Memorandum

PREPARED FOR: Senate Committee on Rules and

Executive Appointments

DATE: May 20, 2024

BY: Leslie Porter, Legislative Analyst

RE: Legislative Review of Executive Appointments



RESIDENTIAL OMBUDSMAN AND PUBLIC GUARDIAN ADVISORY BOARD

The Governor has appointed the following individual to the Residential Ombudsman and Public Guardian Advisory Board subject to Senate confirmation.¹

New Appointee

Daniel Alrick of Ashland

Terms

July 1, 2024 - June 20, 2028

Appointment/Confirmation Authority

ORS 441.416 (2023)

Statement of Economic Interest²

Not required.

Composition³

The board consists of 11 Oregon residents, including:

- seven individuals appointed by the Governor (ALLEN, ALRICK, ST. JOHN, GLAUS, KAO, WILLIAMS, VACANT);
- one individual appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives (JANSSEN);
- one individual appointed by the President of the Senate (STOCK);
- one individual appointed by the House Minority Leader (J. TERRY); and
- one individual appointed by the Senate Minority Leader (D. TERRY).

Governor appointees may not have a financial or fiduciary interest in residential facilities, long term care facilities, or service providers, or involvement in the licensing or certification of residential facilities, long term care facilities, or service providers. One member is appointed by the Governor from each list of four names submitted by organizations for seniors, organizations for persons with mental illness, and the Oregon Council on Developmental Disabilities. Of the four remaining members, two must have

¹ Or. Const. art. III sect. 4, ORS 171.562 (2023), ORS 171.565 (2023).

² ORS 244.050 (2023).

³ ORS 446.416 (2023); ORS 182.100 (2023) for affirmative action policy; ORS 236.115 (2023) for diversity criteria.

expertise in the provision of guardianship, conservatorship, and other fiduciary services for persons with inadequate resources. Members serve four-year terms.

The board selects its chair and vice chair. The board must meet at least once each month and confer each month with the Long Term Care Ombudsman.

Duties⁴

The Long Term Care Ombudsman program serves long term care facility residents through complaint investigation, resolution, and advocacy for improvement in resident care. The board monitors the program and advises policymakers on related issues.

The board must:

- monitor the Long Term Care Ombudsman program;
- advise the Governor and the Legislative Assembly on the Long Term Care Ombudsman program; and
- nominate, after interviews and according to prescribed criteria, three persons to fill the Long Term Care Ombudsman position or to fill a vacancy in the position.

The board may review any action by the ombudsman appealable to the board and, if the board disagrees with the action of the ombudsman, refer the resolution back with instructions.

⁴ ORS 441.416 to 441.419 (2023).



LEGISLATIVE POLICY AND RESEARCH OFFICE

Residential Ombudsman and Public Guardian Advisory Board

Agency: Aging & People with Disabilities (ODHS)

Authorization: ORS 441.416

Min Members: 11 Max Members: 11

Term Length: 4 Term Limit: 2

Senate Confirmation Required?: Yes

Policy Area: Human Services

Board Admin: Fred Steele

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Current Appointments

Janssen, Roberta

House Speaker's Appointee

Position Number: 1

Mr Terry, Joseph W

House Minority Leader Appointment

Position Number: 2

Ms Stock, Sherry

Senate President's Appointment

Position Number: 3

Mr Terry, Dwight A

Senate Minority Leader's Appointment

Position Number: 4

Allen, Diana L

Governor's Appointee

Position Number: 5

St. John, Melanie

Governor's Appointee

Position Number: 6

Glaus, Ronald

Governor's Appointee

Position Number: 7

Herried, Katherine

Governor's Appointee Position Number: 8

Term(s):

8/7/2023 - 8/6/2027

Term(s):

10/1/2016 - 6/30/2020

7/1/2023 - 6/30/2027

10/1/2019 - 6/30/2023

Term(s):

Term(s):

7/1/2022 - 6/30/2026

Term(s): 7/1/2023 - 6/30/2027

7/1/2019 - 6/30/2023

Term(s):

4/26/2023 - 6/30/2025

Term(s):

9/28/2022 - 6/30/2026

Term(s):

7/1/2024 - 6/30/2028

Kao, Helen S MD Term(s): 7/1/2022 - 6/30/2026 7/1/2018 - 6/30/2022 Governor's Appointee Position Number: 9 9/25/2017 - 6/30/2018 Mr Williams, Mark M Term(s): 12/17/2022 - 12/16/2024 Governor Appointee (Expertise in guardianship, 12/17/2018 - 12/16/2022 conservatorship, and fiduciary services) Position Number: 10 Hines, Allen M Term(s): 2/14/2020 - 2/13/2024 Governor's Appointee - Intellectual and DD Expertise Position Number: 11 Mr Alrick, Daniel L Term(s): 7/1/2024 - 6/30/2028 IDD Expertise (OCDD Recommendation) Position Number: 11

Vacant Positions