



King County

1200 King County
Courthouse
516 Third Avenue
Seattle, WA 98104

Meeting Agenda

Metropolitan King County Council

*Councilmembers: Sarah Perry, Chair;
Jorge Barón, Vice Chair of Policy Development and Review;
Reagan Dunn, Vice Chair of Regional Coordination;
Claudia Balducci, Rod Dembowski, Steffanie Fain,
Rhonda Lewis, Teresa Mosqueda, Pete von Reichbauer*

1:30 PM

Tuesday, February 10, 2026

Hybrid Meeting

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1. **Call to Order**
2. **Roll Call**
3. **Flag Salute and Pledge of Allegiance**
Councilmember Lewis
4. **Approval of Minutes of February 3, 2026**
Councilmember Barón
5. **Additions to the Council Agenda**
6. **Special Item**

Recognition of Mary Yu for her distinguished career, dedicated service, and commitment to fairness, justice, and respect for all.

Councilmember Barón and Councilmember Dembowski



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There will be one public hearing on Items 6-11

Motions, from Standing Committees and Regional Committees and Motions related to Collective Bargaining, for Council Action

Consent Items 7-11

Councilmember Barón

7. Proposed Motion No. 2025-0217

A MOTION acknowledging receipt of the third annual report on the second Best Starts for Kids initiative, in accordance with Ordinance 19354.

Sponsors: Mosqueda and von Reichbauer

On 9/2/2025, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Health, Housing, and Human Services Committee.

On 12/2/2025, the Health, Housing, and Human Services Committee Recommended Do Pass Consent.

On 1/20/2026, the Metropolitan King County Council Reintroduced.

On 1/26/2026, the Regional Policy Committee Recommended Do Pass Consent.

8. Proposed Motion No. 2025-0237

A MOTION approving the 2024 annual mental illness and drug dependency evaluation summary report, in compliance with K.C.C. 4A.500.309.

Sponsors: Mosqueda and von Reichbauer

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9. [Proposed Motion No. 2025-0340](#)

A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of Laura Zaichkin, who resides in council district eight, to the Harborview Medical Center board of trustees, as the district eight representative.

Sponsors: Mosqueda

On 11/4/2025, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Committee of the Whole.

On 1/27/2026, the Committee of the Whole Recommended Do Pass Consent.

On 1/27/2026, the Metropolitan King County Council Reintroduced.

10. [Proposed Substitute Motion No. 2025-0355.2](#)

A MOTION confirming the appointment of Minh Duc Nguyen to the citizens' elections oversight committee as a representative of the Vietnamese-speaking community.

Sponsors: Perry

On 11/25/2025, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Employment and Administration Committee.

On 12/2/2025, the Employment and Administration Committee Deferred.

On 1/6/2026, the Metropolitan King County Council Reintroduced.

On 2/3/2026, the Employment and Administration Committee Recommended Do Pass Consent.

11. [Proposed Motion No. 2026-0001](#)

A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of Richa Malik, who resides in council district nine, to the Harborview Medical Center board of trustees, as the council district seven representative.

Sponsors: von Reichbauer

On 1/6/2026, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Committee of the Whole.

On 1/27/2026, the Committee of the Whole Recommended Do Pass Consent.



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12. Reports on Special and Outside Committees**Other Business****Adjournment**

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