



King County

1200 King County
Courthouse
516 Third Avenue
Seattle, WA 98104

Meeting Agenda Regional Policy Committee

*Councilmembers: Pete von Reichbauer, Chair;
Claudia Balducci, Rod Dembowski
Alternate: Jeanne Kohl-Welles*

*Sound Cities Association: Nancy Backus, Vice Chair, Auburn; Angela Birney, Redmond;
John Stokes, Bellevue; James McNeal, Bothell;
Alternates: Armondo Pavone, Renton; Dana Ralph, Kent*

*City of Seattle: Andrew Lewis, Kshama Sawant
Alternates: Lisa Herbold, Debora Juarez*

*Lead Staff: April Sanders (206-263-3412)
Committee Clerk: Angelica Calderon (206-477-0874)*

3:00 PM

Wednesday, September 14, 2022

Hybrid Meeting

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HOW TO PROVIDE PUBLIC COMMENT: The Regional Policy Committee values community input and looks forward to hearing from you on agenda items.

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1. **Call to Order**
2. **Roll Call**
3. **Approval of Minutes**

Minutes of July 13, 2022 meeting

Briefing

4. [Briefing No. 2022-B0112](#)

Harborview Staffing and Bed Capacity

Sommer Kleweno-Walley, CEO of the Harborview Medical Center

5. [Briefing No. 2022-B0123](#)

Behavioral Health Crisis Care in King County

Leo Flor, Director of the Department of Community and Human Services (DCHS)

Kelli Nomura, Director of the Behavioral Health and Recovery Division, DCHS

Kelly Rider, Director of External Affairs, DCHS

Discussion and Possible Action

6. [Proposed Motion No. 2022-0222](#)

A MOTION accepting the sixth annual report on the best starts for kids initiative, in accordance with Attachment A to Ordinance 18373.

Sponsors: Zahilay

Miranda Leskinen, Council staff

Other Business

Adjournment