

The Seattle Design Commission: champions design excellence in the public realm; promotes design practices that serve as a catalyst for innovative sustainable development, equal opportunity and social inclusion; and ensures that the city's built environment makes Seattle a world-class example of sustainable urban design that strengthens community, public life and economic prosperity.

## Seattle Design Commissioners

Mary Johnston Chair Architect  
 Brendan Connolly Vice Chair Architect  
 Andrew Barash\* Licensed Engineer  
 Julie Bassuk Urban Planner  
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 Lauren Hauck\* Get Engaged Program  
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 Lolly Kunkler Licensed Engineer  
 Tom Nelson Architect  
 Julie Parrett Landscape Architect  
 Norie Sato Fine Artist  
 Don Vehige Urban Designer

\*Terms expired in 2010

## Staff

Guillermo Romano\* Executive Director  
 Valerie Kinast Coordinator  
 Tom Iurino Senior Staff  
 Joan James\* Staff  
 Liz Martini\* Graphic Design

\*Departed in 2010

## Projects Reviewed 69

<b>CIP</b> Capital Improvement Projects	31
<b>ROW</b> Right-of-Way Projects	4
<b>M</b> Major Projects	14
<b>P</b> Plans, Policies and Programs	20

## Estimated Cost of Projects Reviewed \$1.1 billion

## Workload Hours

Commissioner Hours	1286
Project Reviews	1087
Outside Reviews and Workshops	199
Staff Hours	3368

## Additional Accomplishments

The Commission broadened its work in 2010 to include collaborative work shaping Seattle's major infrastructure projects.

1. Served on the SDOT/DPD Central Waterfront Partnership Committee.
2. Developed with WSDOT the design guidelines for the tunnel portals.
3. Served on the SHA Yesler Terrace Citizens Advisory Committee.
4. Participated in WSDOT SR-520 Design and Transit Connections Workgroup's Montlake Triangle workshop.
5. Lobbied for more transit-oriented development planning.
6. Served on Public Art Advisory Committee.

## Special Project

1. Hosted the Holding Patterns workshop.

