

SEATTLE CITY COUNCIL

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Monday, September 9, 2019

2:00 PM

Council Chamber, City Hall
600 Fourth Avenue
Seattle, WA 98104

City Council

Bruce Harrell, Council President

Sally Bagshaw

M. Lorena González

Lisa Herbold

Debora Juarez

Teresa Mosqueda

Mike O'Brien

Abel Pacheco

Kshama Sawant

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A. CALL TO ORDER

The City Council of The City of Seattle met in the Council Chamber in City Hall in Seattle, Washington, on Monday, September 9, 2019 pursuant to the provisions of the City Charter. The meeting was called to order at 2:02 p.m., with Council President Harrell presiding.

B. ROLL CALL

Present: 9 - Bagshaw, González , Harrell, Herbold, Juarez, Mosqueda, O'Brien, Pacheco, Sawant

C. ADOPTION OF INTRODUCTION AND REFERRAL CALENDAR

[IRC 221](#) **September 9, 2019**

ACTION 1:

Motion was made and duly seconded to adopt the proposed Introduction and Referral Calendar.

ACTION 2:

Motion was made by Councilmember Sawant, duly seconded and carried, to amend the proposed Introduction and Referral Calendar by introducing Resolution 31907, and by referring it to the City Council.

Resolution 31907, A RESOLUTION in support of the youth-led September 20, 2019 Global Climate Strike; urging Seattle Public Schools to support its students' right to assemble and participate in the Global Climate Strike; and affirming that City employees may request unpaid leave for a day of conscience on September 20, 2019.

ACTION 3:

Motion was made and duly seconded to adopt the proposed Introduction and Referral Calendar as amended.

The Motion carried, and the Introduction and Referral Calendar (IRC) was adopted as amended by the following vote:

In Favor: 9 - Bagshaw, González , Harrell, Herbold, Juarez, Mosqueda, O'Brien, Pacheco, Sawant

Opposed: None

D. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

Motion was made, duly seconded and carried, to adopt the proposed Agenda.

E. APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

There were no Minutes presented for approval.

F. PRESENTATIONS

There were none.

G. PUBLIC COMMENT

Virginia Cross addressed the Council regarding Agenda item 4, Resolution 31900.

Claudia Kauffman addressed the Council regarding Agenda item 4, Resolution 31900.

Susan Starr addressed the Council regarding Agenda item 4, Resolution 31900.

Chelsea Hendrickson addressed the Council regarding Agenda item 4, Resolution 31900.

Abigail Echo Hawk addressed the Council regarding Agenda item 4, Resolution 31900.

Ada McDaniel addressed the Council regarding Agenda item 4, Resolution 31900.

Norine Hill addressed the Council regarding Agenda item 4, Resolution 31900.

Marissa Perez addressed the Council regarding Agenda item 4, Resolution 31900.

Esther Lucero addressed the Council regarding Agenda item 4, Resolution 31900.

Martirai Ramsey addressed the Council regarding Agenda item 4, Resolution 31900.

Glen Pinkham addressed the Council regarding Agenda item 4, Resolution 31900.

Yvette Pinkham addressed the Council regarding Agenda item 4, Resolution 31900.

Sara Patton addressed the Council regarding Agenda item 4, Resolution 31900.

Mary Kummer addressed the Council regarding Agenda item 4, Resolution 31900.

Susan Balbas addressed the Council regarding Agenda item 4, Resolution

31900.

H. PAYMENT OF BILLS

[CB 119617](#) **AN ORDINANCE appropriating money to pay certain audited claims for the week of August 26, 2019 through August 30, 2019 and ordering the payment thereof.**

Motion was made and duly seconded to pass Council Bill 119617.

The Motion carried, the Council Bill (CB) was passed by the following vote, and the President signed the Bill:

In Favor: 9 - Bagshaw, González , Harrell, Herbold, Juarez, Mosqueda, O'Brien, Pacheco, Sawant

Opposed: None

I. COMMITTEE REPORTS

CIVIL RIGHTS, UTILITIES, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND ARTS COMMITTEE:

1. [CB 119288](#) **AN ORDINANCE relating to the City's criminal code; removing the separate crime of malicious harassment and creating a special allegation of hate crime motivation; and amending Section 12A.06.115 of the Seattle Municipal Code.**

The Committee recommends that City Council pass as amended the Council Bill (CB).

In Favor: 2 - Herbold, O'Brien

Opposed: None

Motion was made by Councilmember Herbold and duly seconded, to hold Council Bill 119288, until October 8, 2019.

The Motion carried, and the Council Bill (CB) was held until October 8, 2019 by the following vote:

In Favor: 9 - Bagshaw, González , Harrell, Herbold, Juarez, Mosqueda, O'Brien, Pacheco, Sawant

Opposed: None

CIVIC DEVELOPMENT, PUBLIC ASSETS, AND NATIVE COMMUNITIES COMMITTEE:

2. [CB 119616](#) **AN ORDINANCE relating to Seattle Parks and Recreation; authorizing the acquisition of real property commonly known as 1902 NE 98th Street; authorizing acceptance and recording of the deed for open space, park, and recreation purposes; and ratifying and confirming certain prior acts.**

The Committee recommends that City Council pass the Council Bill (CB).

In Favor: 2 - Juarez, González

Opposed: None

The Council Bill (CB) was passed by the following vote, and the President signed the Bill:

In Favor: 9 - Bagshaw, González , Harrell, Herbold, Juarez, Mosqueda, O'Brien, Pacheco, Sawant

Opposed: None

3. [Res 31891](#) **A RESOLUTION approving the design for improvements to Victor Steinbrueck Park funded through the 2008 Parks and Green Spaces Levy.**

The Committee recommends that City Council adopt the Resolution (Res).

In Favor: 2 - Juarez, González

Opposed: None

The Resolution (Res) was adopted by the following vote, and the President signed the Resolution:

In Favor: 9 - Bagshaw, González , Harrell, Herbold, Juarez, Mosqueda, O'Brien, Pacheco, Sawant

Opposed: None

4. [Res 31900](#) **A RESOLUTION reclaiming the inherent responsibility of the City to protect its most vulnerable populations; acknowledging the disproportionately high rate of violence against women of Indigenous communities; urging City departments to deliver sustainable investments that address the Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women and Girls (MMIWG) crisis, and establish a new, racially appropriate framework of understanding an approach to ending violence against Indigenous women and girls; and calling on the Mayor of Seattle to drive systemic reform that requests and empowers and holds accountable related City departments to work in cooperation with Native Communities to build trust and engagement for stronger government-to-government relations.**

The Committee recommends that City Council adopt the Resolution (Res).

In Favor: 2 - Juarez, González

Opposed: None

The Resolution (Res) was adopted by the following vote, and the President signed the Resolution:

In Favor: 9 - Bagshaw, González , Harrell, Herbold, Juarez, Mosqueda, O'Brien, Pacheco, Sawant

Opposed: None

J. ADOPTION OF OTHER RESOLUTIONS

There were none.

K. OTHER BUSINESS

There was none.

L. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the Council, the meeting was adjourned at 2:58 p.m.

Emilia M. Sanchez, Sr. Deputy City Clerk

Signed by me in Open Session, upon approval of the Council, on September 23, 2019.

Bruce Harrell, President of the City Council

Monica Martinez Simmons, City Clerk

[Prepared by: L. Barron/J. Schwinn]