

**City of Seattle  
Notice of Appointment**

<b>Name:</b> Dylan Ahearn		<input type="checkbox"/> Executive Appointment <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Legislative Appointment <input type="checkbox"/> Agency Appointment <input type="checkbox"/> PDA Council <input type="checkbox"/> PDA Constituency
<b>Residential Neighborhood:</b> Beacon Hill	<b>Zip Code:</b> 98144	<b>Contact Phone No.:</b> N/A
<b>Appointed to:</b> Seattle Bicycle Advisory Board (Position 8)		<b>Date of Appointment:</b> September 17, 2012
<b>Authority (Ord., Res.):</b> Resolution No. 30995		<b>Term of Office:</b> <b>From:</b> Confirmation <b>To:</b> August 31, 2014
<b>Comments:</b> Succeeding Blake Trask.  Dylan is an environmental consultant for Herrera, Inc. and has been a daily bicycle commuter for over 15 years. He currently resides in Beacon Hill but has lived in North Seattle as well, and has thorough firsthand knowledge of Seattle's bicycling environment. In addition to commuting, he strives to ride his bicycle around his neighborhood as a means to more easily take his children to the park, etc. He is a founding member of the grassroots "Beacon B.I.K.E.S." organization which has been instrumental in planning and securing funding for the planned Beacon Hill Neighborhood Greenway.		
<b>Authorizing Signature:</b> 		<b>Name and Title of Officer Making Appointments:</b> Councilmember Tom Rasmussen

## DYLAN S. AHEARN

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### EDUCATION

Ph.D., Hydrology, University of California, Davis. May 2004.  
Dissertation: Biogeochemistry of the waterways in the last free-flowing watershed draining the western Sierra Nevada, California.  
Advisor: Dr. Randy Dahlgren  
Bachelor of Arts (Honors), Geology, Guilford College, December 1996.

### BIKING AND COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT EXPERIENCE

Daily bike commuter since 1996  
Have lived and commuted from North Seattle 2005-2008  
Have lived and commuted from South Seattle 2009-present  
Chair Beacon BIKES! 2011-present  
Member Seattle Neighborhood Greenways 2011-present  
Member North Beacon Hill Community Council 2009-present  
Member Cascade Bicycle Club 2010-present

### CONSULTING EXPERIENCE

**Senior Water Quality Scientist**, Herrera Environmental Consultants Inc., Seattle, WA 10/05 – present.  
Manage stormwater data analysis and monitoring projects for local, state, and international agencies, while supervising staff and leading marketing efforts.

### TEACHING EXPERIENCE

**Geology Professor**, Edmonds Community College, Lynnwood, WA 6/07 – present  
Instruct student in introductory online Geology class. Engage students in live online review sessions, issue and evaluate examinations, and correspond with students through email. Course covers the basic principles of physical and historical geology.  
**Stormwater Workshop Instructor**, Northwest Environmental Training Center Stormwater Monitoring Course, Seattle, WA 6/07 - present  
Teach interactive 2-day course on stormwater regulations and monitoring in the state of Washington. Instruct students in the principals of flow monitoring and automated sampling. Lead field trip to various monitoring locations including pipes, channels, and swales. Instruct students in the basic principals of nonparametric statistical analysis.  
**Community Educator**, Lodi, Ca 10/02, 3/04  
Provide consultation for community-based stormwater monitoring program run through the Lodi public high school. Give stormwater monitoring seminars to local educators, stakeholders, and high school students.

### REFERENCES

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## Seattle Bicycle Advisory Board

11 members: Per Resolution 25534, all subject to City Council confirmation, 2-year terms

- 5 Appointed by City Council
- 7 Appointed by Mayor (including YMCA Get Engaged program member)

D*	G	Position No.	Name	Appointed	Term Ends	Term #	Position	Appointed By
6	F	1	Allegra Calder	8-25-11	8-31-13	2	Co-Chair	Mayor
6	F	2	Jean White	8-28-09	8-31-13	2		City Council
3	M	3	Gabe Grijalva	8-25-11	8-31-13	2		Mayor
6	M	4	Neal Komedal	8-28-09	8-31-13	2		City Council
6	M	5	Max Hepp-Buchanan	8-25-11	8-31-13	2	Co-Chair	Mayor
6	M	6	Matthew Crane	8-28-09	8-31-13	2		City Council
3	M	7	Alfonso Lopez	Pending	8-31-14	1		Mayor
6	M	8	Dylan Ahearn	Pending	8-31-14	1		City Council
6	F	9	Kristi Rennebohm Franz	Pending	8-31-14	1		Mayor
6	F	10	Jessica Szelag	Pending	8-31-14	1		City Council
6	F	11	Jodi Connolly	Pending	8-31-14	2		Mayor
6	F	12	Elizabeth Nixon	8-25-11	8-31-12	N/A		Get Engaged— Mayor

### \*Diversity

	Men	Women	Vacant	Minority	(1) Asian-American	(2) African-American	(3) Hispanic Latin@	(4) Native-American	(5) Other**	(6) Caucasian
<b>Mayor</b>	3	3	0		0	0	2	0	0	4
<b>Council</b>	3	2	0		0	0	0	0	0	5
<b>Other Bodies</b>	N/A	N/A	N/A		N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
<b>Total</b>	6	5	0		0	0	2	0	0	9

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

## **Short Bios for 2012 Council SBAB appointments**

### **Dylan Ahearn:**

Dylan is an environmental consultant for Herrera, Inc. and has been a daily bicycle commuter for over 15 years. He currently resides in Beacon Hill but has lived in North Seattle as well, and has thorough firsthand knowledge of Seattle's bicycling environment. In addition to commuting, he strives to ride his bicycle around his neighborhood as a means to more easily take his children to the park, etc. He is a founding member of the grassroots "Beacon B.I.K.E.S." organization which has been instrumental in planning and securing funding for the planned Beacon Hill Neighborhood Greenway.

### **Jessica Szelag:**

Jessica is an outgoing and enthusiastic individual with a passion for both serving her community and bicycling. She has been working in the field of providing transportation options for over five years, first as a manager for Zipcar and currently as the program manager for Commute Seattle. Her experience managing and communicating complex policies and procedures, evaluating various transportation solutions, and working with diverse stakeholders has prepared her extremely well to serve on the Bicycle Advisory Board. Jessica also actively serves as chair of transportation committee for Greenwood Community Council.