



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 24, 2026

Hybrid Meeting

Hybrid Meetings: Attend King County Council meetings in person in Council Chambers (Room 1001), 516 3rd Avenue in Seattle, or through remote access. Details on how to attend and/or provide comment remotely are listed below.

HOW TO PROVIDE PUBLIC TESTIMONY: The Council values community input and looks forward to hearing from you. Testimony must be limited to items listed on the agenda for council action, unless it's the fourth Tuesday of the month, when the Council will hear general comment on matters relating to county government. You are not required to sign up in advance.

There are three ways to provide public testimony:

1. **In person:** You may attend the meeting in person in Council Chambers.
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3. Listen to the meeting by telephone – See “Connecting to the Webinar” above.

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1. **Call to Order**

2. **Roll Call**

3. **Flag Salute and Pledge of Allegiance**

Councilmember Barón

4. **Approval of Minutes of February 17, 2026**

Councilmember Barón

5. **Additions to the Council Agenda**

6. **Special Item**

Proclamation of February 24, 2026, as Twin Peaks Day in King County

Councilmember Perry

Recognition of Brooke Caddock for her 27 years of service to King County

Councilmember Dembowski

7. **Public Comment**

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Hearing and Second Reading of Ordinances from Standing Committees and Regional Committees, and of Ordinances related to Collective Bargaining

There will be one public hearing on Items 6-11

Consent Items 8-9

Councilmember Barón

8. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2025-0277](#)

AN ORDINANCE related to the contracting opportunities program and small contractor and supplier certification and criteria for participation; allowing for automatically qualifying firms certified by the Washington state Office of Minority and Women's Business Enterprises; allowing for removing minimum business-related training requirements to maintain certification; and amending Ordinance 13983, Section 4, as amended, and K.C.C. 2.97.050.

Sponsors: Mosqueda

On 11/4/2025, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Government Accountability and Oversight Committee.

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

On 2/10/2026, the Government Accountability and Oversight Committee Recommended Do Pass Consent.

9. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2026-0020](#)

AN ORDINANCE adopting the revision of voting precincts of King County for the year 2026.

Sponsors: von Reichbauer

On 2/3/2026, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Government Accountability and Oversight Committee.

On 2/10/2026, the Government Accountability and Oversight Committee Recommended Do Pass Consent.

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Local Services and Land Use*Councilmember Dunn***10. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2026-0014](#)**

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the executive to enter into a housing cooperation agreement with the Housing Authority of the County of King to facilitate the development of low-income housing in accordance with chapter 35.83 RCW.

Sponsors: Lewis

On 1/20/2026, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Local Services and Land Use Committee.

On 2/18/2026, the Local Services and Land Use Committee Recommended Do Pass.

Public Hearing Required

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

Consent Item 11*Councilmember Barón***11. [Proposed Motion No. 2025-0324](#)**

A MOTION acknowledging receipt of the summary letter and completion of the online annual report requirement for the Veterans, Seniors, and Human Services Levy, in accordance with Ordinance 19604, Section 6.B., and Attachment A to Ordinance 19719, Section IV.H.

Sponsors: Dembowski

On 1/13/2026, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Budget and Fiscal Management Committee.

On 1/14/2026, the Budget and Fiscal Management Committee Recommended Do Pass.

On 2/11/2026, the Regional Policy Committee Recommended Do Pass Consent.



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First Reading and Referral of Ordinances

12. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2026-0010](#)

AN ORDINANCE denying the petition to vacate a portion of SE 256th Street, V-2773 Petitioner: Dawson Investments, LLC.

Sponsors: Perry

First Reading and Referral to the Hearing Examiner

13. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2026-0022](#)

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the King County executive to execute an amendment to the Landscape Conservation and Local Infrastructure Program interlocal agreement between the city of Seattle and King County to update the list of open space improvement projects authorized by the program.

Sponsors: Dembowski

First Reading and Referral to the Local Services and Land Use Committee

14. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2026-0028](#)

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the execution of a lease at an existing location to support the operation of the department of natural resources and parks.

Sponsors: Dembowski

First Reading and Referral to the Budget and Fiscal Management Committee

15. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2026-0030](#)

AN ORDINANCE approving an application for current use assessment for public benefit rating system, submitted by Jason Gwerder for property located at 38723 191st Avenue SE, Auburn, WA 98092, designated department of natural resources and parks, water and land resources division file no. E25CT009.

Sponsors: Perry

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16. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2026-0031](#)

AN ORDINANCE approving an application for current use assessment for public benefit rating system, submitted by Monte and Mary Shiley for property located at 37917 170th Avenue SE, Enumclaw, WA 98022, designated department of natural resources and parks, water and land resources division file no. E25CT012.

Sponsors: Perry

First Reading and Referral to the Hearing Examiner

17. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2026-0032](#)

AN ORDINANCE approving an application for current use assessment for public benefit rating system, submitted by Nils Anderson Irrevocable Trust for property located at 34430 NE 120nd Way, Carnation, WA 98014, designated department of natural resources and parks, water and land resources division file no. E25CT017.

Sponsors: Perry

First Reading and Referral to the Hearing Examiner

18. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2026-0033](#)

AN ORDINANCE approving an application for current use assessment for public benefit rating system, submitted by Cathryn Baerwald for property located at 7521 Ames Lake Carnation Road NE, Carnation, WA 98014, designated department of natural resources and parks, water and land resources division file no. E25CT020.

Sponsors: Perry

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19. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2026-0034](#)

AN ORDINANCE approving an application for current use assessment for public benefit rating system, submitted by Cheryl Grunbock for property located at 11212 SE Bank Road, Vashon, WA 98070, designated department of natural resources and parks, water and land resources division file no. E25CT028.

Sponsors: Perry

First Reading and Referral to the Hearing Examiner

20. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2026-0035](#)

AN ORDINANCE approving an application for current use assessment for public benefit rating system, submitted by Kerry and Sarah Dochow for property located at 31515 NE Tolt Hill Road, Carnation, WA 98014, designated department of natural resources and parks, water and land resources division file no. E25CT031.

Sponsors: Perry

First Reading and Referral to the Hearing Examiner

21. **Reports on Special and Outside Committees**

Other Business

Adjournment

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