



King County

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Meeting Agenda Metropolitan King County Council

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

11:00 AM

Tuesday, January 21, 2025

Hybrid Meeting

SPECIAL MEETING

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1. **Call to Order**
2. **Roll Call**
3. **Flag Salute and Pledge of Allegiance**

Councilmember Balducci



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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 4-7 and 9

First Reading of and Action on Motions Without Referral to Committee

4. [Proposed Motion No. 2025-0022](#)

A MOTION making an appointment to fill the vacancy in the position of state Representative for the 41st Legislative District.

Sponsors: Balducci

SUBJECT TO A MOTION TO SUSPEND THE RULES TO TAKE ACTION WITHOUT REFERRAL TO COMMITTEE PURSUANT TO K.C.C. 1.24.085

5. [Proposed Motion No. 2025-0023](#)

A MOTION making an appointment to fill the vacancy in the position of state Senator for the 34th Legislative District.

Sponsors: Mosqueda



SUBJECT TO A MOTION TO SUSPEND THE RULES TO TAKE ACTION WITHOUT REFERRAL TO COMMITTEE PURSUANT TO K.C.C. 1.24.085

6. [Proposed Motion No. 2025-0024](#)

A MOTION making an appointment to fill the vacancy in the position of state Representative for the 34th Legislative District.

Sponsors: Mosqueda

SUBJECT TO A MOTION TO SUSPEND THE RULES TO TAKE ACTION WITHOUT REFERRAL TO COMMITTEE PURSUANT TO K.C.C. 1.24.085

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Budget and Fiscal Management

Councilmember Zahilay

7. [Proposed Substitute Ordinance No. 2024-0402.2](#)

AN ORDINANCE providing for the submission to the qualified electors of King County at a special election to be held in King County on April 22, 2025, of a proposition to reauthorize an expired regular property tax levy in excess of the levy limitation contained in chapter 84.55 RCW, for a consecutive seven year period beginning in 2026 at the rate of not more than \$0.0275 per one thousand dollars of assessed valuation, with the 2026 levy amount being the base for computing maximum allowable levy amounts under chapter 84.55 RCW for years two through seven (2027-2032), for the purpose of funding the continued operation of the regional automated fingerprint identification system, also known as AFIS, which maintains expanded crime scene and arrest identification technology and services for all local criminal justice agencies in King County.

Sponsors: Zahilay and von Reichbauer

On 12/10/2024, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Budget and Fiscal Management Committee.

On 1/7/2025, the Metropolitan King County Council Reintroduced.

On 1/8/2025, the Budget and Fiscal Management Committee Recommended Do Pass Substitute.

On 1/8/2025, the Regional Policy Committee Recommended Do Pass.

Public Hearing Required

Hearing Examiner Consent Agenda Item 8

Councilmember Dembowski



8. [Proposed Substitute Ordinance No. 2024-0280.2](#)

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the vacation of a portion of 104th Ave SW/Summit Ave and a portion of 105th Ave SW/Bluff Ave, V-2760; Petitioner: Andrew Tristani.

Sponsors: Upthegrove

On 9/17/2024, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Hearing Examiner.

On 1/7/2025, the Metropolitan King County Council Reintroduced.

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Reappointment Consent Agenda Item 9

Councilmember Dunn

9. [Proposed Motion No. 2025-0013](#)

A MOTION confirming the executive's reappointment of Sam Rapoport, who resides in council district two, to the King County conservation futures advisory committee, as a council at-large representative.

Sponsors: Zahilay

First Reading and Referral of Ordinances

10. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2025-0012](#)

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the execution of a lease amendment to support the operation of natural resources and parks.

Sponsors: Zahilay

First Reading and Referral to the Budget and Fiscal Management Committee

11. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2025-0017](#)

AN ORDINANCE approving and adopting the Collective Bargaining Agreement negotiated by and between King County and the King County Sheriff's Office Marshals' Guild, representing employees in the Marshals job classification in the King County sheriff's office, the Arbitrator's award, and the Police Officers Bill of Rights; and establishing the effective date of said agreement and award.

Sponsors: Upthegrove

First Reading and Referral to the Metropolitan King County Council



First Reading and Referral of Motions

12. [Proposed Motion No. 2024-0407](#)

A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of Amy Calderwood, who resides in council district four, to the King County board of ethics.

Sponsors: Barón

First Reading and Referral to the Government Accountability and Oversight Committee

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13. [Proposed Motion No. 2024-0415](#)

A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of Meron Girma, who resides in council district four, to the King County immigrant and refugee commission.

Sponsors: Barón

First Reading and Referral to the Committee of the Whole

14. [Proposed Motion No. 2025-0020](#)

A MOTION relating to public transportation, requesting the executive to fully engage on a regional task force on transit safety and security to address public safety in the communities in which the King County Metro transit department operates.

Sponsors: Dunn

First Reading and Referral to the Committee of the Whole

Reintroductions of Ordinances

15. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2022-0301](#)

AN ORDINANCE determining the Shoreline Park and Recreation District is inactive under state law and it is in the public interest to dissolve the Shoreline Park and Recreation District.

Sponsors: Dembowski

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

On 7/26/2022, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Local Services and Land Use Committee.

On 8/23/2022, the Metropolitan King County Council Referred to Local Services and Land Use Committee.

On 1/24/2023, the Metropolitan King County Council Reintroduced.

On 1/16/2024, the Metropolitan King County Council Reintroduced.

On 8/20/2024, the Metropolitan King County Council Hearing held/closed and deferred.

16. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2024-0252](#)

AN ORDINANCE approving the Valley View Sewer District 2023 General Sewer Plan dated February 21, 2023.

Sponsors: Mosqueda

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

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17. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2024-0261](#)

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the King County executive to enter into an interlocal agreement with the City of Shoreline to implement a regional program to transfer development rights from lands in unincorporated King County into the city of Shoreline.

Sponsors: Dembowski

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

On 8/27/2024, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Local Services and Land Use Committee.

18. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2024-0262](#)

AN ORDINANCE related to expanding eligible uses of transfer of development rights bank amenity funding; and amending Ordinance 13733, Section 14, as amended, and K.C.C. 21A.37.150.

Sponsors: Dembowski

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

On 8/27/2024, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Local Services and Land Use Committee.



19. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2024-0281](#)

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the executive to execute an extension from ten to twenty years for a service agreement approved under Ordinance 18472, for the purchase of renewable electricity with Puget Sound Energy.

Sponsors: Dembowski

First Reading and Referral to the Transportation, Economy, and Environment Committee

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Reintroductions of Motions

20. [Proposed Motion No. 2024-0008](#)

A MOTION acknowledging receipt of the new pandemic response plan required by Motion 15650.

Sponsors: Balducci

First Reading and Referral to the Health and Human Services Committee

On 1/16/2024, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Committee of the Whole.

On 6/11/2024, the Metropolitan King County Council Re-referred to Health and Human Services Committee.

21. [Proposed Motion No. 2024-0056](#)

A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of Gracie McDanold, who resides in council district nine, to the King County children and youth advisory board.

Sponsors: Dunn

First Reading and Referral to the Health and Human Services Committee

On 7/9/2024, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Health and Human Services Committee.

22. [Proposed Motion No. 2024-0225](#)



A MOTION acknowledging receipt of the 2023 health through housing annual report, in accordance with K.C.C. chapter 24.30.

Sponsors: Balducci

First Reading and Referral to the Committee of the Whole

On 8/20/2024, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Regional Policy Committee.

On 1/8/2025, the Regional Policy Committee Recommended Do Pass.

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23. [Proposed Motion No. 2024-0243](#)

A MOTION approving the 2023 annual mental illness and drug dependency evaluation summary report, in compliance with K.C.C. 4A.500.309.

Sponsors: von Reichbauer

First Reading and Referral to the Health and Human Services Committee

On 11/5/2024, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Regional Policy Committee.

On 1/8/2025, the Regional Policy Committee Recommended Do Pass.

24. [Proposed Motion No. 2024-0330](#)

A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of Maria Langbauer, who resides in council district eight, to the King County women's advisory board, as the district eight representative.

Sponsors: Mosqueda

First Reading and Referral to the Health and Human Services Committee

On 11/19/2024, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Health and Human Services Committee.

25. [Proposed Motion No. 2024-0335](#)

A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of Shawn Armour, who resides in council district nine, to the King County children and youth advisory board, as an at-large representative.

Sponsors: Dunn

First Reading and Referral to the Health and Human Services Committee

On 11/19/2024, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Health and Human Services Committee.

26. [Proposed Motion No. 2024-0336](#)

A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of Merob Kebede, who resides in council district six, to the King County children and youth advisory board, as the youth representative.

Sponsors: Balducci

First Reading and Referral to the Health and Human Services Committee

On 10/15/2024, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Health and Human Services Committee.



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27. [Proposed Motion No. 2024-0337](#)

A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of Kristina Brown, who resides in council district three, to the King County children and youth advisory board, as an at-large representative.

Sponsors: Perry

First Reading and Referral to the Health and Human Services Committee

On 10/22/2024, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Health and Human Services Committee.

28. [Proposed Motion No. 2024-0339](#)

A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of Angela Phan, who resides in council district six, to the King County children and youth advisory board, as an at-large representative.

Sponsors: Balducci

First Reading and Referral to the Health and Human Services Committee

On 10/15/2024, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Health and Human Services Committee.

29. [Proposed Motion No. 2024-0358](#)

A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of Daniel Kim, who resides in council district seven, to the King County conservation futures advisory committee, as a council at-large representative.

Sponsors: von Reichbauer

First Reading and Referral to the Transportation, Economy, and Environment Committee

On 11/5/2024, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Transportation, Economy, and Environment Committee.

30. [Proposed Motion No. 2024-0362](#)

A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of Richard Bard, who resides in council district eight, to the King County Vashon-Maury Island groundwater protection committee, representing Vashon-Maury Island residents.

Sponsors: Mosqueda

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

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31. [Proposed Motion No. 2024-0363](#)

A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of Donna Klemka, who resides in council district eight, to the King County Vashon-Maury Island groundwater protection committee, representing residential exempt well owners.

Sponsors: Mosqueda

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

On 11/19/2024, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Local Services and Land Use Committee.

32. [Proposed Motion No. 2024-0378](#)

A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of Richard Anderson, who resides in council district three, to the King County landmarks commission, representing a professional historian.

Sponsors: Perry

First Reading and Referral to the Committee of the Whole

On 11/12/2024, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Committee of the Whole.

33. [Proposed Motion No. 2024-0380](#)

A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of Laura Murphy, who resides in council district nine, to the King County landmarks commission, representing a professional archaeologist.

Sponsors: Dunn

First Reading and Referral to the Committee of the Whole

On 11/19/2024, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Committee of the Whole.

34. [Proposed Motion No. 2024-0381](#)

A MOTION acknowledging receipt of the food waste recycling alternatives analysis report as required by the 2023-2024 Biennial Budget Ordinance, Ordinance 19546, Section 129, Proviso P1.

Sponsors: Dembowski

First Reading and Referral to the Transportation, Economy, and Environment Committee

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35. [Proposed Motion No. 2024-0407](#)

A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of Amy Calderwood, who resides in council district four, to the King County board of ethics.

Sponsors: Barón

First Reading and Referral to the Government Accountability and Oversight Committee

36. [Proposed Motion No. 2024-0415](#)

A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of Meron Girma, who resides in council district four, to the King County immigrant and refugee commission.

Sponsors: Barón

First Reading and Referral to the Committee of the Whole

37. [Proposed Motion No. 2024-0388](#)

A MOTION confirming the appointment of Bethany Fackrell to the King County cultural development authority (4Culture) board.

Sponsors: Perry

First Reading and Referral to the Committee of the Whole

On 11/19/2024, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Committee of the Whole.

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



Other Business

Proclamation/Recognition Presented in the Community

Proclamation of January 2025 as Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Month in King County

Councilmember Zahilay

Adjournment

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