

King County

1200 King County Courthouse 516 Third Avenue Seattle, WA 98104

Meeting Minutes Budget and Fiscal Management Committee

Councilmembers: Rod Dembowski, Chair; Jorge L. Barón, Vice Chair; Claudia Balducci, Teresa Mosqueda, Sarah Perry, De'Sean Quinn, Girmay Zahilay

Lead Staff: April Sanders (206-263-3412)
Committee Clerk: Gabbi Williams (206-477-7470)

9:30 AM

Wednesday, September 10, 2025

Hybrid Meeting

DRAFT MINUTES

1. Call to Order

Chair Dembowski called the meeting to order at 9:31 a.m.

2. Roll Call

Present: 7 - Balducci, Barón, Dembowski, Mosqueda, Perry, Quinn and Zahilay

3. Approval of Minutes

Councilmember Barón moved approval of the August 27, 2025 meeting minutes. There being no objections, the minutes were approved.

4. Public Comment

The following individuals were present to provide public comment: Braden Sigua, SAAS (Rob Phillips and Gisella Furlongo), Daniel O'Leary, Russ Norman, Brad Augustine, Jill Cranauer, Glen Hiemstra, Catherine Burns, Mike Sack, Julaina Costa, Cole Keehona, Ender Moss, Lydia O'Taylor, Corrina Chatterton, Matt Corsi, Nicole Kern, Hilary Santini, Wendy Yim, David Coffee, J.Z., Francisca, Rep. Nicole Marci, Alison Eisinger, Dane Austreng, Sara Larsen, John Edens, Rev. Anita Peebles, Mindy Crandall, Audrey Manzaneres, and Eliza Bang.

Discussion and Possible Action

5. Proposed Ordinance No. 2025-0251

AN ORDINANCE establishing the Broadway Facility fund; and adding a new section to K.C.C. chapter 4A.200.

Sam Porter, Council staff, briefed the committee and answered questions from the members. Kelly Rider, Director, Department of Community and Human Services (DCHS), Susan McLaughlin, Director, Behavioral Health and Recovery Division, DCHS, and Dwight Dively, Director, Office of Performance, Strategy, and Budget, also addressed the committee and answered questions from the members.

The Chair recessed the meeting into Executive Session under RCW 42.30.110 to discuss with legal counsel legal risk of a proposed action when public knowledge regarding the discussion is likely to result in an adverse legal or financial consequence to the County at 11:35 a.m. for 10 minutes. The Executive Session was extended by 5 minutes. The Executive Session was extended for an additional 5 minutes. The Chair reconvened the meeting at 11:55 a.m.

A motion was made by Councilmember Barón that this Ordinance be Passed Out of Committee Without a Recommendation. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 7 - Balducci, Barón, Dembowski, Mosqueda, Perry, Quinn and Zahilay

6. Proposed Ordinance No. 2025-0250

AN ORDINANCE relating to the Broadway Facility appropriation; making a supplemental appropriation of \$41,568,000 to the Broadway Facility fund; and adding a new section to the 2025 Annual Budget Ordinance, Ordinance 19861.

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Councilmember Mosqueda moved Amendment 1. The Amendment was adopted. Councilmember Balducci offered a verbal amendment to Amendment 1 to strike "\$1,000" and insert "\$100,000" on line 4. The verbal amendment was accepted. Councilmember Dembowski offered a verbal amendment to Amendment 1 to insert "and budget" after "timeline"on line 9. The verbal amendment was accepted.

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Yes: 7 - Balducci, Barón, Dembowski, Mosqueda, Perry, Quinn and Zahilay

7. Proposed Ordinance No. 2025-0249

AN ORDINANCE amending Ordinance 19862, enacted December 2, 2024, which authorized the issuance of limited tax general obligation bonds of the county; and amending Ordinance 19862, Section 1, as amended, Section 2, as amended, Section 4, as amended, Section 13, as amended, Section 17, as amended, and Section 19, as amended, and repealing Ordinance 19954, Attachment B.

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8. Proposed Ordinance No. 2025-0260

AN ORDINANCE revising the loan agreement between King County and the Pacific Science Center Foundation.

April Sanders, Council staff, briefed the committee and answered questions from the members.

This matter was expedited to the September16, 2025 Council agenda.

A motion was made by Councilmember Barón that this Ordinance be Recommended Do Pass Consent. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 7 - Balducci, Barón, Dembowski, Mosqueda, Perry, Quinn and Zahilay

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There was no other business to come before the committee.

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Approved this _____ day of ____