

IMPACT STATEMENT

Legislation title:

Appoint Robert (Bob) Gagliasso to the Plumbing Code Board of Appeal for a 3-year term to expire September 4, 2021 (Report)

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Presenter name: Terry Whitehill or designee

Purpose of proposed legislation and background information:

This appointment will fill an open position on the Plumbing Code Board of Appeal as required by Portland City Code Title 25. This position was previously filled by Amara Shurte, whose term ended on June 24 2018. (There are still 3 alternate positions vacant.)

Financial and budgetary impacts:

The Board appointments are citizen-volunteer positions, so no revenue or expenses are incurred by these positions.

Community impacts and community involvement:

There has been active on-going recruitment for alternate members of the Plumbing Code Board of Appeal. Current Board members notified their constituent groups of the vacant positions, and BDS included information about the vacancies in multiple issues of its *Plans Examiner* newsletter. The *Plans Examiner* is widely distributed electronically to BDS customers and stakeholders, as well as, neighborhood associations and community groups. A link to the *Plans Examiner* is available on the BDS website. An interested applicant files an application for membership with the Office of Community & Civic Life. Once CCL receives the applications and conflict of interest forms, it forwards those documents to Terry Whitehill in BDS for review.

Budgetary Impact Worksheet

Does this action change appropriations?

YES: Please complete the information below.

NO: Skip this section

Fund	Fund Center	Commitment Item	Functional Area	Funded Program	Grant	Sponsored Program	Amount



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To: Mayor Ted Wheeler
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 Commissioner Nick Fish
 Commissioner Amanda Fritz
 Commissioner Dan Saltzman

From: Rebecca Esau, Director *RE*
 Bureau of Development Services

Subject: Appointment to the Plumbing Code Board of Appeal

Recommendation

There are currently 2 Plumbing External Board members—Victoria Haynes and Vernie Santos. Their terms expire in June and September of 2020, respectively. The three regular members and alternate members consist of one plumbing contractor whose experience and training qualify him/her to decide matters concerning the safety of installations and devices regulated by Title 25, Plumbing Regulations, one member shall be a person engaged in the design of plumbing installations and devices regulated by Title 25, and one member who shall be a member of the public-at-large.

I am recommending Bob Gagliasso be appointed to Plumbing Board Code of Appeal. Bob Gagliasso would fill the Public at Large position left open by the departure of Amara Shurte, whose term ended on June 24, 2018. Bob’s 3-year term would be from September 5, 2018 to expire on September 4, 2021.

Bob Gagliasso – Bob has over 40 years of experience in the plumbing business and 20 years of involvement with cross connection programs. He is a veteran of the US Air Force, who is currently the Vice President of the Cascade Chapter of IAPMO.

The table below lists the recommendation and member for appointment along with his Plumbing Code Board of Appeal position and status:

Member	Current Status	Appointments
Bob Gagliasso	New	1st Full Term, ending September 4, 2021

With this proposed appointment, there will be three vacant alternate positions available on the Plumbing Code Board of Appeal and we are continuing our outreach efforts to fill these vacant positions.