



KING COUNTY

1200 King County Courthouse
516 Third Avenue
Seattle, WA 98104

Signature Report

Resolution 22-04

Proposed No. 22-04.2

Sponsors

1 A RESOLUTION identifying the King County board of
2 health's selected nonelected member candidates to begin
3 serving in 2023.

4 WHEREAS, Engrossed Second Substitute House Bill 1152 was signed into law in
5 May 2021 as Chapter 205, Laws of Washington 2021, modifying the structure of local
6 boards of health to require an equal number of elected to nonelected members, with one
7 of the nonelected members to be selected by the American Indian Health Commission for
8 Washington State and the remaining members selected by the King County board of
9 health from three specific categories of interests: public health, health care facilities, and
10 providers; consumers of public health; and other community stakeholders, and

11 WHEREAS, in accordance with Chapter 205, Laws of Washington 2021, on April
12 13, 2022, the Washington state Board of Health adopted chapter 246-90 WAC outlining
13 how nonelected members of local boards of health are to be recruited, selected and
14 appointed, and

15 WHEREAS, in response to Chapter 205, Laws of Washington 2021, Ordinance
16 19418 in April 2022 amended board membership in the King County Code to reflect the
17 new state law, and

18 WHEREAS, the board adopted R&R BOH22-02 in May 2022 to amend Board of
19 Health Code to reflect the new state law, chapter 246-90 WAC and Ordinance 19418, and

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20 WHEREAS, the board coordinated with the American Indian Health Commission
21 for Washington State to receive their candidate selections, and

22 WHEREAS, from May through October 2022, the board conducted a robust and
23 successful recruitment and selection process for new, nonelected members, including
24 hosting two online open houses with Spanish and American Sign Language interpreters
25 attended by thirty-two people, posting information in English and Spanish on the board
26 and Public Health - Seattle & King County websites, on social media and published in
27 local media outlets, email newsletters and shared through community networks including
28 Public Health's pandemic and racism community advisory group. The board received
29 forty-four applications and selected ten remarkable applicants for appointment in
30 accordance with the new state law, and

31 WHEREAS, the selected applicants represent a breadth of lived experience and
32 expertise that will enhance the board's efforts to preserve and protect the public's health;

33 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Health of King
34 County:

35 A. The board of health recommends for appointment the selected nonelected
36 regular and alternate member candidates and the selected American Indian Health
37 Commission for Washington State's regular and alternate tribal representative candidates
38 identified in Attachment A to this resolution.

39 B. All candidates selected by the board were recruited and selected in
40 accordance with chapter 246-90 WAC pertaining to Local Board of Health Membership
41 and each candidate selection meets the qualifications and requirements of RCW
42 70.05.035(1)(a).

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43 C. In accordance with K.C.C. 2.35.024 the board will transmit to the King
44 County council this resolution along with the biography and application materials for
45 each of the members selected by the board.

Resolution was introduced on and passed by the Board of Health on 10/20/2022, by the following vote:

Yes: 12 - Daniell, Herbold, Honda, Kohl-Welles, McDermott,
Morales, Zahilay, Nelson and Koellen
Excused: 2 - Baker and Mosqueda
Abstain: 1 - de Castro

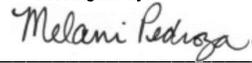
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KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

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Joe McDermott, Chair

ATTEST:

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Melani Pedroza, Clerk of the Board

Attachments: A. King County Board of Health Nonelected Member Candidate Selections, dated October 20, 2022