



# King County

1200 King County  
Courthouse  
516 Third Avenue  
Seattle, WA 98104

## Meeting Agenda Committee of the Whole

**Councilmembers:**

**Joe McDermott, Chair;**

**Reagan Dunn, Vice Chair;**

**Claudia Balducci, Rod Dembowski, Jeanne Kohl-Welles, Kathy Lambert, Dave Upthegrove,  
Pete von Reichbauer, Girmay Zahilay**

**Lead Staff: Jake Tracy (206-263-0875)**

**Committee Clerk: Marka Steadman (206-477-0887)**

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9:30 AM

Wednesday, October 20, 2021

Virtual Meeting

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### REVISED AGENDA

**PUBLIC NOTICE:** The Committee of the Whole meetings will be held virtually until further notice. To help prevent the spread of the COVID 19 virus, the Chambers will be closed and all committee members and staff will be participating in the meeting remotely. The live feed of the video conference will be streaming on the King County Council's website and on KCTV Channel 22. Ways to provide public comment are noted below.

Pursuant to K.C.C. 1.24.035 A. and F., this meeting is also noticed as a meeting of the Metropolitan King County Council, whose agenda is limited to the committee business. In this meeting only the rules and procedures applicable to committees apply and not those applicable to full council meetings.

**HOW TO PROVIDE PUBLIC COMMENT:** The Committee of the Whole values community input and looks forward to hearing from you on agenda items.

There are two ways to provide public comment:

1) In writing: You may comment in writing on agenda items by submitting your written comments to [kcccomitt@kingcounty.gov](mailto:kcccomitt@kingcounty.gov). If your comments are submitted before 8:00 a.m. on the day of the Committee of the Whole meeting, your comments will be distributed to the committee members and appropriate staff prior to the meeting.



*Sign language and communication material in alternate formats can be arranged given sufficient notice (206-1000).*

*TDD Number 206-1024.*

*ASSISTIVE LISTENING DEVICES AVAILABLE IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS.*



2) Orally during the meeting by phone or computer: You may provide oral public testimony during the meeting by connecting using the ZOOM application at <https://zoom.us/> and the meeting identification and password below.

Meeting ID: 864 4464 7437

Passcode: 738706

If you do not have access to the ZOOM application, you can connect to the meeting by calling 1 253 215 8782 and using the meeting ID and password above. Connecting in this manner, however, may impact your ability to be unmuted to speak.

You are not required to sign up in advance. During this period of virtual meetings, public comment will be limited to items on the meeting agenda.

You have the right to language access services at no cost to you. To request these services, please contact our Language Access Coordinator, Reeni Nair, at 206 477 4978, or [reeni.nair@kingcounty.gov](mailto:reeni.nair@kingcounty.gov), by 8:00 a.m. the day prior to the meeting.

If you do not wish to be called upon for public comment during the meeting, please help us manage the callers and use one of the options below (Live Streaming or King County TV Channel 22).

**HOW TO WATCH/LISTEN TO THE MEETING:** There are several ways to watch or listen in to the meeting:

- 1) Stream online via this link: <https://livestream.com/accounts/15175343/events/4485487>, or input the link web address into your web browser.
- 2) Watch King County TV Channel 22 (Comcast Channel 22 and 322(HD), Wave Broadband Channel 22)
- 3) Listen to the meeting by telephone – See “Connecting to the Meeting” above.

To help us manage the meeting, if you do not wish to be called upon for public comment please use the Livestream or King County TV options listed above, if possible, to watch or listen to the meeting.

1. Call to Order

2. Roll Call

3. Approval of Minutes

*October 6, 2021 Meeting Minutes*

4. Public Comment

## Discussion and Possible Action

5. [Proposed Motion No. 2021-0335](#)

A MOTION making an appointment to fill a judicial vacancy in the east division, northeast electoral district, judge position number seven of the King County district court.

**Sponsors:** Mr. McDermott

*Erica Newman, Council staff*

6. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2021-0288](#)

AN ORDINANCE adopting the Best Start for Kids implementation plan required by Ordinance 19267, Section 7, to govern the expenditure of Best Start for Kids levy proceeds from 2022 through 2027, to promote improved health and well-being outcomes of children and youth, as well as the families and communities in which they live.

**Sponsors:** Mr. McDermott

*Miranda Leskinen, Council staff*

*Contingent upon approval by the Regional Policy Committee*

7. [Proposed Motion No. 2021-0391](#)

A MOTION to restore race and gender conscious affirmative action practices in King County.

**Sponsors:** Mr. Zahilay, Mr. Upthegrove and Ms. Kohl-Welles

*Andrew Kim, Council staff*

## Other Business

## Adjournment