

PROPOSED LANGUAGE: (See current CTTAB code below)**3.22.050 Seattle Technology Advisory Board—Membership and duties**

- A. The Seattle Technology Advisory Board (SeaTAB) consists of ten members.
1. SeaTAB has one member representing public access to information and communications technology, one member representing education, seven at-large members, and one young adult member from the Get Engaged: City Boards and Commissions program, governed by Chapter 3.51. Members must live or work at an address in the city of Seattle.
 2. Six members are appointed by the Mayor, subject to confirmation by the City Council, including the public access, education, and Get Engaged members. Four at-large members are appointed by the Council.
 3. With the exception of the Get Engaged program position whose term is governed by Chapter 3.51, the term of a member is two years. A member is eligible for reappointment to one additional two-year term. A member may serve again after a hiatus of at least seven years. Any vacancy in an unexpired term shall be filled in the same manner as the original appointment. If a person is appointed to fill the duration of an unexpired term, then that term shall count as one of the two consecutive terms only if the portion of the unexpired term actually served is at least one year.
 4. All members serve without compensation.
- B. The duties of SeaTAB are as follows:
1. To study and make recommendations to the Mayor and the City Council on issues referred to SeaTAB by the Mayor or Councilmembers relating to information and communications technology. SeaTAB members may also bring forward for consideration other issues of community-wide interest relating to information and communications technology if doing so does not conflict with issues referred by the Mayor or Council.
 2. Regarding information and communications technology issues, to conduct research, hearings, and workshops; to make written recommendations; and to report its findings and recommendations to the Mayor and Council; and
 3. To perform such other duties as may from time to time be appropriate and approved by resolution of the Seattle City Council.
- C. SeaTAB shall be staffed by an employee of the Department of Information Technology or other designee of the Chief Technology Officer.

CURRENT LANGUAGE:**Seattle Municipal Code**

Title 21 – UTILITIES, Subtitle V – CATV, Chapter 21.60 - CABLE COMMUNICATIONS, SubChapter I - In General

21.60.060 Citizens' Telecommunications and Technology Advisory Board—Membership and duties.

A. There shall be a Citizens' Telecommunications and Technology Advisory Board (CTTAB) consisting of ten members.

1. CTTAB, which shall include one member representing public access to telecommunications, one member representing education, one member from the Get Engaged: City Boards and Commissions (Get Engaged) program, and seven members-at-large, shall be staffed by a designee of the Executive who shall serve as Secretary to the Board. All members shall serve without compensation.

2. Effective January 1, 2011, a total of six members shall be appointed by the Mayor, subject to approval by the Council, including the representatives of public access, education, and one member from the Get Engaged program. Four at-large members shall be appointed by the Council.

3. With the exception of the Get Engaged program position whose term is governed by SMC Chapter 3.51, the initial regular term of each member shall be two years, and each of those members shall be eligible for reappointment by their assigned appointing authority (the Mayor or Council), to one additional two year term. A member may serve again after a hiatus of ten years.

4. Pursuant to the Get Engaged program, SMC Chapter 3.51, one designated young adult position shall be included on this Board. The terms of service related to a young adult member's role on this Board shall be set forth in that chapter.

B. The duties of the Telecommunications and Technology Advisory Board are as follows:

1. To study and make recommendations to the Mayor and the Council on issues referred to the Board by the Mayor or Councilmembers, of community-wide interest relating to telecommunications and technology, including such issues as cable television access, technology access, and regulatory issues within the City's authority regarding wire and wireless communication systems;

2. To conduct hearings and workshops upon, and to make written recommendations regarding telecommunications and technology issues as referred above, and report its findings and recommendations to the Mayor and Council; and

3. To perform such other duties as may from time to time be appropriate and approved by resolution of the Seattle City Council.