



# King County

1200 King County  
Courthouse  
516 Third Avenue  
Seattle, WA 98104

## 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*

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1:00 PM

Tuesday, December 7, 2021

VIRTUAL MEETING

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1. **Call to Order**

2. **Roll Call**

3. **Flag Salute and Pledge of Allegiance**

*Councilmember Lambert*

4. **Approval of Minutes of the Special Meeting of November 22, 2021, and the Regular Meeting of November 23, 2021**

*Councilmember McDermott*

5. **Additions to the Council Agenda**

**6. Special Item**

Recognition of Stephen Norman, Executive Director of King County Housing Authority, upon his retirement.

*Councilmember Dembowski*

**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 7-9

**Consent Item 7**

*Councilmember McDermott*

**7. [Proposed Substitute Ordinance No. 2021-0400.2](#)**

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the King County executive to sign an agreement between King County, a political subdivision of the state of Washington, and Eastrail Partners, a nonprofit, community-based organization for the funding, design and construction of the nonmotorized recreational 520 Connector to Eastrail.

**Sponsors:** Ms. Balducci

***On 10/19/2021, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Mobility and Environment Committee.***

***On 11/30/2021, the Mobility and Environment Committee Recommended Do Pass Substitute Consent.***

**Public Hearing Required on Consent Item 7**

**Committee of the Whole**

*Councilmember McDermott*

8. [Proposed Substitute Ordinance No. 2021-0330.2](#)

AN ORDINANCE adopting the Initial Health through Housing Implementation Plan to govern the expenditure of sales and use tax proceeds authorized by K.C.C. chapter 4A.503 and RCW 82.14.530 from 2022 through 2028 and creating the health through housing advisory committee; and adding a new section to K.C.C. chapter 4A.300.

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

***On 9/7/2021, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Regional Policy Committee.***

***On 10/13/2021, the Regional Policy Committee Deferred.***

***On 11/10/2021, the Regional Policy Committee Recommended Do Pass Substitute.***

***On 11/17/2021, the Committee of the Whole Recommended Do Pass.***

**Public Hearing Required**

**Mobility and Environment**

*Councilmember Dembowski*

9. [Proposed Substitute Ordinance No. 2021-0286.2](#)

AN ORDINANCE relating to public transportation; adopting updates to the King County Metro Strategic Plan for Public Transportation, the King County Metro Service Guidelines and METRO CONNECTS - King County Metro's Long-Range Plan; and setting requirements for reporting and updates.

**Sponsors:** Mr. Upthegrove, Mr. Zahilay and Ms. Balducci

***On 8/17/2021, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Regional Transit Committee.***

***On 9/15/2021, the Regional Transit Committee Deferred.***

***On 9/15/2021, the Mobility and Environment Committee Deferred.***

***On 10/20/2021, the Regional Transit Committee Deferred.***

***On 10/27/2021, the Mobility and Environment Committee Deferred.***

***On 11/17/2021, the Regional Transit Committee Recommended Do Pass Substitute.***

***On 11/30/2021, the Mobility and Environment Committee Recommended Do Pass.***

**Public Hearing Required**

## Hearing Examiner Consent Agenda - Item 10

*Councilmember Dembowski*

10. [Proposed Substitute Ordinance No. 2021-0322.2](#)

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the vacation of a portion of S. 278th Street, File V-2737; Petitioners: Estate of Marlene Marie McCartney, James D. McCartney Personal Representative; Rose Mary and Ryan Dowd; Sharon and Robert Kiyohara; and Estate of Miriam M. Helgeland, Jerilyn Helgeland Personal Representative.

**Sponsors:** Ms. Balducci

*On 9/7/2021, 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

### Consent Items 11-18

*Councilmember McDermott*

11. [Proposed Motion No. 2021-0339](#)

A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of Edward Dumas, who resides in council district two, to the King County parks levy oversight board, as the district two representative.

**Sponsors:** Mr. Zahilay

*On 11/2/2021, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Mobility and Environment Committee.*

*On 11/30/2021, the Mobility and Environment Committee Recommended Do Pass Consent.*

12. [Proposed Motion No. 2021-0422](#)

A MOTION related to the transfer of retired vanpool vans to nonprofit organizations and local governments to meet the needs of low-income, seniors or young people or people with disabilities; and rescinding Motion 15893.

**Sponsors:** Ms. Lambert

*On 11/9/2021, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Mobility and Environment Committee.*

*On 11/30/2021, the Mobility and Environment Committee Recommended Do Pass Consent.*

13. [Proposed Motion No. 2021-0424](#)

A MOTION related to the transfer of retired vanpool vans to nonprofit organizations and local governments to meet the needs of low-income, seniors or young people or people with disabilities; and rescinding Motion 15894.

**Sponsors:** Mr. Upthegrove

***On 11/9/2021, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Mobility and Environment Committee.***

***On 11/30/2021, the Mobility and Environment Committee Recommended Do Pass Consent.***

14. [Proposed Motion No. 2021-0429](#)

A MOTION confirming the reappointment of Stefan Sharkansky to the citizens' elections oversight committee as a representative of the King County Republican Party.

**Sponsors:** Ms. Lambert and Mr. Dunn

***On 11/16/2021, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Employment and Administration Committee.***

***On 11/23/2021, the Employment and Administration Committee Recommended Do Pass Consent.***

15. [Proposed Motion No. 2021-0430](#)

A MOTION confirming the reappointment of Jeffrey Manson to the citizens' elections oversight committee as a representative of the King County Democratic Party.

**Sponsors:** Ms. Kohl-Welles

***On 11/16/2021, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Employment and Administration Committee.***

***On 11/23/2021, the Employment and Administration Committee Recommended Do Pass Consent.***

16. [Proposed Motion No. 2021-0431](#)

A MOTION confirming the reappointment of Stanley Tsao to the citizens' elections oversight committee as a representative of the Chinese-speaking community.

**Sponsors:** Ms. Kohl-Welles

***On 11/16/2021, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Employment and Administration Committee.***

***On 11/23/2021, the Employment and Administration Committee Recommended Do Pass Consent.***

17. [Proposed Substitute Motion No. 2021-0434.2](#)

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

**Sponsors:** Mr. McDermott

***On 11/16/2021, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Committee of the Whole.***

***On 12/1/2021, the Committee of the Whole Recommended Do Pass Substitute Consent.***

18. [Proposed Substitute Motion No. 2021-0435.2](#)

A MOTION relating to the organization of the council; amending Motion 10651, Section V, as amended, and OR 2-030, adding a new section OR 3-xxxx to the Organizational Compilation and rescinding Motion 15446, Section III, as amended, and OR 3-033, Motion 10651, Section VIII, as amended, and OR 3-040 and Motion 8868, Sections 1-2, as amended, and OR 3-110.

**Sponsors:** Ms. Balducci

***On 11/16/2021, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Employment and Administration Committee.***

***On 11/23/2021, the Employment and Administration Committee Recommended Do Pass Substitute Consent.***

**Committee of the Whole**

*Councilmember McDermott*

19. [Proposed Motion No. 2021-0416](#)

A MOTION establishing the King County 2022 State Legislative Agenda.

**Sponsors:** Ms. Balducci

***On 10/26/2021, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Committee of the Whole.***

***On 11/17/2021, the Committee of the Whole Deferred.***

***On 12/1/2021, the Committee of the Whole Passed Out of Committee Without a Recommendation.***

## Reappointment Consent Agenda 20-21

*Councilmember McDermott*

20. [Proposed Motion No. 2021-0444](#)

A MOTION confirming the executive's reappointment of Steven Hamilton, who resides in council district one, to the King County investment pool advisory committee, filling the elected official or employee of a water district or sewer district position.

**Sponsors:** Mr. Dembowski

21. [Proposed Motion No. 2021-0460](#)

A MOTION confirming the reappointment of Khazm Kogita to the King County cultural development authority (4Culture) board.

**Sponsors:** Mr. McDermott

## First Reading and Referral of Ordinances

22. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2021-0364](#)

AN ORDINANCE relating to the King County children and youth advisory board; and amending Ordinance 18217, Section 2, as amended, and K.C.C. 2A.300.510.

**Sponsors:** Mr. Zahilay

***First Reading and Referral to the Law, Justice, Health and Human Services Committee***

23. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2021-0366](#)

AN ORDINANCE adopting the Best Starts for Kids Governance Update Report required by Ordinance 19267, Section 6, to describe and explain necessary and recommended changes to sections of the King County Code and applicable ordinances that describe the composition and duties of the King County children and youth advisory board and the communities of opportunity - best starts for kids levy advisory board.

**Sponsors:** Mr. Zahilay

***First Reading and Referral to the Regional Policy Committee***



**This is a dual referral first to the Regional Policy Committee and then to the Law, Justice, Health and Human Services Committee**

**This is a nonmandatory referral to the Regional Policy Committee under KCC 1.24.065.I as an issue that would benefit from interjurisdictional discussion.**

24. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2021-0449](#)

AN ORDINANCE relating to solid waste fees charged at recycling and transfer facilities and at the Cedar Hills regional landfill; and amending Ordinance 8891, Section 3, as amended, and K.C.C.10.04.020 and Ordinance 12564, Section 2, as amended, and K.C.C.10.12.021.

**Sponsors:** Ms. Kohl-Welles

***First Reading and Referral to the Budget and Fiscal Management Committee***

25. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2021-0453](#)

AN ORDINANCE authorizing a plat on certain property located at 3930 S 277th Place, Auburn, WA 98001 at the request of Copper Ridge, LLC, department of local services DLS PLAT20-0002.

**Sponsors:** Ms. Balducci

***First Reading and Referral to the Hearing Examiner***

26. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2021-0454](#)

AN ORDINANCE relating to 2022 wage increases for King County employees including the 2022 4.545 GWI King County Hourly Squared Schedule, 2022 4.545 GWI King County Annual/FLSA-Exempt Squared Schedule, 2022 4.545 GWI King County Standardized Hourly Salary Schedule, 2022 4.545 GWI King County Standardized Annual/FLSA-Exempt Salary Schedule, the annual general wage increase for nonrepresented King County employees, as stipulated in K.C.C. 3.12.130 and K.C.C. 3.12.140, and retention bonuses for nonrepresented King County employees.

**Sponsors:** Ms. Kohl-Welles

***First Reading and Referral to the Budget and Fiscal Management Committee***

27. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2021-0458](#)

AN ORDINANCE deferring the next scheduled update of the capacity charge as required by the Regional Wastewater Services Plan; and amending Ordinance 13680, Section 16, as amended, and K.C.C. 28.86.160.

**Sponsors:** Ms. Kohl-Welles

***First Reading and Referral to the Budget and Fiscal Management Committee***

## First Reading and Referral of Motions

28. [Proposed Motion No. 2021-0401](#)

A MOTION approving the 2022 budget and 2022 work plan for South King Housing and Homelessness Partners.

**Sponsors:** Mr. Zahilay

***First Reading and Referral to the Law, Justice, Health and Human Services Committee***

29. [Proposed Motion No. 2021-0402](#)

A MOTION approving the 2022 budget and work plan for ARCH, A Regional Coalition for Housing.

**Sponsors:** Mr. Zahilay

***First Reading and Referral to the Law, Justice, Health and Human Services Committee***

30. [Proposed Motion No. 2021-0456](#)

A MOTION approving the first of three reports on progress addressing the civil and criminal case backlog that resulted from the COVID-19 pandemic and progress on addressing new eviction cases after the state moratorium is lifted, in response to the 2021-2022 Biennial Budget Ordinance, Ordinance 19210, Section 18, as amended by Ordinance 19318, Section 2, Proviso P4.

**Sponsors:** Ms. Kohl-Welles

***First Reading and Referral to the Budget and Fiscal Management Committee***

31. [Proposed Motion No. 2021-0459](#)

A MOTION approving the extension of the executive's appointment of Dennis Worsham as interim director of the King County department of public health.

**Sponsors:** Mr. McDermott

***First Reading and Referral to the Committee of the Whole***

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

## Other Business

## Adjournment