

SNOHOMISH COUNTY HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION

October 2025 Board Membership Matrix

SCC 2.460.030 establishes the creation of the Snohomish County Human Rights Commission. It is made up of nine members nominated by the Executive and approved by the County Council. Of these nine, one shall represent the County Executive, one shall represent the law enforcement community after consultation with the County Sheriff, five shall represent the five County Council Districts following consultation with each County Councilmember, and the other two to serve as Member at Large. The commission shall serve in an advisory capacity to the County Executive, County Council, and other county officers in matters concerning human rights. Terms of service are 3 years. Meetings take place at least quarterly on the first Thursday of the month from 6 to 8 p.m.
Commission Interim Liaison Contact: karen.anderson@snoco.org, 425-388-3460.

CURRENT BOARD MEMBERSHIP

DISTRICT 1

Noah Rui
Marysville, WA 98270
1st Term expires 7/1/2027

DISTRICT 2

Demi Chatters
Everett, WA 98203
3rd Term expires 7/1/2028
Chair

DISTRICT 3

Karen Elliott
Mill Creek, WA 98026
1st Term expires 7/1/2026

DISTRICT 4

Heather Damron
Edmonds, WA 98206
1st Term expires 7/1/2026

DISTRICT 5

Appointment Pending
1st Term expires 7/1/2028

LAW ENFORCEMENT REPRESENTATIVE

Robert "Jason" Ogawa
Snohomish County Corrections Captain
2nd Term expires 7/1/2028
Vice Chair

EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENT

Dr. Gloria Ngezaho
Lake Stevens, WA 98258
3rd Term expires 7/1/2027

MEMBER AT LARGE POSITION 1

Wendy Messarina
Tulalip
1st Term expires 7/1/2027

MEMBER AT LARGE POSITION 2

Angela Di Filippo
Everett, WA 98208
2nd Term expires 7/1/2026