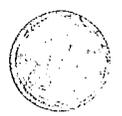


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<b>Name:</b> <i>Peg Staeheli</i>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Executive Appointment</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Reappointment</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Legislative Appointment</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Agency Appointment</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>PDA Council</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>PDA Constituency</b>
<b>Residential Neighborhood:</b> <i>West Seattle</i>	<b>Zip Code:</b> <i>98136</i>	<b>Contact Phone No.:</b> <i>(206) 223-0326</i>
<b>Appointed to:</b> <i>Urban Forestry Commission Position #4 (Hydrologist or similar professional)</i>		<b>Date of Appointment:</b> <i>December 1, 2011</i>
<b>Authority (Ord., Res.):</b> <i>S.M.C. 3.14.920</i>		<b>Term of Office:</b> <b>From:</b> <i>Re-appointment confirmation, December 1, 2011</i> <b>To:</b> <i>December 1, 2014</i>
<b>Background:</b>  <p><i>Mayoral re-appointment to the Urban Forestry Commission Position #4 (Hydrologist or similar professional).</i></p> <p><i>Ms. Staeheli's is a Landscape Architect with extensive experience that includes streetscape; tree protection, green infrastructure, complete streets, accessibility design, utility systems, site design, and landscape restoration. She is president of SvR Design Company, a Seattle-based landscape architecture and civil engineering firm specializing in integrated and environmentally responsible design.</i></p> <p><i>Her work on planning, selecting, and funding complex capital improvement projects as well as her involvement on Seattle's Pedestrian Master Plan gives her insight into the various needs of the right of way and the implications for green infrastructure spatial constraints and long term maintenance all of which is an asset to the Urban Forestry Commission.</i></p> <p><i>Ms. Staeheli has served a two-year term and is being re-appointed for three more years.</i></p>		
<b>Authorizing Signature:</b> 		<b>Name and Title of Officer Making Appointments:</b> <i>Michael McGinn, Mayor</i>



# PEG STAEHELI, ASLA, LEED® AP

## Principal

### Registration

Registered Landscape  
Architect, WA #456

### LEED Accreditation

### Education

BS Landscape Architecture,  
Washington State University

Engineering Program,  
Gonzaga University

Architecture Program,  
University of Copenhagen

### Boards & Associations

Seattle Urban Forestry  
Commission

Board Member, Urban Land  
Institute NW, 2010-2011

Member, Association of  
Pedestrian and Bicycle  
Professionals

Advisory Board Member, UW  
Landscape Architecture

National Subcommittee on  
Sustainable Transportation,  
American Public Works  
Association

Member, Seattle Pedestrian  
Advisory Board, 2003-2007

Washington State Capital  
Project Review Committee

Seattle Bicycle Master Plan  
Citizens Advisory Group -  
Transportation Research  
Board Pedestrian/Bike, 2007

Member, American Society of  
Landscape Architects

Peg is president of SvR Design Company, a Seattle-based landscape architecture and civil engineering firm specializing in integrated and environmentally responsible design. Peg's 33 years of practice includes streetscape; tree protection, green infrastructure, complete streets, accessibility design, utility systems, site design and landscape restoration. She works with public agency clients on planning, selecting, and funding complex capital improvement projects. Peg has presented on tree protection; trees and sidewalks, sustainable and low impact development approaches and urban walkability at various venues including APWA, EPA, Smart Growth, FHWA CSS, Stormcon, the National Low Impact Development Conferences and the Society for Ecological Restoration. Peg's work on Seattle's Pedestrian Master Plan gives her insight into the various needs of the right of way and the implications for green infrastructure spatial constraints and long term maintenance.

### Yesler Terrace Development Plan, Seattle, WA (2008-2011)

Public Realm and Infrastructure Planning. Peg's leads the analysis and design of public infrastructure planning for this 36.6 acre retrofit of an in-city neighborhood. SvR is responsible for the public realm including sustainable infrastructure, integrated open space, and major infrastructure cost projections. The infrastructure will incorporate new technologies for utilities, especially for storm and sanitary water reuse. Key design challenges includes the integration of facilities for pedestrians and bicyclists to connect with the new streetcar line, transit, and the six arterials that surround, intersect, or enter the neighborhood. Work includes understanding right of way spatial requirements to meet Seattle's code for GSI to the MEF within a combined sewer basin. SvR's work includes infrastructure, parks and major site work cost planning for more than \$70 million in site and infrastructure work.

### Thornton Creek Water Quality Channel, Seattle, WA

Principal-in-Charge. Peg's role was to assist SPU in keeping staff and the design team focused on the goal of providing innovative treatment for 680 acres of urban stormwater runoff. This work lasted over 11 years with several consultants. SvR was prime for the final planning and design phase that required extensive coordination with the Thornton Creek Alliance and Northgate Stakeholders as well as several developers.

**High Point Community, HUD HOPE VI, Seattle, WA (2000-2010)**

Public Infrastructure Lead Principal. Peg led the effort to integrate a natural systems drainage approach into the planned 1600 unit community in West Seattle. This work spanned over 10 years and demonstrated that green infrastructure could be economically applied at a large scale for stormwater treatment while maintaining a pedestrian focused community. This Urban Land Institute's Global Award of Excellence design involved an integrated natural drainage system, utilities, public infrastructure, a pedestrian network, complete streets, major earthwork and a 22 ac-ft stormwater pond.

**High Point Neighborhood- Urban Forest Planning (2003-2011)**

Right of Way Landscape Architect: Peg lead the landscape architecture and civil engineering design team to develop an approach to tree preservation that integrated saved trees with block based traffic calming and walkability. The mature tree preservation approach provided for mature deciduous and conifer trees through the 120 acre neighborhood. The new street tree plantings were layered for variety, rear round interest and wayfinding.

**Seattle Pedestrian Master Plan, Seattle, WA (2008-2009)**

Team Project Manager. Peg led the master planning team in a transparent and accessible approach to defining, prioritizing and implementing pedestrian improvements. SvR developed the flexible GIS model that is used to assess conditions, analyze, and prioritize projects. Peg's work on this Citywide Plan gives her a unique view of the multiple aspects of the Broadview Project.

**Rainier Vista Redevelopment, Seattle Housing Authority, Seattle, WA**

Principal-in-Charge. Landscape architecture and civil engineering for a two-phase redevelopment of this 80-acre/1,010-unit housing community, including the development of a new street and sidewalk system and connections to Sound Transit station facilities. The project has involved street alignments within the 80-acre site and alignments to the surrounding community. Under Peg's leadership, SvR has worked with the City on on-tree preservation and mitigation, street parking issues, traffic calming, and plat alterations to coordinate pedestrian movements and traffic patterns. Project involves extensive coordination with redevelopment of Martin Luther King Way and reconstruction of this major arterial to accommodate Sound Transit station facilities and light rail system.

**NewHolly Neighborhood Redevelopment, SHA, Seattle, WA (1996-2005)**

Principal-in-Charge. Peg served as principle in charge for the infrastructure planning and design of the three-phase redevelopment of a 102-acre urban site that included the reconfiguration of more than 12 miles of sidewalks, roadways, traffic-calming solutions, alleys, and transit connections to provide pedestrian-friendly access and linkage to the community. This project was fully integrated into the City of Seattle infrastructure and promoted pedestrian connections to Metro and Sound Transit facilities. Peg's efforts resulted in traditional 25-foot wide streets to facilitate a pedestrian environment.

## Urban Forestry Commission

November 2011

9 Commission members: Per S.M.C. 3.14.920, confirmed by City Council, **3-year terms\***

- 4 appointed by City Council
- 4 appointed by Mayor
- 1 appointed by Commission members

D*	G	Name	Appointed	Term Ends	Term #	Position	Appointed By
6	M	John Floberg	12-01-10	12-01-13	1 <sup>st</sup>	1: Wildlife Biologist	Council
6	M	John Small	12-01-10	12-01-13	2 <sup>nd</sup>	2: Urban Ecologist - VICE-CHAIR	Mayor
6	M	Dr. Gordon Bradley	12-01-09	12-01-12	1 <sup>st</sup>	3: Natural Resource Agency or University Representative	Council
6	F	<i>Peg Staeheli</i>	<i>11-02-09</i>	<i>12-01-14</i>	<i>1<sup>st</sup></i>	<i>4: Hydrologist or Similar Professional</i>	<i>Mayor</i>
6	M	Vacant	12-01-09	12-01-11	1 <sup>st</sup>	5: Arborist	Council
6	M	<i>Tom Early</i>	<i>07-08-11</i>	<i>12-01-14</i>	<i>1<sup>st</sup></i>	<i>6: Landscape Architect</i>	<i>Mayor</i>
6	M	Matt Mega	12-01-09	12-01-12	1 <sup>st</sup>	7: NGO Representative - CHAIR	Council
6	M	Jeff Reibman	11-02-09	12-01-12	1 <sup>st</sup>	8: Development Community or Utility Representative	Mayor
6	F	Nancy Bird	12-01-10	12-01-13	2 <sup>nd</sup>	9: Economist, Financial Analyst, Realtor or Similar Professional	Commission

### Diversity

Appt. Authority	Men	Women	Vacant	Minority	(1) Asian-American	(2) African-American	(3) Hispanic	(4) Native-American	(5) Other	(6) Caucasian
Mayor	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Council	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Commission	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>8</b>

\*Membership shall include:

1. A wildlife biologist
2. An urban ecologist
3. A natural resource agency or university representative
4. A hydrologist
5. An arborist
6. A landscape architect
7. A non-profit or non-governmental organization representative
8. A development community or non-City utility representative, and
9. An economist, financial analyst, or realtor