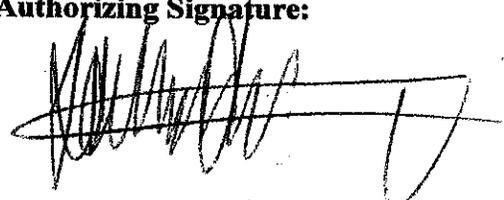


**City of Seattle
Notice of Appointment**

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Name: Cindy Pederson		2013 AUG 22 AM 11:51 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Appointment <input type="checkbox"/> Reappointment CITY CLERK <input type="checkbox"/> Executive <input type="checkbox"/> Legislative <input type="checkbox"/> Agency <input type="checkbox"/> PDA Council <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: AIWSL
Residential Neighborhood: Ballard	Zip Code: 98107	Contact Phone No.: 206-228-1864
Appointed to: Seattle Indian Services Commission		Date of Appointment: August 20, 2013
Authority (Ord., Res.): SMC 3.110		Term of Office: 4-year Term From: Confirmation To: 8/31/2017
Comments: Cindy Pederson's professional career background includes working as an Operations Manager/Office Manager in the private sector until about 2003. Since then Ms. Pederson has re-entered the workplace by working for the Seattle Indian Health Board for three years and then working for the United Indians All Tribes Foundation as the Human Resources Manager. While not currently working, Ms. Pederson volunteers her time as a consultant for native non-profit groups. She has served as a delegate for Central Council, Tlingit and Haida Indian Tribes of Alaska which she is an enrolled tribal member. As a delegate I work on several committees and have been an officer of the executive committee. Cindy is currently a member of the American Indian Women's Service League, the Western Coalition of Alaska Natives, Native Action Network, Northwest Native Asset Building Coalition, Native Americans in Philanthropy, Haida Laas Dance group and the G'ANA'K'W Canoe Family. Ms. Pederson brings a passion about the needs of urban natives and strives to make a difference in the lives of those who live away from their tribal lands. This is Ms. Pedersen's first term.		
Authorizing Signature: 		Name and Title of Officer Making Appointments: Jocelyn 'Cher' Ketah, President American Indian Women Service League

Mayoral Review/Approval of Appointment, per Charter

Initials: Date: 8-22-13

Cindy L. Pederson

[REDACTED]
Seattle, WA 98107

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My passion and commitment include working and volunteering for native non-profit organizations in the urban Seattle area.

My professional career background includes working as an Operations Manager/Office Manager in the private sector until about 2003. I then took some time off to raise children and then decided to seek out my culture background and then was introduced to the many needs of our urban native tribal members. So then I went to work for the Seattle Indian Health Board for three years and then moved on to United Indians as the Human Resources Manager.

Currently I am not working but volunteering my time as a consultant for native non profit groups. I serve as a delegate for Central Council, Tlingit and Haida Indian Tribes of Alaska which I am enrolled tribal member. As a delegate I work on several committees and have been an officer of the executive committee.

I am a member of the American Indian Women's Service League, the Western Coalition of Alaska Natives, Native Action Network, Northwest Native Asset Building Coalition, Native Americans in Philanthropy, Haida Laas Dance group and the G'ANA'K'W Canoe Family.

I am passionate about the needs of urban natives and I strive to make a difference in the lives of those who live away from their tribal lands. I hope to serve in a capacity that can help build our native community to be strong and still hold on to our culture values.

Seattle Indian Services Commission

August 2013

5 members: Revised Charter, adopted October 1, 2012; 4 appointed by the represented organizations, and 1 appointed by Mayor, all subject to City Council confirmation, 4-year terms

- 2 American Indian Women's Service League representatives
- 2 United Indians of All Tribes Foundation representatives
- 1 Mayoral representative, who serves as Chair

The Seattle Indian Services Commission (SISC) is a public corporation as defined in City of Seattle Ordinance 103387 and was chartered in 1972 to: Provide effective, comprehensive, and coordinated planning services, activities, and programs that will meet the unique needs of the many Native American residents of Seattle who are scattered throughout the city.

The commission was originally formed in 1972 to obtain a Seattle Model City Program grant of \$600,000 to purchase a building for use as a center for Indian service organizations.

D*	G	Name, Geography	Appointed	Term Ends	Term #	Position	Appointed By
3	M	Fred Podesta	10/2/12	10/2/16	1st	Chair	Mayor
4	F	Cindy Pederson	08/20/13	08/31/17	1st	Member	AIWSL
4	F	Iris Friday	03/28/07	04/17/10		Secretary	AIWSL
4	F	Augustine McCaffery	05/09/02	04/02/08	5 th	Treasurer	UIATF
4	M	Randy Lewis	3/10	02/01/12	1st	Member	UIATF

Sorted by term expiration and name

Diversity

	Men	Women	Vacant	Minority	(1) Asian-American	(2) African-American	(3) Hispanic-Latino	(4) Native-American	(5) Other**	(6) Caucasian
AIWSL		2		2				2		
UIATF	1	1		2				2		
Mayor	1			1			1			
TOTAL:	2	3		5			1	4		

****Other includes diversity in any of the following: race, gender and/or ability**



AMERICAN INDIAN WOMEN'S SERVICE LEAGUE

606 12th Ave. S.
Seattle, WA 98114-3364

May 15, 2013

Kenny Pittman
City of Seattle

The American Indian Women's Service League (AIWSL) had an elections meeting last week and we elected a new President for our Organization. Her name is Cher Ketah who is Tlingit and Blackfeet and has been a long term member of the AIWSL.

As for our AIWSL committees, and our representative to the Seattle Indian Services Commission (SISC) our bylaws read accordingly:

Article VII Section 5. Committees-Seattle Indian Services Commission. *There shall be two members appointed by the President or the Council to represent the AIWSL on the Seattle Indian Services Commission. Length of terms set at time of appointment by the Seattle City Council.*

Our new President Cher Ketah has indicated that she would like to be the American Indian Women's Service League's representative to the Seattle Indian Services Commission. She told the members of AIWSL that she would like to be more involved with the native community by bringing our native community back together.

The American Indian Women's Service League has two members that are part of the SISC who are Iris Friday and Andrina Abada, We now have a new President who was elected on May 9th, 2013. We would respectfully request that Cher Ketah, President of AIWSL replace Andrina Abada as the representative for SISC.

We have contacted Adrina Abada to let her know her position as the representative for SISC has been filled by the incoming President Cher Ketah.

I have received the Notice of Appointment form and the Statement of Economic Interest that I will have Cher Ketah complete. I will also have her provide a short Bio.

Thank you for your assistance in making this change of representation for the AIWSL. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 206-228-1864 or cindypdrsn@comast.net

Thank you,

Cindy Pederson
Elections Committee
American Indian Women's Service League



AMERICAN INDIAN WOMEN'S SERVICE LEAGUE

606 12th Ave. S.
Seattle, WA 98114-3364

August 20, 2013

Kenny Pittman
City of Seattle

The American Indian Women's Service League (AIWSL) had an elections meeting last May and I was elected President of our organization. I was hoping to serve as the representative for the Seattle Indian Services Commission; however I have since found out that since I am an employee of the United Indians of All Tribes Foundation, this would be a conflict of interest.

As for our AIWSL committees, and our representative to the Seattle Indian Services Commission (SISC) our bylaws read accordingly:

Article VII Section 5. Committees-Seattle Indian Services Commission. *There shall be two members appointed by the President or the Council to represent the AIWSL on the Seattle Indian Services Commission. Length of terms set at time of appointment by the Seattle City Council.*

I hereby appoint long term member of the Women's League Cindy Pederson to serve as our representative to the Seattle Indian Services Commission. Cindy has a professional background of non profit management and she is very active in the native community.

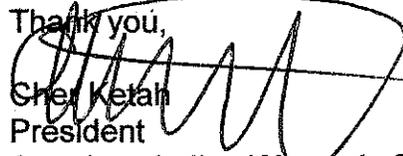
The American Indian Women's Service League has two positions for the SISC. We would like to have Iris Friday continue in her role.

We will contact Adrina Abada to let her know her position as the representative for SISC has been filled by AIWSL member Cindy Pederson.

Please find attached the Notice of Appointment form and the Statement of Economic Interest and a short bio for Cindy Pederson.

Thank you for your assistance in making this change of representation for the AIWSL. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 206-781-8303 or cher@unitedindians.org

Thank you,


Cher Ketah
President

American Indian Women's Service League



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Michael Patrick McGinn, Mayor

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Executive Department – Office of Intergovernmental Relations

Marco Lowe, Director

CITY CLERK

MEMORANDUM

August 22, 2013

TO: Monica Martinez Simmons, City Clerk
Seattle City Council

FROM: Kenny Pittman, OIR, 684-8364 *K.P.*

RE: **Mayoral Approval of American Indian Women's Service League Appointment to Seattle Indian Services Commission (SISC) Governing Council**

I am submitting the following appointee to the Committee on Housing, Human Services, Health, and Culture for a confirmation hearing:

Name	Term Ends	Succeeding
Seattle Indian Services Commission		
Cindy Peterson	08/31/2017 (4-Year Term)	1st

Ms. Petersen's appointment is the result of her appointment by Cher Ketah, President, American Indian Women's Service League, on August 20, 2013 to be one of their two representatives to the Seattle Indian Services Commission.

Do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

cc: Lisa Herbold, Legislative Assistant to Councilmember Nick Licata