



King County

1200 King County
Courthouse
516 Third Avenue
Seattle, WA 98104

Meeting Minutes Law and Justice Committee

Councilmembers:
Jorge L. Barón, Chair;
Claudia Balducci, Vice-Chair;
Rod Dembowski, Teresa Mosqueda

Lead Staff: Leah Krekel-Zoppi (206-477-0892)
Committee Clerk: Gabbi Williams (206-477-7470)

9:30 AM

Wednesday, March 5, 2025

Hybrid Meeting

DRAFT MINUTES

1. **Call to Order**

Chair Barón called the meeting to order at 9:31 a.m.

2. **Roll Call**

Present: 3 - Barón, Dembowski and Mosqueda

Excused: 1 - Balducci

3. **Approval of Minutes**

Councilmember Dembowski moved approval of the minutes of the January 22, 2025 meeting. Seeing no objections, the minutes were approved.

4. **Public Comment**

There were no individuals present to provide public comment:

Briefing

5. [Briefing No. 2025-B0025](#)

Update on Detention Facility Distributed Antenna System and Emergency Proclamation

Dwight Dively, Director, Office of Performance, Strategy, and Budget, briefed the committee and answered questions from the members.

This matter was Presented

6. [Briefing No. 2025-B0024](#)

Superior Court Update on Civil Cases

The Honorable Ketu Shah, Presiding Judge, Superior Court, briefed the committee via a PowerPoint presentation and answered questions from the members.

This matter was Presented

7. [Briefing No. 2025-B0034](#)

Civil Legal System Partners

Amarinthia Torres, Co-Executive Director (Policy), Coalition Ending Gender-Based Violence, Laurel Redden, Director of Communications and Policy, King County Sexual Assault Resource Center, Vivian Lee, Legal Director, Eastside Legal Assistance Program, and Jerry Kröon, Executive Director, Eastside Legal Assistance Program, briefed the committee and answered questions from the members.

This matter was Presented

Other Business

There was no other business to come before the committee.

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 11:03 a.m.

Approved this _____ day of _____

Clerk's Signature