



# Planning and Community Development

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Council Initiated:

☐ Yes

☒ No

**ECAFs:** 2023-1432  
2023-1434

**Motions:** 23-545  
23-546

**Type:**

☐ Contract

☒ **Board Appt.**

☐ Code Amendment

☐ Budget Action

☐ Other

**Requested**

**Handling:**

☒ **Normal**

☐ Expedite

☐ Urgent

**Fund Source:**

☐ General Fund

☐ Other

☒ **N/A**

**Executive Rec:**

☒ **Approve**

☐ Do Not Approve

☐ N/A

**Approved as to**

**Form:**

☐ Yes

☐ No

☒ **N/A**

**Subject:** Board Reappointments – Board of Health

**Scope:** Motion 23-545 (ECAF 2023-1432) would reappoint Lisa George to the Snohomish County Board of Health for a second term  
  
Motion 23-546 to (ECAF 2023-1434) would reappoint Desmond Skubi to the Snohomish County Board of Health for a second term

**Duration:** Four years for both, commencing on passage and ending on Dec. 31, 2027.

**Fiscal Impact:** ☐ Current Year ☐ Multi-Year ☒ **N/A**

**Authority Granted:** N/A

**Background:**

*The Board:* On January 1, 2023, the Snohomish Health District integrated into County operations and became the Snohomish County Health Department. With that came the re-creation of the Board of Health under the County ([SCC 2.300.090](#) and [RCW 70.05.035](#)). This board is composed of nine members ([SCC 2.300.100](#)). Membership includes four elected officials and five public members. Public membership includes two members representing public health, health care facilities, and/or providers. Public membership also includes one consumer of public health, one community stakeholder, and one tribal representative.

*The nominees:* Lisa George is completing an initial one-year term as a health care facilities representative (original appointment by [Motion 23-093](#)). She is a nurse and administrator at Snohomish County's largest hospital care system.

Desmond Skubi is completing an initial one-year term as a community stakeholder (original appointment by [Motion 23-094](#)). He has over 25 years of experience working with populations to improve healthcare and reduce health disparities.

Both nominees are well qualified to continue serving. The County Executive recommends approval of both reappointments.

**Request:** Move Motions 23-545 and 23-546 to General Legislative Session on January 10, 2024, for consideration.