, IREX Community Solutions Program

- Coordinated community organizing of base leaders in Seattle and South King County
- Carried out one on one engagements with base leaders to raise awareness and build confidence for civic engagement (voter registration, volunteering in the work of the organization)
- Facilitated Leadership Discussions and Trainings at local and state level for One America statewide Leaders on environmental justice
- Supported the Organizing Director in facilitating the People's Climate March 2015 Coalition
- Supported the Policy Advocacy and Civic Engagement Team in engaging political candidates for interviews throughout the process of the One America C4 endorsement for Washington State elections
- Conducted a Research on the Pesticide Drift issues affecting the Environment in Yakima to inform the 2016 Legislative Agenda in Washington State

Habakkuk Trust, (January 2008-to July 2015)

Programme Coordinating Manager, Bulawayo, Zimbabwe

- Developed grant proposals and grant compliance tools
- Supervised and facilitated trainings for youth on entrepreneurship, leadership development, community engagement in the policy making process, and human rights education
- Compiled progress reports of group projects
- Monitoring and Evaluating of projects
- Coordinated Advocacy Action teams in the 5 wards on enhancing service delivery through advocacy trainings, policy dialogues, feasibility surveys, public meeting and community consensus building meetings
- Developed information packages, newsletters and brochures for information dissemination among Community Advocacy Action Teams and the communities at large
- Provided technical support for developing grant proposals for Action Teams fundraising drive
- Designed, organized and facilitated fortnightly discussion think tanks on contemporary and national topical issues in Zimbabwe
- Outside of work, served as Board of Trustee of founded organization, served as the Southern Regional Coordinator for the Friedrich Ebert Stiftung and was the Vice Chairperson of the National Association of Youth Organization an umbrella body of Zimbabwean youth-led policy advocacy organizations.

Volunteer Experience

Sierra Club, Seattle

Executive Committee Member, Seattle Political Endorsement Coordination and State Chapter Political Committee Member (Jan 2016- to date)

• Support the housing work and policy positions.

- Lead endorsement processes for pro-environmental candidates in Seattle.
- Develop and lead fundraising efforts towards the PAC to support endorsed candidates.

The Urbanist, Seattle

Election Board Member (2018 Elections)

- Reach out to candidates with election questionnaire during election cycle, interview and vote on endorsements.
- Submit write ups on assigned endorsement races.

Guest Lectures

University of Washington-Seattle

Communications COMMLD 501 -Housing Policy Project, September 2018 Communications COMMLD 501 -Everyone Deserves A Home Panel, December 2018 School of Social Work-Neighborhood and Place, October 2018

EDUCATION & TRAINING

Seattle University, Seattle, WA

MPA Candidate, Spring 2019

George Mason University, Fairfax, VA. USA

Community Solutions Programs Professional Development Certificate 4.0

Lupane State University, Bulawayo, Zimbabwe (2015)

Bachelor of Social Science Hons Degree in Development Studies

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Relevant Training

Institute for Democratic Future Leadership Fellowship- Class of 2018 Puget Sound Sage Community Leadership Institute-Class of 2017

References

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Institute for a Democratic Future

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Seattle Planning Commission

AUGUST 2021

16 Members: Pursuant to *SMC 3.6, all* members subject to City Council confirmation, *3*-year terms (except for position 16 which serves a one-year term and is a Get Engaged member):

- 7 City Council-appointed
- 8 Mayor-appointed
- Other Appointing Authority-appointed (specify): Planning Commission

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6	F	3	1.	Member	McCaela Daffern	4/16/19	4/15/22	1	City Council
3	F	2	2.	Member	Dhyana Quintanar Solares	4/16/19	4/15/22	1	Mayor
6	F	2	3.	Member	Lauren Squires	4/16/19	4/15/22	1	City Council
			4.	Member	Vacant	4/16/19	4/15/22	1	Mayor
7	F	5	5.	Member	Jamie Stroble	4/16/19	4/15/22	1	City Council
6	м	5	6.	Member	Mark Braseth	4/16/20	4/15/23	1	Mayor
9	м	6	7.	Member	Roque de Herrera	4/16/20	4/15/23	1	City Council
1	F	5	8.	Member	Radhika Nair	4/16/20	4/15/23	1	Mayor
6	м	1	9.	Member	Matt Hutchins	4/16/20	4/15/23	1	City Council
6	F	2	10.	Member	Alanna Peterson	4/16/20	4/15/23	1	Mayor
3	м	3	11.	Member	Julio Sanchez	4/16/21	4/15/24	2	City Council
9	F	5	12.	Member	Rose Lew Tsai-Le Whitson	4/16/21	4/15/24	1	Mayor
6	м	4	13.	Member	David Goldberg	4/16/21	4/15/24	2	City Council
2	F	7	14.	Member	Patience Manzezulu Malaba	4/16/21	4/15/24	1	Mayor
6	м	4	15.	Member	Rick Mohler	4/16/21	4/15/24	2	Commission
2	м	5	16.	Get Engaged	Kelabe Tewolde	9/1/20	8/31/21	1	Mayor

SELF-IDENTIFIED DIVERSITY

		CHA	ART		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
	Male	Female	Transgende r	NB/ O/ U	Asian	Black/ African America n	Hispanic/ Latino	America n Indian/ Alaska Native	Other	Caucasian/ Non- Hispanic	Pacific Islander	Middle Eastern	Multiracial
Mayor	2	6			1	2	1			3			1
Council	4	3					1			4	1		1
Other	1									1			
Total	7	9			1	2	2			8	1		2

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.