



King County

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Meeting Agenda Metropolitan King County Council

*Councilmembers: Claudia Balducci, Chair;
Joe McDermott, Vice Chair of Policy Development and Review;
Reagan Dunn, Vice Chair of Regional Coordination;
Rod Dembowski, Jeanne Kohl-Welles, Kathy Lambert, Dave Upthegrove, Pete von Reichbauer, Girmay
Zahilay*

1:00 PM

Tuesday, June 23, 2020

Virtual Meeting

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1. **Call to Order**
2. **Roll Call**
3. **Flag Salute and Pledge of Allegiance**
4. **Approval of Minutes of June 9, 2020**
Councilmember McDermott
5. **Additions to the Council Agenda**
6. **Special Items**

Proclamation of June 2020 as LGBTQ Pride Month in King County

Councilmember McDermott

Proclamation of June 19, 2020, as Juneteenth in King County

Councilmember Zahilay and Councilmember Balducci

7. General Public Comment

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 8-17

Budget and Fiscal Management

Councilmember Kohl-Welles

8. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2020-0004](#)

AN ORDINANCE relating to an aerial easement, over a portion of 13800 SE 32nd St, Bellevue, within council district six.

Sponsors: Ms. Kohl-Welles

On 2/18/2020, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Budget and Fiscal Management Committee.

Public Hearing Required

SUBJECT TO A MOTION TO RELIEVE THE COMMITTEE OF FURTHER CONSIDERATION PURSUANT TO K.C.C. 1.24.125

9. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2020-0171](#)

AN ORDINANCE providing long-term financing for capital needs of the county's sewer system by authorizing the issuance of sewer revenue bonds and limited tax general obligation bonds (payable from sewer revenues) of the county in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$825,000,000 to provide funds for acquiring and constructing improvements to the sewer system; authorizing the issuance of sewer revenue bonds and limited tax general obligation bonds (payable from sewer revenues) of the county for refunding outstanding obligations of the county payable from sewer revenues; providing for the form, terms and covenants of such bonds; providing for the sale of the bonds in one or more series; establishing funds for the receipt and expenditure of bond proceeds and for the payment of the bonds; pledging sewer revenues to pay the principal of and interest on sewer revenue bonds issued under this ordinance; and pledging the annual levy of taxes and an additional pledge of sewer revenues to pay the principal of and interest on limited tax general obligation bonds (payable from sewer revenues) issued under this ordinance.

Sponsors: Ms. Kohl-Welles

On 4/28/2020, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Budget and Fiscal Management Committee.

Public Hearing Required

**SUBJECT TO A MOTION TO RELIEVE THE COMMITTEE OF FURTHER CONSIDERATION
PURSUANT TO K.C.C. 1.24.125**

10. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2020-0188](#)

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the executive to execute an amendment to an agreement approved under Ordinance 18959 with the Washington state Department of Ecology for loan financing for a wastewater capital project.

Sponsors: Ms. Kohl-Welles

On 5/26/2020, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Budget and Fiscal Management Committee.

Public Hearing Required

**SUBJECT TO A MOTION TO RELIEVE THE COMMITTEE OF FURTHER CONSIDERATION
PURSUANT TO K.C.C. 1.24.125**

11. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2020-0197](#)

AN ORDINANCE providing long-term financing for capital needs of the county's sewer system by authorizing the issuance of junior lien sewer revenue bonds and multi-modal limited tax general obligation bonds (payable from sewer revenues) of the county in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$250,000,000 to provide funds for acquiring and constructing improvements to the sewer system; providing for the form, terms and covenants of such bonds; providing for the sale of the bonds in one or more series; establishing funds for the receipt and expenditure of bond proceeds and for the payment of the bonds; pledging sewer revenues to pay the principal of and interest on junior lien sewer revenue bonds issued under this ordinance; and pledging the annual levy of taxes and an additional pledge of sewer revenues to pay the principal of and interest on multi-modal limited tax general obligation bonds issued under this ordinance.

Sponsors: Ms. Kohl-Welles

On 6/9/2020, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Budget and Fiscal Management Committee.

Public Hearing Required

**SUBJECT TO A MOTION TO RELIEVE THE COMMITTEE OF FURTHER CONSIDERATION
PURSUANT TO K.C.C. 1.24.125**

12. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2020-0199](#)

AN ORDINANCE ratifying the executive emergency budget crisis proclamation.

Sponsors: Ms. Kohl-Welles and Ms. Balducci

On 6/9/2020, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Budget and Fiscal Management Committee.

Public Hearing Required

**SUBJECT TO A MOTION TO RELIEVE THE COMMITTEE OF FURTHER CONSIDERATION
PURSUANT TO K.C.C. 1.24.125**

Committee of the Whole

Councilmember McDermott

13. [Proposed Substitute Ordinance No. 2019-0236.2](#)

AN ORDINANCE proposing an amendment to the King County Charter to clarify when an inquest will be held and to require the county to assign an attorney to represent the family of the decedent in the inquest proceeding; amending Section 895 of the King County Charter; and submitting the same to the qualified voters of the county for their ratification or rejection at the next general election occurring more than forty-five days after the enactment of this ordinance.

Sponsors: Mr. Zahilay, Ms. Kohl-Welles, Mr. Dembowski, Mr. McDermott and Ms. Balducci

On 1/28/2020, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Committee of the Whole.

On 6/16/2020, the Committee of the Whole Recommended Do Pass Substitute.

Public Hearing Required

14. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2020-0176](#)

AN ORDINANCE providing for the submission to the qualified electors of King County, at a general election to be held on November 3, 2020, of a proposition authorizing the county to issue its general obligation bonds in the aggregate principal amount of not to exceed \$1,740,000,000 or so much thereof as may be issued under the laws governing the indebtedness of counties, for the purpose of providing funds to pay for public health, safety and seismic improvements for Harborview Medical Center.

Sponsors: Mr. McDermott, Mr. Dembowski and Ms. Kohl-Welles

On 4/28/2020, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Committee of the Whole.

On 5/19/2020, the Committee of the Whole Deferred.

On 6/16/2020, the Committee of the Whole Recommended Do Pass.

Public Hearing Required

15. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2020-0191](#)

AN ORDINANCE relating to residential and commercial tenant protections during the COVID-19 pandemic; and declaring an emergency.

Sponsors: Ms. Balducci, Mr. Zahilay and Ms. Kohl-Welles

On 5/26/2020, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Committee of the Whole.

On 6/2/2020, the Committee of the Whole Deferred.

On 6/9/2020, the Metropolitan King County Council Deferred.

Public Hearing Required

**SUBJECT TO A MOTION TO RELIEVE THE COMMITTEE OF FURTHER CONSIDERATION
PURSUANT TO K.C.C. 1.24.125**

Mobility and Environment

Councilmember Dembowski

16. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2020-0032](#)

AN ORDINANCE relating to development regulations; adopting provisions for a microhousing demonstration project, in accordance with K.C.C. 21A.55.010; and adding a new section to K.C.C. chapter 21A.55.

Sponsors: Mr. McDermott

On 3/24/2020, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Mobility and Environment Committee.

On 6/9/2020, the Metropolitan King County Council Deferred.

Public Hearing Required

First Reading of and Action on Emergency Ordinances Without Referral to Committee

17. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2020-0211](#)

AN ORDINANCE related to COVID-19; making a supplemental appropriation of \$19,390,000 to several general fund agencies; making a supplemental appropriation of \$46,450,000 to several non-general fund agencies; making a supplemental appropriation of \$2,487,000 to capital improvement fund 3310; making a supplemental appropriation of \$2,057,000 to capital improvement fund 3951; amending the 2019-2020 Biennial Budget Ordinance, Ordinance 18835, Sections 24, 32, 35, 43, 76, 81, 85, 95, 103, 116, 118 and 126, as amended, and Attachment A, as amended; and declaring an emergency.

Sponsors: Ms. Kohl-Welles

Public Hearing Required

SUBJECT TO A MOTION TO SUSPEND THE RULES TO HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING LESS THAN SEVEN DAYS AFTER FIRST READING PURSUANT TO K.C.C. 1.24.095 AND A MOTION TO SUSPEND THE RULES TO TAKE ACTION WITHOUT REFERRAL TO COMMITTEE PURSUANT TO K.C.C. 1.24.085

Hearing Examiner Consent Agenda

Councilmember Dembowski

18. [Proposed Substitute Ordinance No. 2020-0064.2](#)

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the vacation of a portion of 90th Ave SW, file no. V-2716; Petitioners: Stewart Schill and Weslie Brown.

Sponsors: Ms. Balducci

On 2/11/2020, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Hearing Examiner.

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

Committee of the Whole

Councilmember McDermott

19. [Proposed Substitute Motion No. 2020-0183.2](#)

A MOTION requesting that the King County office of emergency management and public health - Seattle & King County work collaboratively to update the King County Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan, Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan, Regional Coordination Framework, continuity of government plans and all other relevant emergency management plans and documents to address the risks from and response to pandemics, incorporating lessons learned from the COVID-19 outbreak, and to develop a pandemic response plan for King County.

Sponsors: Mr. Dunn

On 5/12/2020, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Committee of the Whole.

On 6/2/2020, the Committee of the Whole Recommended Do Pass Substitute.

20. [Proposed Substitute Motion No. 2020-0192.2](#)

A MOTION requesting the county treasurer to provide for payment agreements for 2020 property taxes.

Sponsors: Mr. Dunn

On 5/26/2020, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Committee of the Whole.

On 6/16/2020, the Committee of the Whole Recommended Do Pass Substitute.

21. [Proposed Motion No. 2020-0208](#)

A MOTION relating to economic recovery, requesting the executive to allow restaurants and retail services in the unincorporated areas of King County flexibility to provide additional or new outdoor dining or retail opportunities during the phased reopening allowed as part of the governor's Safe Start plan.

Sponsors: Ms. Lambert and Mr. McDermott

On 6/9/2020, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Committee of the Whole.

On 6/16/2020, the Committee of the Whole Recommended Do Pass.

Mobility and Environment

Councilmember Dembowski

22. [Proposed Motion No. 2020-0112](#)

A MOTION related to the transfer of retired vanpool vans to nonprofit organizations and local governments to meet the needs of low-income, elderly, disabled and young county residents.

Sponsors: Mr. Dembowski and Mr. von Reichbauer

On 3/10/2020, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Mobility and Environment Committee.

**SUBJECT TO A MOTION TO RELIEVE THE COMMITTEE OF FURTHER CONSIDERATION
PURSUANT TO K.C.C. 1.24.125**

First Reading of and Action on Motions Without Referral to Committee**23. [Proposed Motion No. 2020-0214](#)**

A MOTION reappointing Amy Calderwood as the ombuds, the director of the King County office of citizen complaints/tax advisor.

Sponsors: Ms. Balducci

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

24. [Proposed Motion No. 2020-0215](#)

A MOTION appointing James McCarthy to a vacant position on the Town of Beaux Arts Village Town Council.

Sponsors: Ms. Balducci

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

First Reading and Referral of Ordinances

25. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2020-0194](#)

AN ORDINANCE approving the Water System Plan for King County Water District 123.

Sponsors: Ms. Lambert

First Reading and Referral to the Local Services Committee

26. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2020-0202](#)

AN ORDINANCE relating to a capital improvement project; making a supplemental appropriation of \$15,526,000 to the building repair and replacement fund; and amending the 2019-2020 Biennial Budget Ordinance, Ordinance 18835, Section 126, as amended, and Attachment A, as amended.

Sponsors: Ms. Kohl-Welles

First Reading and Referral to the Budget and Fiscal Management Committee

27. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2020-0209](#)

AN ORDINANCE approving and adopting the memorandum of agreement regarding the COVID-19 Emergency - COVID-19 Testing Agreement covering employees in the Seattle-King County department of public health and the department of community and human services; and establishing the effective date of the agreement.

Sponsors: Ms. Balducci

First Reading and Referral to the Metropolitan King County Council

28. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2020-0210](#)

AN ORDINANCE relating to the sale of thermal energy transferred to or from the King County wastewater treatment system and authorizing the King County executive to enter into contracts for sewage heat recovery projects with private users.

Sponsors: Mr. Dembowski

First Reading and Referral to the Mobility and Environment Committee

29. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2020-0212](#)

AN ORDINANCE approving and adopting a memorandum of agreement regarding the COVID-19 Emergency - COVID Care Sites Staffing Agreement covering employees in the Seattle-King County department of public health and the department of community and human services; and establishing the effective date of the agreement.

Sponsors: Ms. Balducci

First Reading and Referral to the Metropolitan King County Council

30. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2020-0213](#)

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the King County executive to execute the Puget Sound Emergency Radio Network Operator Interlocal Cooperation Agreement with the cities of Auburn, Bellevue, Federal Way, Issaquah, Kent, Kirkland, Mercer Island, Redmond, Renton, Seattle and Tukwila, relating to the ownership, governance and management of the Puget Sound Emergency Radio Network after construction.

Sponsors: Mr. von Reichbauer

First Reading and Referral to the Government Accountability and Oversight Committee

First Reading and Referral of Motions

31. [Proposed Motion No. 2020-0172](#)

A MOTION relating to public transportation; approving the Reduced Fare ORCA Card Procurement Locations Implementation Plan submitted in response to the 2019-2020 Biennial Budget Ordinance, Ordinance 18835, Section 109, as amended by Ordinance 18930, Section 75, Proviso P7.

Sponsors: Ms. Balducci

First Reading and Referral to the Mobility and Environment Committee

First Reading and Referral of Labor Policies

32. [Labor Policy No. LP2020-002](#)

Labor Policy relating to civilian oversight of the sheriff's office.

Sponsors: Mr. Dembowski, Mr. Zahilay, Ms. Kohl-Welles and Mr. McDermott

First Reading and Referral to the Labor Policy Committee

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

Other Business

Adjournment