

MEMORANDUM – DENVER COMMISSION ON AGING

TO:	City Council
CC:	
FROM:	Esther Lee Leach
DATE:	2/26/2024
PURPOSE:	Appointments for Denver Commission on Aging
PROCESS:	City Council Confirmation
PROJECT:	N/A
NEXT STEPS:	City Council Confirmation

BOARD/COMMISSION:

Denver Commission on Aging

STAFF: Lisana Munoz, HRCP, and Aisha Rousseau, Director of Special Projects HRCP

CURRENT BOARD STATUS: 2 Appointments, 1 Reappointment

The Denver Commission on Aging helps to make Denver the best community for older adults through *outreach, communication and advocacy including:*

- Advocating for their rights and concerns
- Empowering older adults through dissemination of information and sharing community resources
- Monitoring and recommending legislation and proposed policy changes affecting older adults

The Mayor appoints no less than 7 members and no more than 21 members and City Council confirms appointments for a term of 3 years.

APPOINTMENT CANDIDATES:

Carol LeBoo (Female, African American) Retired Attorney for a term: 03/01/2024 - 02/28/2027 or until a successor is duly appointed.

Haley Sanner (Female, White) Aging Services Program Lead, Colorado Health Network for a term: 03/01/2024 - 02/28/2027 or until a successor is duly appointed.

REAPPOINTMENT CANDIDATE:

Barb Walkosz (Female, White) Public Health Research/Klein Buendel, Inc. for a term: 03/01/2024 - 02/28/2027 or until a successor is duly appointed.

Kristine Burrows (Female, White) Director of Aging Care and Connections, Jewish Family Service of Colorado for a term: 03/01/2024 - 02/28/2027 or until a successor is duly appointed.

CURRENT BOARD

Andrea Kuwik, Lakewood (F)(C)	08-31-24
Erin Burke-Leaver, Denver (F)(C)	08-31-24
Kenny Williams, Denver (M)(C)	08-31-25
R. Jo Bunton Keel, Denver (F)(AA)	08-31-25
Gina Del Castillo, Wheat Ridge (F)(H)	08-31-25
Barbara Walkosz (F)(C)	up for reappointment
Kristine Burrows (F)(C)	up for reappointment