



# King County

1200 King County  
Courthouse  
516 Third Avenue  
Seattle, WA 98104

## Meeting Minutes Law and Justice Committee

*Councilmembers: Larry Gossett, Chair; Kathy Lambert,  
Vice-Chair*

*Reagan Dunn, Jeanne Kohl-Welles, Joe McDermott*

*Staff: Pat Hamacher, Lead Staff (206-477-0880)  
Marka Steadman, Committee Assistant (206-477-0887)*

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1:30 PM

Tuesday, April 24, 2018

Room 1001

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### DRAFT MINUTES

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.

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#### 1. Call to Order

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*Chair Gossett called the meeting to order at 1:41 PM.*

#### 2. Roll Call

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**Present:** 5 - Mr. Dunn, Mr. Gossett, Ms. Kohl-Welles, Ms. Lambert and Mr. McDermott

#### 3. Approval of Minutes

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*Councilmember Kohl-Welles moved approval of the March 27, 2018 meeting minutes.  
Seeing no objections the minutes were approved.*

#### 4. Public Comment

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*There were two individuals available to offer public comment.  
Alex Tsimerman  
Marguerite Richard*

## Briefing

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### 5. [Briefing No. 2018-B0084](#)

Department of Public Defense Proposals Regarding Pre-Trial Release, Juries, and Sentencing for Reducing Disproportionality in the Criminal Legal System

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*Anita Khandelwal, Deputy Director of Law and Policy, Department of Public Defense, briefed the Committee and answered questions from the members. Lorinda Youngcourt, Director, Department of Public Defense, answered questions from the members.*

**This matter was Presented**

## Other Business

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*There was no other business to come before the Committee.*

## Adjournment

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*The meeting was adjourned at 2:19 PM.*

Approved this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_

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Clerk's Signature