

Candidate sought for the Seattle Housing Authority Board of Commissioners

The Seattle Housing Authority is currently seeking one new commissioner for the Seattle Housing Authority Board of Commissioners. The vacancy is an at-large position.

Established in 1939, Seattle Housing Authority provides long-term rental housing and rental assistance to more than 26,000 people in the city of Seattle. The agency owns and operates buildings of all shapes and sizes on more than 400 sites throughout the city. It is governed by a seven-member Board of Commissioners.

The Board includes five at-large positions and two resident positions. The commissioners are responsible for approving the agency's annual budget and setting policy.

Regular Board meetings are held the third Monday of the month. An informal Board briefing is usually held on the second Tuesday of the month. Commissioners serve four-year terms.

The Mayor appoints the commissioners, who are then confirmed by the Seattle City Council. Anyone interested in serving on the Seattle Housing Authority Board of Commissioners may send a resume and letter of interest to the Mayor's Boards and Commissions Manager, Pedro Gomez.

To be considered for appointment by the Mayor, please send a letter of interest and resume to: Pedro Gomez, 600 4th Ave, 7th Floor, P.O. Box 94749, Seattle, WA 98124-4749 or by email at Pedro.Gomez@seattle.gov.

Resumes will be accepted until October 31, 2015.

The City of Seattle is committed to promoting diversity in the city's boards and commissions. Women, persons with disabilities, sexual and gender minorities, young persons, senior citizens, persons of color, and immigrants are encouraged to apply.