



King County

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Meeting Minutes Government Accountability and Oversight Committee

Councilmembers:

*Pete von Reichbauer, Chair;
Claudia Balducci, Vice Chair;
Rod Dembowski*

Lead Staff: Jenny Ngo (206-263-2115)

Committee Clerk: Angelica Calderon (206-477-0874)

9:30 AM

Tuesday, March 9, 2021

Virtual Meeting

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1. **Call to Order**

Chair von Reichbauer called the meeting of the Government Accountability and Oversight Committee to order at 9:31 a.m

2. **Roll Call**

Present: 3 - Ms. Balducci, Mr. Dembowski and Mr. von Reichbauer

3. **Approval of Minutes**

Councilmember Balducci moved approval of the February 9, 20201 meeting minutes. Seeing no objection, the minutes were approved.

Briefing

4. **[Briefing No. 2021-B0040](#)**

CEOC briefing

Miranda Leskinen, Council Staff, briefed the Committee on the legislation and answered questions from the members. Kyle Vixie, Chair, Citizens' Elections Oversight Committee, briefed the Committee and answered questions from the members. Julie Wise, Director of Elections offered some comments.

Stefan Sharkansky, member, Citizens' Elections Oversight Committee was present to comment before the Committee and answered questions from the members.

This matter was Presented

5. [Briefing No. 2021-B0041](#)

Elections briefing

Julie Wise, Elections Director, briefed the Committee via PowerPoint presentation and answered questions from the members.

This matter was Presented

Discussion and Possible Action

6. [Proposed Motion No. 2021-0106](#)

A MOTION approving the Puget Sound Emergency Radio Network operator articles of incorporation and proposed bylaws to provide policies and rules for the conduct of meetings, proceedings and business for the Puget Sound Emergency Radio Network Operator board of directors.

Sponsors: Mr. von Reichbauer

Miranda Leskinen, Council Staff, briefed the Committee on the legislation and answered questions from the members. Kimberly Nuber, Deputy Division Director, Emergency Radio Communications Division and David Mendel, Director, Emergency Radio Communications Division, KCIT were present to offer comments and answer questions from the members.

This item was expedited to March 16, 2021 Council Agenda.

A motion was made by Vice Chair Balducci that this Motion be Recommended Do Pass Consent. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 3 - Ms. Balducci, Mr. Dembowski and Mr. von Reichbauer

7. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2021-0107](#)

AN ORDINANCE related to authorizing the executive to enter into an agreement or agreements between King County and the Puget Sound Emergency Radio Network Operator for the conduct of recruitment and hiring processes and permitting county employees to serve as the Puget Sound Emergency Radio Network Operator executive director and staff.

Sponsors: Mr. von Reichbauer

Miranda Leskinen, Council Staff, briefed the Committee on the legislation and answered questions from the members. Councilmember Balducci moved amendment 1 and the Title amendment T1. The amendments were adopted.

This item was expedited to March 16, 2021 Council Agenda.

A motion was made by Vice Chair Balducci that this Ordinance be Recommended Do Pass Substitute Consent. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 3 - Ms. Balducci, Mr. Dembowski and Mr. von Reichbauer

Briefing

8. [Briefing No. 2021-B0042](#)

Cybersecurity Audit Briefing

Kymer Waltmunson, King County Auditor, briefed the Committee and answered questions from the Committee.

The Chair recessed the meeting into executive session at 10:50 a.m. under RCW 42.30.110(1)(a)(ii), regarding information related to systems security and/or vulnerabilities and other information that if made public may increase the risk to the confidentiality, integrity, or availability of agency security or to information technology infrastructure or assets. The meeting reconvened at 11:09 a.m.

This matter was Presented

Other Business

There was no other business to come before the Committee.

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 11:09 a.m.

Approved this _____ day of _____

Clerk's Signature