

## **Government Affairs Externship Opportunity**

The Government Affairs section of the Seattle City Attorney's office is seeking a law student to work as an extern 10-40 hours a week during summer 2015.

Our section provides client advice and handles litigation in a number of areas, including constitutional law (with an emphasis on First Amendment issues), public records and open meetings, tax, elections, ethics, and municipal bonds. The extern would perform legal research, draft memoranda and pleadings, with particular emphasis on Washington's Public Records Act (RCW Chapter 42.56), and assist with other tasks as needed.

Applicants should have excellent research and writing capabilities and be able to work well (and amiably) under deadline pressure. Experience with and interest in open government matters is a plus.

Please submit a letter of interest, resume, writing sample and references to Mary Perry, Government Affairs Section, Seattle City Attorney's Office, 701 Fifth Ave., Suite 2050, Seattle, WA 98104 or email to [mary.perry@seattle.gov](mailto:mary.perry@seattle.gov).

This is an unpaid position, but we are happy to work with your law school so that you may obtain externship credit. This position is open until filled.

If you have questions, please contact Mary Perry at (206) 733-9309.