

BEFORE THE METRO COUNCIL

FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONFIRMING THE) RESOLUTION NO. 11-4295
COUNCIL PRESIDENT'S REAPPOINTMENT OF)
ELISA J. DOZONO TO THE METROPOLITAN) Introduced by Council President Tom Hughes
EXPOSITION RECREATION 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, the Metro Code, Section 6.01.030(d)(1) allows Multnomah County to nominate a candidate for appointment for the Council President's consideration; and

WHEREAS, Multnomah County has nominated Elisa J. Dozono to be reappointed as a member of the Commission; and

WHEREAS, Elisa J. Dozono's term is ending on September 23, 2011; and

WHEREAS, the Metro Council President has submitted his reappointment of Elisa J. Dozono to the Metro Council for confirmation; and

WHEREAS, the Metro Code, Section 6.01.030 (c) provides that all voting members of the Commission shall serve four (4) year terms and members may be reappointed; and;

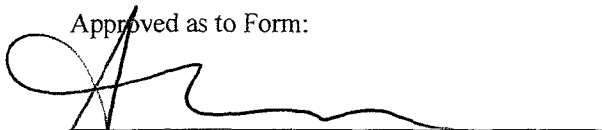
WHEREAS, the Council finds that Elisa J. Dozono has shown the experience and expertise to make a substantial contribution to the Commission's work; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED that the Metro Council hereby confirms the Council President's reappointment of Elisa J. Dozono as a member of the Metropolitan Exposition Recreation Commission beginning on September 24, 2011 and ending on September 23, 2015.

ADOPTED by the Metro Council this 29th day of September, 2011.



Approved as to Form:


Alison Kean Campbell, Acting Metro Attorney

Elisa J. Dozono Biography

Elisa J. Dozono joined Miller Nash as an associate in the litigation department in 2006. She focuses her practice on business litigation and government relations. Ms. Dozono has over 11 years' experience in communications management and government relations, including corporate media manager for the Port of Portland, communications director for former Portland Mayor Vera Katz, and media relations director for former Oregon Governor John Kitzhaber's transition.

In 1996, Ms. Dozono led the Clinton/Gore campaign in Oklahoma. She has also worked as a news producer for Portland's KATU television. Before joining Miller Nash, Ms. Dozono externed for the Honorable Ann Aiken of the U.S. District Court of Oregon.

Professional Activities

Ms. Dozono is admitted to practice in Oregon. She is a member of the Oregon Minority Lawyers Association, Oregon Women Lawyers, and the Multnomah Bar Association.

Civic Activities

A fourth-generation Portlander, Ms. Dozono is active in Basic Rights Oregon, Planned Parenthood, Portland City Club, and local political campaigns. She has served as public relations chair for the Susan G. Komen Foundation Race for the Cure, as a Young Executive Board member of the Boys & Girls Clubs of Portland, and as a member of the board of directors of the Northwest District Association. Ms. Dozono is also on the Oregon Business Alliance Transportation subcommittee, Chair of the Finance Committee for the Democratic Party of Oregon, and, as of June 30, 2007 a member of the board of directors of the Japan America Society of Oregon

Education

Ms. Dozono received her bachelor's degree in journalism from Boston University's College of Communications. She earned her law degree and certificate in general business law from Lewis & Clark Law School in Portland, Oregon, where she was also a member of the Business Roundtable.

Personal Activities

Elisa enjoys running, skiing, reading, films, and traveling

STAFF REPORT

IN CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION NO. 11-4295, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONFIRMING THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT'S REAPPOINTMENT OF ELISA J. DOZONO TO THE METROPOLITAN EXPOSITION RECREATION COMMISSION

Date: September 29, 2011

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BACKGROUND

The Metro Code, Section 6.01.030(a), gives the 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)(1) of the Code allows Multnomah County to nominate a candidate for appointment for the Council President's consideration. Under Section 6.01.030(e)(1) of the Metro Code, the Metro Council President has the authority to concur with Multnomah County's nomination and submit it to the Council for confirmation, or reject it.

Elisa Dozono's term is ending September 24, 2011. Multnomah County has reappointed Elisa Dozono as a candidate to continue membership on the Commission. The Council President has concurred with this nomination and accordingly submitted his appointment of Elisa Dozono to the Council for confirmation. If confirmed, Ms. Dozono would, pursuant to Metro Code, Section 6.01.030(g) begin her term on September 24, 2011 and ending September 24, 2015.

A copy of Ms. Dozono's biography is attached.

ANALYSIS/INFORMATION

1. **Known Opposition:** None
2. **Legal Antecedents:** Metro Code as referenced above
3. **Anticipated Effects:** Reappointment of Ms. Dozono in the manner provided by the Metro Code.
4. **Budget Impacts:** None

RECOMMENDED ACTION

The Council President, Tom Hughes, recommends approval of Resolution No. 11-4295 to confirm the reappointment of Elisa J. Dozono to the Metropolitan Exposition Recreation Commission and to continue serving from September 24, 2011 to September 24, 2015.