

Office of Mayor Ted Wheeler City of Portland

May 1, 2019

As Mayor and Commissioner of Finance & Administration, I request Council confirmation of the following reappointment to the Portland Design Commission.

Appointment
Julie Livingston
(reappointment)

Membership Category 2nd Full Term

Development Project Manager May 7, 2019 through May 6, 2023

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Julie Livingston is recommended for reappointment to the Portland Design Commission. Julie has demonstrated exceptional participation in her service on the Design Commission, and most critically during her last year as Chair. Julie has been a notable presence in volunteer task forces, meetings, studies etc. that increase the stability, the consistency, transparency and effectiveness of the process. Beyond the weekly review of applications, site visits and hearings, Julie has also given additional time to improving our hearings, review and process. These efforts have included numerous reoccurring meetings with the Portland Housing Bureau, Portland Bureau of Planning and Sustainability, Portland Bureau of Transportation, Regional Arts and Culture Council and the Landmarks Commission. Not only has Julie participated in these undertakings, but she has written numerous narratives to be considered in ongoing revisions to these documents. Reappointing Julie to a second term would help maintain her strong presence and momentum in these important efforts towards Design Review and Design Commission process improvements. If reappointed, Julie's second term would be from May 7, 2019 through May 6, 2023.

Statement from Julie Livingston:

I've been employed by Home Forward, an organization with a well-known focus on equity, for 21 years. Home Forward's mission statement includes an explicit commitment to people who experience barriers to housing because of income, disability or special need. Additionally, as Oregon's largest landlord, Home Forward proudly provides safe and affordable housing to residents of all ages, abilities, geographies, races, ethnicities, religions, gender identities, and sexual orientations. During my tenure on Portland Design Commission, we have used grass roots recruitment strategies that have successfully moved the needle on diversity. The seven member Commission currently has a record three women and record four people of color.

Respectfully submitted,

Ted Wheeler Mayor

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Agenda No. APPOINTMENT REPORT Title

Reappoint Julie Livingston to the Portland Design Commission for a second, 4-year term to expire May 6, 2023 (Report)

INTRODUCED BY Commissioner/Auditor: Mayor Wheeler	CLERK USE: DATE FILED APR 23 2019
COMMISSIONER APPROVAL Mayor—Finance & Administration - Wheeler Position 1/Utilities - Fritz Position 2/Works - Fish Position 3/Affairs - Hardesty	Mary Hull Caballero Auditor of the City of Portland By: Deputy
BUREAU APPROVAL Bureau of Development Services Rebecca Esau, Director Prepared by: Leanne Torgerson Date Prepared: April 9, 2019	MAY 0 1 2019 CONFIRMED
Impact Statement Completed Amends Budget City Auditor Office Approval: required for Code Ordinances City Attorney Approval: required for contract, code. easement, franchise, charter, Comp Plan Council Meeting Date: May 1, 2019	

AGENDA		
TIME CERTAIN Start time:		
Total amount of time needed:(for presentation, testimony and discussion)		
<u>CONSENT</u> ⊠		
REGULAR		

FOUR-FIFTHS AGENDA	COMMISSIONERS VOTED AS FOLLOWS:		
		YEAS	NAYS
1. Fritz	1. Fritz		
2. Fish	2. Fish		
3. Hardesty	3. Hardesty		
4. Eudaly	4. Eudaly		
Wheeler	Wheeler		