

CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER
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Michael B. Hancock
Mayor

To: Mayor Michael B. Hancock
From: Romaine Pacheco, Director
Date: December 15, 2022

BOARD: Denver Board of Public Health and Environment
Fenton

POC: William

BACKGROUND:

Members: Nine
Terms: Five years
Confirmation: Yes

The Board serves as the local board of health for Denver. The Board's primary functions include adopting rules and regulations, reviewing requests for variances from department laws and hearing appeals of decisions of the department manager, and otherwise assisting the department in developing policies.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

Catherine Cooney, Denver (F)(C) for a term expiring December 31, 2027, reappointed;

Gerene Duran, Denver (F)(AA) for a term expiring December 31, 2027, reappointed;

Jessica Brody, Denver (F)(C) for a term expiring December 31, 2027, appointed.

ACTION:

- Appoint Brody
- Reappoint Cooney and Duran
- Provide other candidates for consideration



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Contact Information

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DOB	[REDACTED]	Hispanic or Latino origin or Descent?	No
SSN	[REDACTED]	Race/Ethnicity	Caucasian
Gender	Female	Other Ethnicity	
Other Gender		Salutation	Ms.

Board Information

Board Name	Board of Public Health and Environment	Other boards or commissions served	
Status	New	Resigned	
Term Start Date			
Term End Date			

Work Information

Employer	Denver Water	Work Address	1600 W 12th Ave
Position	General Counsel	Work City	Denver
Business Phone #	3036288300	Work State	CO
Work Email		Work Zip	80204

Additional Information

Are you a registered voter?	Yes	Objection to appointment?	No
If so, what county?	Denver	Special Information	
Denver City Council District No	8		

Education and General Qualifications

Name of High School	Lower Merion High School	Name of Graduate School	Yale Law School
Location of High School	Ardmore, PA	Location of Graduate School	New Haven, CT
# of Years Attended High school	4	# of Years Attended Graduate School	3
Did you Graduate	Yes	Did you Graduate	Yes

High School

Graduate Major Law

Name of College Claremont McKenna College
Location of College Claremont, CA
of Years Attended College 4
Did you Graduate College Yes
Undergrad Major Philosophy, Politics, and Economics (PPE)

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JESSICA BRODY

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EMPLOYMENT:

- Denver Water, Denver, CO** 2018–present
General Counsel. Manages the Office of General Counsel, which provides legal advice and representation to Denver Water. Serves as legal advisor to the Denver Board of Water Commissioners.
- Denver City Attorney's Office, Denver, CO** 2013–2018
Assistant Director, Assistant City Attorney - Senior. Supervised a dozen attorneys within the Municipal Operations Section. Served as lead environmental lawyer for the City and County of Denver. Represented Denver in federal and state courts as well as administrative proceedings, counseled client agencies on all environmental laws, negotiated contracts, drafted laws and rules for the City, advised the Board of Public Health and Environment.
- Arnold & Porter, LLP, Denver, CO and Washington, DC** 2003–2013
Associate. Specialized in environmental law and litigation, including Natural Resource Damages, Superfund, Clean Water Act, Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, and Clean Air Act. Litigation experience included arguing before the Colorado Supreme Court, first chair roles in state court cases, and participating in federal trials and appeals.

EDUCATION:

- Yale Law School, J.D.** 2003
Activities: Yale Law and Policy Review, *Editor-in-Chief*, *Articles Editor*
Yale Law Women
- Claremont McKenna College, B.A.** 1999
Honors: *magna cum laude*
Harry S. Truman Scholar
Phi Beta Kappa

SELECT PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS:

- "Legal Aspects of the Final Lead & Copper Rule," AWWA webinar (January 2021) (with Randal Brown and David Krause)
- "Brownfields, Breweries, and Redevelopment in the Mile High City and Beyond," ABA Section of Environment, Energy, and Resources 24th Fall Conference (October 2016) (with Polly Jessen and Stuart Miner)
- "Deepwater Horizon Update: Early Restoration on an Unprecedented Scale," Marine Resources Committee Newsletter, Vol. 15, No. 1 (February 2012) (with George Green and Emma Lewis)

VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES:

- Colorado Water Conservation Board** 2019–present
City and County of Denver Basin Director and Current Chair. Represents Denver on the Colorado Water Conservation Board. Served as Vice-Chair from March 2020 to March 2021 and Chair from March 2021 to March 2022.
- Colorado Bar Association, Environmental Law Section** 2016–2022
Member of the Environmental Law Section Advisory Council. Plans continuing legal education programs and helps coordinate Environmental Law Section activities and events.
- Monarch Montessori School of Denver, Board of Directors** 2013–2022
Vice President. Helps oversee operations of a charter school and a nonprofit preschool. Participates in setting strategic objectives and policies.



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DOB	[REDACTED]	Hispanic or Latino origin or Descent?	No
SSN	[REDACTED]	Race/Ethnicity	African American
Gender	Female	Other Ethnicity	
Other Gender		Salutation	Dr.

Board Information

Board Name	Board of Public Health and Environment	Other boards or commissions served	Denver African American Commission; Human Rights & Community Partnerships Advisory Council; Public Health and Environment, Board of
Status	New	Resigned	
Term Start Date			
Term End Date			

Work Information

Employer	The Arc, Arapahoe, Douglas, & Elbert counties	Work Address	6538 S. Racine Cir
Position	Executive Director	Work City	Centennial
Business Phone #	303.220.9228	Work State	CO
Work Email		Work Zip	80111

Additional Information

Are you a registered voter?	Yes	Objection to appointment?	No
If so, what county?	Denver	Special Information	
Denver City Council District No	11		

Education and General Qualifications

Name of High School		Name of Graduate School	
Location of High School		Location of Graduate School	

of Years Attended
- High school
Did you Graduate
High School

of Years Attended
Graduate School
Did you Graduate
Graduate Major

Name of College
Location of College
of Years Attended
College
Did you Graduate
College
Undergrad Major

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Dr. Genee Duran grew up in northeast Denver in the Montbello community and is an alumna of Montbello High School. She holds a Doctorate in Human Services, Master's in Healthcare Administration, and a Bachelor of Arts in Communication. In addition, she is also a certified Mediator and has a certification in Public Relations as well. Dr. Duran has subject matter expertise in the fields of health care policy, managing federally qualified health centers, human services, community outreach and engagement, health systems change and cultural competence in health care. Dr. Duran is the Executive Director at The Arc, Arapahoe, Douglas, and Elbert Counties, as well as being the Chief Operating Officer of her own consulting firm Ducks in a Row, LLC.

Dr. Duran is the Chair of the Board of the Denver Department of Public Health and Environment, the Chair of the Advisory Board for the City and County of Denver's Agency on Human Rights and Community Partnerships, serves on the Family Advisory Council for Every Child Pediatrics, sits on the Board of Directors for Womxn's March Denver, is on the Doctoral Advisory Board for the University of Arizona Global campus, is a Denver Department of Transportation and Infrastructure Denver Moves Everyone Steering Committee Advisory Board member, a National Association for Career and Technical Education board member, and serves as the Co-Chair of the Denver African American Commission.

Although she has accomplished a great deal, she remains most proud of her 20-year-old son and 19 year old daughter, both who are juniors at Colorado State University, and 16-year-old daughter who is junior at Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Early College. Dr. Duran's greatest passions include providing a voice for underserved communities and affecting positive change through leadership, strategic planning, relationship building, effective change management, advocacy, social justice, and organizational training.



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DOB	[REDACTED]	Hispanic or Latino origin or Descent?	No
SSN	[REDACTED]	Race/Ethnicity	Caucasian
Gender	Female	Other Ethnicity	
Other Gender		Salutation	Ms.

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Board Name	Board of Public Health and Environment	Other boards or commissions served	
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Work Information

Employer	Cooney Consulting and Recruiting	Work Address	321 Glencoe St.
Position	COO	Work City	Denver
Business Phone #	3038816083	Work State	CO
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Additional Information

Are you a registered voter?	Yes	Objection to appointment?	No
If so, what county?	Denver	Special Information	
Denver City Council District No	5		

Education and General Qualifications

Name of High School	Summit High School	Name of Graduate School	
Location of High School	Frisco	Location of Graduate School	
# of Years Attended High school	4	# of Years Attended Graduate School	
Did you Graduate	Yes	Did you Graduate	

High School

Graduate Major

Name of College University of Denver
Location of College Denver
of Years Attended College 4
Did you Graduate College Yes
Undergrad Major BSBA

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CATHERINE COONEY

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OBJECTIVES

Over 20 years working in hospitality has expertly honed my business and administrative skills. I am a focused and enthusiastic professional, offering highly effective guest rapport, marketing, and business strategy to the restaurant industry. I am an effective coach and mentor for employees at every level. My skill set includes an extensive knowledge of Operations, which makes me a valuable asset to any growing or established restaurant brand. I am passionate about delivering great customer service and I live by the belief that your employee is your first customer. I am looking for a senior corporate or management position where I can utilize my strengths to positively impact sales and profitability while focusing on the internal and external guest experience.

EXPERIENCE

Founder, Cooney Consulting and Recruiting (Denver, CO) June 2020 - Present

- Manage full-cycle recruitment, including building a diverse and talented candidate pipeline, conducting resume screens, phone and in-person or video interviews, and expertly managing all stages of candidate experience across levels and functional areas.
- Build a strong brand and value proposition to attract top talent.
- Develop and refine the recruitment strategies, processes, and systems necessary to support clients, while ensuring an exceptionally positive candidate experience throughout.
- Build strong, trusting relationships with hiring managers throughout clientele.
- Craft a strategy to proactively source candidates, maintaining a pipeline of applicants for reoccurring and hard to fill positions.
- Sole point of contact for restaurant groups to assist with all staffing needs.

Director of Recruiting, TalentServed (Denver, CO) January 2020 - June 2020

- Manage full-cycle recruitment, including building a diverse and talented candidate pipeline, conducting resume screens, phone and in-person or video interviews, and expertly managing all stages of candidate experience across levels and functional areas.
- Develop and refine the recruitment strategies, processes, and systems necessary to support TalentServed Clients, while ensuring an exceptionally positive candidate experience throughout.
- Craft a strategy to proactively source candidates, maintaining a pipeline of applicants for reoccurring and hard to fill positions.
- Sole point of contact for restaurant groups to assist with all staffing needs.

General Manager, STK Restaurant (Denver, CO) November 2018 – January 2020

- **Responsible for the total operations**
- **Executed service and hospitality to build and maintain relationships with guest**
- **Responsible for hiring, payroll and scheduling**
- **Managed all marketing programs for restaurant**
- **Managed P&L L for multi-million dollar location**
- **Increased top line sales**
- **Consistently exceeded goals for administrative, food, and training audits**
- **Served as Training store for company**
- **Trained, coached, and mentored dozens of senior managers for company**

General Manager, Palm Restaurant (Denver, CO) April 2007 – October 2018

- **Responsible for the total operations of a world-class restaurant**
- **Executed service and hospitality to build and maintain relationships with guest**
- **Responsible for hiring, payroll and scheduling**
- **Managed all marketing programs for restaurant**
- **Managed P&L L for multi-million dollar location**
- **Consistently exceeded goals for administrative, food, and training audits**
- **Served as Training store for company**
- **Trained, coached, and mentored dozens of senior manager and chefs for company**
- **Built mutually beneficial and enduring relationship with Westin Hotel, in which Palm is located**

General Manager, Palm Restaurant (Dallas, TX) January 2005 – April 2007

- **Responsible for the total operations of a world-class restaurant**
- **Executed service and hospitality to build and maintain relationships with guest**
- **Responsible for hiring, payroll and scheduling**
- **Managed all marketing programs for restaurant**
- **Managed P and L effectively**
- **Consistently exceeded goals for administrative, food, and training audits**

Assistant General Manager, Palm Restaurant (Denver, CO) January 2000 – January 2005

- **Responsible for all new hire training in restaurant**
- **Responsible for overseeing training of FOH and BOH managers to prepare them for employment at other Palm locations**
- **Responsible for semi-monthly inventory of all goods, including wine and liquor**

Assistant Manager, Palm Restaurant (Denver, CO) August 1999 – January 2000

- **Beverage Manager**
 - **Responsible for purchasing and inventorying all beverage**
 - **Responsible for wine and cocktail menus**
 - **Responsible for controlling beverage costs and adhering to pricing standards**
 - **Responsible for ongoing staff training in beverage sales and expertise**
- **Guest Relations Manager**
 - **Managing servers and ensuring guest satisfaction during meal periods**

Assistant Manager, Palm Restaurant (Dallas, TX) July 1998 –August 1999

- **Beverage Manager**
 - Responsible for purchasing and inventorying all beverage
 - Responsible for wine and cocktail menus
 - Responsible for controlling beverage costs and adhering to pricing standards
 - Responsible for ongoing staff training in beverage sales and expertise
- **Guest Relations Manager**
 - Managing servers and ensuring guest satisfaction during meal periods

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

University of Denver, 1994-1998

- **Bachelor of Science Business Administration**
- **Degree in Hotel, Restaurant, and Tourism Management**

National Restaurant Association Solutions (current)

- **Serv Safe Certification–Serv Safe Food Protection Manager**
- **FMP – Food Management Professional Certification, NRAEF**

The Court of Master Sommeliers

- **First Level Sommelier Certification**

SKILLS

- **Microsoft Office Suite**
- **MICROS**
- **Data Central**
- **Social Media**

AFFILIATIONS, AND HONORS

- **2014 to 2017 President of Mile High Chapter of the Colorado Restaurant Association**
- **2017 to Present Treasurer of Mile High Chapter of the Colorado Restaurant Association**
- **Current Board member of Colorado Restaurant Association**
- **Current Board member of Department of Public Health and Environment City and County of Denver**
- **2016 Outstanding Professional– Colorado Restaurant Association**