



## Port of Seattle Commission

# Candidate Application Materials and Instructions

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The following items must be submitted with your completed application as four separate documents and included in one email:

- Cover Letter (with current address and contact information, no longer than one page)
- Resume (no longer than two pages)
- References (at least four [4] references, both personal and professional)
- Completed Port Commission Candidate Questionnaire (please use questionnaire included below)

When submitting the Commissioner Application, save the questionnaire to your computer, then complete the form.

Please use this document naming protocol:

LASTNAME\_FIRSTNAME\_DOCUMENTNAME. For example: Smith\_Jamie\_Application

**Applications must be submitted between January 10, 2013 and February 1, 2013 by 12:00 p.m. (noon) to [CommissionerApplications@portseattle.org](mailto:CommissionerApplications@portseattle.org). Application submitted outside of this timeframe will not be considered.**

The slate of four to six finalists will be announced on February 12, 2013 and background and reference checks will be completed for the finalists before February 26, 2013.

# Port of Seattle Commission Candidate Questionnaire

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Instructions: Please use this form to complete your responses. Keep your answers brief and to the point.

1. Why do you want to be a Port of Seattle Commissioner?

2. What in your background or experience qualifies you to be a Port Commissioner? List or describe both your professional experience and community involvement that you believe are relevant to this position.

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3. On December 4, 2012, the Port Commission adopted the [Century Agenda](#), our vision to help grow 100,000 new jobs for our region in the next 25 years. What do you feel are the most important aspects of the Century Agenda and why? What role would you play in helping the Port achieve the four regional initiatives and the strategies and objectives laid out in the Century Agenda?

4. The Port Commission is committed to ensuring that the economic opportunity generated by the Port is shared by all communities across King County. Describe your efforts to ensure that organizations to which you belong reflect and serve the whole community.

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5. There are 75 port districts located in Washington state. How do you see Washington ports most effectively impacting the state economy?