City of Seattle
Notice of Appointment

Name: *Robert M. Dolin*		☐ **Executive Appointment** ☒ **Legislative Re-appointment** ☐ **Agency Appointment** ☐ **PDA Council** ☐ **PDA Constituency**
Residential Neighborhood: *Montlake*	**Zip Code:** *98112*	**Contact Phone No.:** *847-682-6440*
Appointed to: *Board Member, Citizens Telecommunications and Technology Advisory Board (CTTAB)*		**Date of Appointment:** *February 25th, 2013*
Authority (Ord., Res.): *Seattle Municipal Code (SMC) 21.60.060.*		**Term of Office:** **From:** *Confirmation* **To:** *January 1st, 2015*

Background:

Rob is currently the Chair of CTTAB and has served one term. He led CTTAB's Public Engagement, Web & Social Media Committee and served on the Apps & Open Data committee. He has also assisted DoIT in the Boost Communities Online training for neighborhood grant recipients.

Rob is a Senior Program Manager for the Microsoft Open Technologies team, and in the last seven years, he has worked on integrating social networking functionality from other services with Messenger, Hotmail, Outlook, Windows Phone, and Windows 8. His previous work on Microsoft Publisher has also included accessibility features. He has additional experience as Online Editor of the Daily Illini. Rob has been active in the King County Democrats and has also coded a blog, calendar and volunteer tracking system for them. He has a B.S. in Civil Engineering and Graduate Certificate in User-Centered Design. Rob is a Montlake resident.

Authorizing Signature: Bruce A. Harrell	**Name and Title of Officer Making Appointments:** *Bruce Harrell, City Councilmember*

Home:
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Robert M. Dolin

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Work:
One Microsoft Way | Redmond, WA 98052
425-705-5120

Education

University of Illinois — August 1997 – May 2001 — Urbana, IL

- B.S., Civil Engineering, 3.36 / 4.0 GPA, Class of May 2001
- Computer Science minor focusing on data structures and theory, 4.0 / 4.0 CS GPA
- Math minor focusing on probability and statistics, 3.9 / 4.0 Math GPA

University of Washington — January 2003 – December 2003 — Seattle, WA

- Graduate Certificate, User-Centered Design, 3.77 / 4.0 GPA

Experience

Microsoft Publisher — June 2001 - Present — Redmond, WA

Program Manager

- Developed design for Getting Started experience in Pub 2007 and prototyped with ASP.NET
- Drafted schema (XSD) and coordinating interactions to gather partner page size data as XML
- Co-invented three patents related to template morphing and drove feature crew for integrating these
- Prioritized requests for localization improvements and drastically reduced string count for Pub 2007
- Coordinated delivery of three service packs
- Drove project creating, tagging, testing, and integrating over 500 contractor-designed templates
- Lead Publisher team through 2002 Office Security Push
- Wrote specifications for integration between Publisher ".net" client and bCentral services (later cut)

Microsoft Publisher — Summer 2000 — Redmond, WA

Program Manager Intern

- Wrote specifications and developed demos for additional web-related functionality of MS Publisher
- Reviewed and presented regarding competing services in an area MS Publisher is looking to expand
- Raised $820 for the United Way of Seattle by organizing a casino theme social for interns

The Daily Illini — Fall 1999 -- Spring 2000 — Champaign, IL

Online Editor

- Oversaw staff of nine, managed re-design of website, and developed additional content
- Responsible for posting of the daily paper, appropriate advertising, and online only features

Gore 2000 — January 3 -- January 24, 2000 — Fort Dodge, IA

Field Organizer

- Coordinated precinct captains and campaign events for two counties for the Iowa Caucuses
- Developed and ran data analysis for 11 county area to determine likely caucus voters

Strata Decision Technology — Spring 1999 -- Summer 1999 — Champaign, IL

Software Tester

- Utilized products, reported errors / shortcomings, and generated suggestions for improvement
- Drafted and revised testing scripts

Honors and Awards

University of Illinois

- Completed requirements of the Campus Honors Program (Chancellor's Scholar)
- Elected to Atius and Sachem (second and third year leadership honorary organizations)
- Awarded Arnold B. Hoffman University Service Award by national fraternity at 2000 convention

New Trier High School

- Awarded Advanced Placement National Scholar recognition
- Individual Top Ten finishes in statewide Math, Academic Bowl, and Junior Engineering contests
- Team Top Ten finishes in statewide Math, Academic Bowl, and Chess competitions

Volunteer Activities

Illinois Student Government (ISG), College Democrats, and King County Democrats (KCD)

- Coordinated interaction between Campus Computing and ISG in developing an online voting system
- Designed, registered, and maintained College Democrats of America website for 2000 elections
- Coded a news/blog, calendar, and volunteer tracking system for KCD using ASP.NET, C#, and Access

Ms. Schultz,

I saw the note below about the Advisory Board below and wanted to send a note to express my interest.

As the timing is tight, I am attaching an older copy of my resume, but I would be glad to update it in the next few days if it would be useful for consideration. Two items I wanted to share that are not included in my resume:

- While I do not have a severe disability, I am color blind and was also responsible for accessibility features for Microsoft Publisher during a portion of my four years on the team; I am familiar with techniques and standards for making sure both applications and websites are accessible to persons with various disabilities
- In the last five years, I have worked on the MSN / Windows Live team integrating social networking functionality from Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn, YouTube, Flickr, etc. with Messenger and Hotmail so I could bring specific experience that would apply to integrating city services with the latest social networking and social media platforms.

Thanks very much for your consideration--
--Rob

Citizens Telecommunications & Technology Advisory Board

As of February 2013

9 members with two-year terms, renewable for one additional term; and
1 Get Engaged young adult member with a one year term. All subject to Council confirmation.

- 4 At Large — Appointed by Council
- 3 At Large — Appointed by Mayor
- 3 Special — Appointed by Mayor, representatives of
  - Education
  - Public Access to Telecommunications
  - Get Engaged young adult position

D*	G	Position No.	Name	Appointed	Term Ends	Term #	Position	Appointed By
6	M	1	Dolin, Robert	2/25/13	1/01/15	2nd	Chair, At Large	Council
6	M	2	Krokower, Ben	3/26/12	1/1/14	1st	Vice Chair, At Large	Council
6	F	3	Lewis, Dana	1/22/13	9/01/13	Only	Get Engaged	Mayor
1	M	4	Hsi, Brian	2/25/13	1/01/15	2nd	At Large	Council
6	F	5	Wedlake, Stacey	2/25/13	1/01/15	2nd	Education	Mayor
3	M	6	Carrillo, Jr, Daniel	2/25/13	1/01/15	2nd	At Large	Mayor
1	F	7	Fernandes, Beryl	3/26/12	1/1/14	1st	At Large	Mayor
6	F	8	Martin, Marina	2/25/13	1/01/15	2nd	At Large	Mayor
2	F	9	Nourisha Wells	2/25/13	1/1/15	1st	At Large	Council
1	M	10	Daniel Hoang	2/25/13	1/1/15	1st	Public Access	Mayor

Diversity (including new Council and Mayoral appointees)

	Men	Women	Vacant	Minority	(1) Asian-American	(2) African-American	(3) Hispanic Latin@	(4) Native-American	(5) Other**	(6) Caucasian
Mayor	2	4		3	2		1		*	3
Council	3	1		2	1	1				2
Other Bodies										
Total	*5*	*5*		*5*	*2*		*1*			*5*

**One member has color blindness.*