

BEFORE THE METRO COUNCIL

FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONFIRMING THE) RESOLUTION NO. 09-4062
COUNCIL PRESIDENT'S APPOINTMENT OF)
CYNTHIA J. HARUYAMA TO THE) Introduced by David Bragdon, Council
METROPOLITAN EXPOSITION-RECREATION) President
COMMISSION

WHEREAS, the Metro Code, Section 6.01.030(a) provides that the Metro Council President shall appoint all members to the Metropolitan Exposition Recreation Commission; and

WHEREAS, the Metro Code, Section 6.01.030(b) provides that the Metro Council President's appointments to the Commission are subject to confirmation by the Metro Council; and

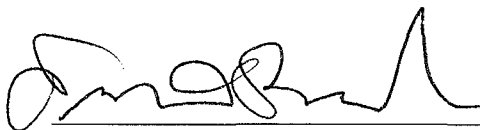
WHEREAS, pursuant to Metro Code, Section 6.01.030(d)(3) and (g) the Metro Council President has appointed Cynthia J. Haruyama as a candidate to replace Gary Reynolds as a member on the Commission due to his resignation from the Commission as of June 30, 2009, for the remainder of Mr. Reynold's term ; and

WHEREAS, the Metro Council President submitted his appointment of Cynthia J. Haruyama to the Metro Council for confirmation; and

WHEREAS, the Council finds that Cynthia J. Haruyama has the experience and expertise to make a substantial contribution to the Commission's work; now therefore,

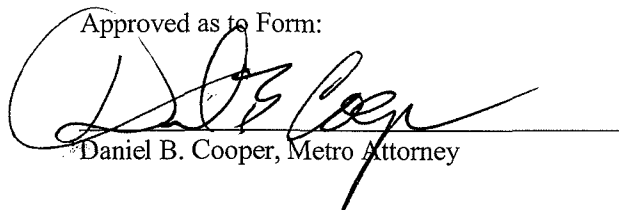
BE IT RESOLVED that the Metro Council hereby confirms the Council President's appointment of Cynthia J. Haruyama as a member of the Metropolitan Exposition Recreation Commission beginning on July 9, 2009, and ending December 31, 2009,

ADOPTED by the Metro Council this 9 day of ^{July}~~June~~, 2009.

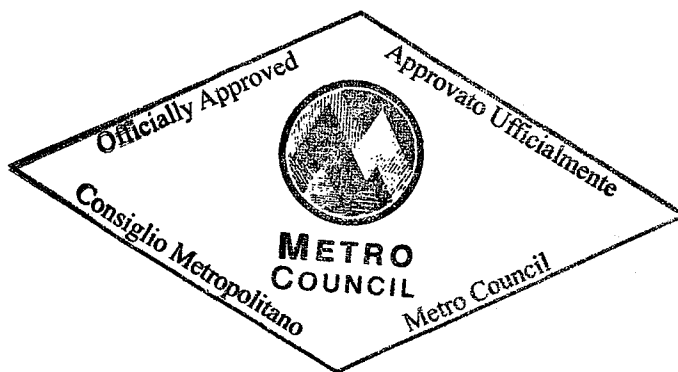


David Bragdon, Council President

Approved as to Form:



Daniel B. Cooper, Metro Attorney



STAFF REPORT

IN CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION NO. 09-4062, FOR THE PURPOSE OF
CONFIRMING THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT'S APPOINTMENT OF CYNTHIA J.
HARUYAMA TO THE METROPOLITAN EXPOSITION-RECREATION COMMISSION

Date: July 9, 2009

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BACKGROUND

The Metro Code, Section 6.01.030(a), gives Metro Council President sole authority to appoint all members of the Metropolitan Exposition Recreation Commission, subject to confirmation by the Council. Section 6.01.030(d)(3) of the Code Metro allows the Council President to nominate a candidate for appointment for the Council President's consideration. Under Section 6.01.030(g) of the Metro Code, vacancies are filled pursuant to the procedure governing initial appointments.

The Metro Council President has appointed Cynthia Haruyama as a candidate for membership on the Commission to replace former Commissioner Gary Reynolds. The Council President has submitted his appointment of Ms. Haruyama to the Council for confirmation. If confirmed, Ms. Haruyama would, pursuant to Metro Code, Section 6.01.030(g) serve the remainder of Mr. Reynolds' term, beginning July 9, 2009 and ending December 31, 2010.

As Executive Director of the Portland Classical Chinese Garden, and previously as Executive Director of the Hoyt Arboretum, Ms. Haruyama has extensive experience with nonprofit boards who operate publicly-owned facilities.

Community Experience

Metro's Blue Ribbon Trail Committee	2008
Leach Botanic Garden Master Planning Committee	2007
Jubilee 2000 Oregon	1999 – 2000
Catlin Gabel Alumni Board	1996 – 1999

Work experience

Executive Director, Portland Classical Chinese Garden	6/08 to present
Executive Director, Hoyt Arboretum Friends	2001 – 2008
General Manager, A.M. Andrews Co.	1994 – 2000
Attorney, Davis Wright Tremaine	1989 – 1994
Attorney, Farleigh Wada & Witt	1987 – 1989
China Trade Promotions, NY	1982 – 1985

ANALYSIS/INFORMATION

1. Known Opposition

None

2. Legal Antecedents

Metro Code, as referenced above.

3. Anticipated Effects

Appointment of Ms. Haruyama in the manner provided by the Metro Code

4. Budget Impacts

None

RECOMMENDED ACTION

The Council President David Bragdon recommends approval of Resolution 09-4062 to confirm the appointment of Cynthia Haruyama to the Metropolitan Exposition Recreation Commission and to begin serving July 9, 2009.