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).



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 Address: 830 D Street NE S, OR 97301 503-983-5985 Fred.STEELE@rights.oregon.gov

Current Appointments

Janssen, Roberta	Term(s):	8/7/2023 - 8/6/2027
House Speaker's Appointee		-
Position Number: 1		-
Mr Terry, Joseph W	Term(s):	10/1/2016 - 6/30/2020
House Minority Leader Appointment		
Position Number: 2		
Ms Stock, Sherry	Term(s):	7/1/2023 - 6/30/2027
Senate President's Appointment		10/1/2019 - 6/30/2023
Position Number: 3		
Mr Terry, Dwight A	Term(s):	7/1/2022 - 6/30/2026
Senate Minority Leader's Appointment		
Position Number: 4		
Allen, Diana L	Term(s):	7/1/2023 - 6/30/2027
Governor's Appointee		7/1/2019 - 6/30/2023
Position Number: 5		
St. John, Melanie	Term(s):	4/26/2023 - 6/30/2025
Governor's Appointee		
Position Number: 6		
Glaus, Ronald	Term(s):	9/28/2022 - 6/30/2026
Governor's Appointee		
Position Number: 7		
Herried, Katherine	Term(s):	7/1/2024 - 6/30/2028
Governor's Appointee		
Position Number: 8		

Kao, Helen S MD	Term(s):	7/1/2022 - 6/30/2026
Governor's Appointee		7/1/2018 - 6/30/2022
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, conservatorship, and fiduciary services)		12/17/2018 - 12/16/2022
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		