



# King County

1200 King County  
Courthouse  
516 Third Avenue  
Seattle, WA 98104

## Meeting Minutes Committee of the Whole

*Jorge Barón, Chair*  
*Claudia Balducci, Vice Chair;*  
*Rod Dembowski, Reagan Dunn, Steffanie Fain, Rhonda Lewis,*  
*Teresa Mosqueda, Sarah Perry, Pete von Reichbauer*

*Lead Staff: Andy Micklow (206-263-3226)*  
*Committee Clerk: Blake Wells (206-263-1617)*

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3:00 PM

Monday, June 8, 2026

Hybrid Meeting

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### SPECIAL MEETING - DRAFT MINUTES

1. **Call to Order**

*Chair Barón called the meeting to order at 3:00 PM.*

2. **Roll Call**

**Present:** 9 - Balducci, Barón, Dembowski, Dunn, Fain, Lewis, Mosqueda, Perry and von Reichbauer

3. **Approval of Minutes**

*Councilmember Perry moved approval of the May 26, 2026 meeting minutes. There being no objections, the minutes were approved.*

4. **Public Comment**

*The following people provided public comment:*

*Alex Tsimerman*  
*Nela Cumming*

## Discussion and Possible Action

5. [Proposed Motion No. 2026-0081](#)

A MOTION confirming the appointment of Susan McLaughlin as director of the King County department of community and human services.

*Sam Porter, Council staff, and Hyeok Kim, Chief Operating Officer, King County Executive’s Office, briefed the committee. Dr. Susan McLaughlin, appointee, also briefed the committee and answered questions from the members.*

*This item was expedited to the June 16, 2026 meeting of the Metropolitan King County Council.*

*Councilmember Dembowski requested to be added as a sponsor for this item.*

**A motion was made by Councilmember Mosqueda that this motion be recommended do pass consent. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Yes:** 9 - Balducci, Barón, Dembowski, Dunn, Fain, Lewis, Mosqueda, Perry and von Reichbauer

## Briefing

6. [Briefing No. 2026-B0077](#)

Response to Motion 16970 relating to King County Regional Homelessness Authority

*William Towey, Associate Deputy, Strategy, King County Regional Homelessness Authority, briefed the committee via PowerPoint presentation and answered questions from the members. Hyeok Kim, Chief Operating Officer, King County Executive’s Office, Aaron Rubardt, Chief Budget Officer, King County Executive’s Office, and Amber Green, Deputy Director, Department of Community and Human Services, also briefed the committee via PowerPoint presentation and answered questions from the members.*

**This matter was presented.**

## Adjournment

*The meeting was adjourned at 5:14 PM.*

Approved this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_

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Clerk's Signature