

# **Gig Harbor Special City Council Meeting**

**May 2, 2012  
5:30 p.m.**



**AGENDA FOR  
GIG HARBOR CITY COUNCIL  
SPECIAL MEETING  
Monday, May 2, 2012 – 5:30 p.m.**

**CALL TO ORDER:**

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:**

**NEW BUSINESS:**

1. Pierce Transit Board of Commissioners Ballot.

**ADJOURN:** To the Joint City Council / Parks Commission Workstudy Session.



May 1, 2012

Mayor  
City of

Dear Mayor :

Recently, you were sent a letter from Pierce Transit requesting your Council's nomination of a representative to fill the at-large position elected by the Auburn, Fircrest, Gig Harbor, Pacific, Ruston, and Steilacoom City Councils.

Nominations received as of April 30, 2012, were:

Nancy Henderson, Steilacoom  
Derek Young, Gig Harbor

At your **NEXT** council meeting, please select one nominee from those provided. **A certified copy of the council resolution or motion must accompany the enclosed ballot.** Please forward the ballot and appropriate verification to me **immediately following your council meeting.**

Bios are included for both nominees.

If you have any questions, please email me at [tpercival@piercetransit.org](mailto:tpercival@piercetransit.org) or call me at 253-581-8066.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Treva Percival".

Treva Percival, MMC  
Clerk of the Board

Enclosure

cc: Pierce Transit Board of Commissioners  
Lynne Griffith, Chief Executive Officer  
City Clerk

Nancy E. Henderson  
Steilacoom Councilmember, Position 4  
1204 Chambers St.  
Steilacoom, WA 98388  
253-584-7284  
nehenders@comcast.net

**Personal:**

Washington native raised in Vancouver, WA.  
13 year Steilacoom resident.  
Married to Steilacoom High School Coach Mike Henderson for 38 years.

**Education:**

PhD in Rehabilitation, Texas Woman's University  
Master of Physical Therapy, US Army-Baylor University  
Bachelor of Science, Washington State University  
Graduate, US Army War College

**Public/Community Service:**

Town of Steilacoom Parks and Trails Advisory Task Force since 2008  
Steilacoom Kiwanis  
Steilacoom Historical Museum Association  
Chair, South Sound Chapter, Greater Puget Sound AFS Intercultural Programs  
Volunteer, Steilacoom Historical School District #1.  
Consultant, Federation of State Boards of Physical Therapy Examiners

**Employment:**

Served in the Army for 30+ years.  
Physical therapist since 1974

**Elected Experience:**

Steilacoom Town Councilmember, since Jan 2012

**Statement:**

I am very interested in promotion of policies, programs, and planning which lead to an increase in the number of citizens who use public transit as an alternative to strictly automobile use. As a representative for the six small cities and towns in the Pierce County Public Transportation Benefit Area population, I look forward to working collaboratively with Board members to advance optimal use of Pierce Transit finances and resources, and to improve infrastructure, physical and financial assets, safety, and especially ridership.

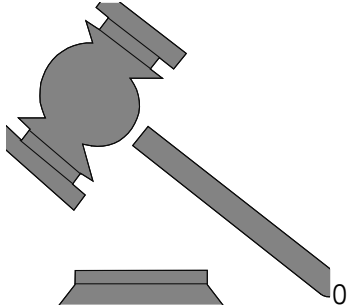
**Derek Young Bio**  
**Gig Harbor City Council**

Born in Shelbyville, Indiana in 1976, Derek moved to Gig Harbor with his family 1989. He attended elementary, middle school, and high school in the Peninsula School District until graduating in 1994 from Gig Harbor High School and then attending the University of Washington.

After a several years in banking & governmental affairs, Derek started Empression Media, a marketing and PR firm serving small businesses and non-profits.

Derek was first elected to the Gig Harbor City Council in 1997 at the age of 21 and won re-election 3 times since. In addition to chairing the Lodging Tax Advisory Committee, he serves on the Planning/Building & Finance Committees. For the past 8 years he has represented Gig Harbor on the Pierce County Regional Council and 3 years representing Pierce County cities (other than Tacoma) on the Puget Sound Regional Council Executive Board.

Outside of government Derek is a trustee for Forterra, formerly Cascade Land Conservancy, and an ex officio member of Pierce County's Tourism Promotion Area Board.



## OFFICIAL BALLOT

Candidates: Nancy Henderson, Steilacoom  
Derek Young, Gig Harbor

The city/town of \_\_\_\_\_ wishes to cast its vote for Councilmember/Mayor \_\_\_\_\_ of the City of \_\_\_\_\_ to serve as a member of the Board of Commissioners for Pierce Transit for a three-year term, May 8, 2012, to December 31, 2015, representing the Cities and Towns of Auburn, Pacific, Ruston, Steilacoom, Gig Harbor, and Fircrest.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

This form must be accompanied by a certified copy of the council resolution or motion. Ballots must be received by Pierce Transit's Clerk of the Board by **5 p.m., May 8, 2012..**