



King County  
Meeting Proceedings

1200 King County Courthouse  
516 Third Avenue  
Seattle, WA 98104

General Government and Labor Relations  
Committee

**Councilmembers: Larry Gossett, Chair; Pete von Reichbauer, Vice Chair;  
Larry Phillips**

**Staff: Mike Alvine (296-0350), Lead Analyst; Marilyn Cope (296-1671),  
Analyst;  
Jennifer Giambattista (296-1646), Analyst;  
Olivia Aguilar (296-1691), Committee Assistant**

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Room 1001

February 13, 2007

1:30 PM

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**Call to Order**

*The meeting was called to order at 1:40 p.m.*

**Roll Call**

Present: Mr. Gossett, Mr. von Reichbauer and Mr. Phillips

**1. Approval of Minutes**

*The minutes of the January 23, 2007 were approved as presented.*

**Discussion and Possible Action**

**2. Proposed Motion No. 2007-0038**

**Ms. Hague and Mr. Gossett**

A MOTION confirming the appointment of Frank Radford as a representative of a junior taxing district to the King County citizens' elections oversight committee.

*Mike Alvine, Council Staff, briefed the committee. Frank Radford, appointee to the Citizens Election Oversight Committee, representing junior taxing districts, answered questions from the members.*

*Councilmember Phillips moved an amendment which specified the date of council action. The amendment passed unanimously.*

**Amended**

**A motion was made by Mr. Phillips that this matter be Recommended Do Pass Substitute Consent. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Votes:** Yes: 3 - Mr. Gossett, Mr. von Reichbauer and Mr. Phillips

No: 0

Excused: 0

**3. Proposed Motion No. 2006-0496**

**Mr. Ferguson**

A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of Betty Suttle, who resides in council district one, to the King County wheelchair accessible taxi advisory committee.

**Deferred**

*Mike Alvine, Council Staff, briefed the committee on Items No. 4-7 together. Gary Lieberg, Bernice Robinson, Richard Martell, and Robert Blumenfeld, appointees to the Wheelchair Accessible Taxi Advisory Committee, answered questions from the members.*

4. **Proposed Motion No. 2006-0497**

**Mr. Constantine**

A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of Gary Lieberg, who resides in council district eight, to the King County wheelchair accessible taxi advisory committee.

**A motion was made by Mr. Phillips that this matter be Recommended Do Pass Consent. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Votes:** Yes: 3 - Mr. Gossett, Mr. von Reichbauer and Mr. Phillips  
No: 0  
Excused: 0

5. **Proposed Motion No. 2006-0498**

**Mr. von Reichbauer**

A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of Bernice Robinson, who resides in council district seven, to the King County wheelchair accessible taxi advisory committee.

**A motion was made by Mr. Phillips that this matter be Recommended Do Pass Consent. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Votes:** Yes: 3 - Mr. Gossett, Mr. von Reichbauer and Mr. Phillips  
No: 0  
Excused: 0

6. **Proposed Motion No. 2006-0500**

**Ms. Patterson**

A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of Richard Martell, who resides in council district five, to the King County wheelchair accessible taxi advisory committee.

**A motion was made by Mr. Phillips that this matter be Recommended Do Pass Consent. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Votes:** Yes: 3 - Mr. Gossett, Mr. von Reichbauer and Mr. Phillips  
No: 0  
Excused: 0

7. **Proposed Motion No. 2006-0502**

**Ms. Lambert**

A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of Robert Blumenfeld, who resides in council district three, to the King County wheelchair accessible taxi advisory committee.

**A motion was made by Mr. Phillips that this matter be Recommended Do Pass Consent. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Votes:** Yes: 3 - Mr. Gossett, Mr. von Reichbauer and Mr. Phillips  
No: 0  
Excused: 0

*Mike Alvine, Council Staff, briefed the committee on Items No. 8 & 9 together and answered questions from the members. John Lynn, Business Agent, General Teamsters Union, Local 174, and Trish Murphy, Labor Negotiator, Labor Relations, DES, answered questions from the members.*

*John Arsenian, offered public comment. He distributed written information to the members.*

*The Chair ordered PO 2007-0063 and PO 2007-0064 to be expedited and placed on the February 20, 2007 Council agenda for action.*

8. **Proposed Ordinance No. 2007-0063**

**Mr. Gossett and Mr. Phillips**

between King County and Teamsters Local 174 representing employees in the departments of natural resources and parks and transportation; and establishing the effective date of said agreement.

**A motion was made by Mr. von Reichbauer that this matter be Recommended Do Pass Consent. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Votes:** Yes: 3 - Mr. Gossett, Mr. von Reichbauer and Mr. Phillips  
No: 0  
Excused: 0

9. **Proposed Ordinance No. 2007-0064**

**Mr. Gossett and Mr. Phillips**

AN ORDINANCE approving and adopting the collective bargaining agreement negotiated by and between King County and Teamsters Local 174 representing employees in the departments of natural resources and parks and transportation; and establishing the effective date of said agreement.

**A motion was made by Mr. von Reichbauer that this matter be Recommended Do Pass Consent. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Votes:** Yes: 3 - Mr. Gossett, Mr. von Reichbauer and Mr. Phillips  
No: 0  
Excused: 0

*Mike Alvine, Council Staff, briefed the committee on the two new proposed labor policies and answered questions from the members. Dustin Frederick, Co-Chair of the King County Labor Coalition, spoke in favor of the labor policies.*

*The members approved the labor policies and the Chair noted that the policies would be referred to the Committee of the Whole.*

10. Committee Action on labor policy relating to employee performance evaluations

11. Committee Action on labor policy relating to employee productivity programs

## **Briefing**

12. **Briefing No. 2007-B0033**

Audit Survey of Internal Control Self-Assessment

*Allan Thompson, Senior Financial Auditor, and Wendy Soo Hoo, Senior Management Auditor, briefed the committee and answered questions from the members during a powerpoint presentation entitled "Survey of Internal Controls" dated February 13, 2007. Mr. Alvine answered questions from the members.*

**This matter was Presented.**

## Other Business

*There was no further business to come before the committee.*

## Adjournment

*The meeting was adjourned at 3:00 p.m.*

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

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Clerk's Signature