

# SEATTLE CITY COUNCIL

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Seattle, WA 98104



## Journal of the Proceedings of the Seattle City Council

Monday, January 25, 2021

2:00 PM

Remote Meeting. Call 253-215-8782; Meeting ID: 586 416 9164; or  
Seattle Channel online.

### City Council

*M. Lorena González, President*

*Lisa Herbold, Member*

*Debora Juarez, Member*

*Andrew J. Lewis, Member*

*Tammy J. Morales, Member*

*Teresa Mosqueda, Member*

*Alex Pedersen, Member*

*Kshama Sawant, Member*

*Dan Strauss, Member*

Chair Info: 206-684-8809; [Lorena.González@seattle.gov](mailto:Lorena.González@seattle.gov)

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#### **A. CALL TO ORDER**

The City Council of The City of Seattle met remotely pursuant to Washington State Governor's Proclamation 20-28.15, and guidance provided by the Attorney General's Office, on January 25, 2021, pursuant to the provisions of the City Charter. The meeting was called to order at 2:01 p.m., with Council President González presiding.

#### **B. ROLL CALL**

**The following Councilmembers were present and participating electronically:**

**Present:** 8 - González , Herbold, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

**Absent:** 1 - Juarez

#### **C. PRESENTATIONS**

Councilmember González read a Proclamation honoring Louise Chernin and proclaiming Sunday, January 31, 2021 Louise Chernin Day. By unanimous consent, the Council Rules were suspended to allow Mark Rosén, Greater Seattle Business Association, to address the Council.

#### **D. APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL**

[Min 316](#)

**January 19, 2021**

**Motion was made, duly seconded and carried, to adopt the proposed Minutes by the following vote, and the President signed the Minutes:**

**In Favor:** 8 - González , Herbold, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

**Opposed:** None

#### **E. ADOPTION OF INTRODUCTION AND REFERRAL CALENDAR**

[IRC 287](#)      **January 25, 2021**

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 Appointments 01783 and 01784, and by referring them to the Sustainability and Renters' Rights Committee.

Appointment 01783, Appointment of Sharon E. Crowley as member, Seattle Renters' Commission, for a term to February 28, 2022.

Appointment 01784, Appointment of Maya Garfinkel as member, Seattle Renters' Commission, for a term to February 28, 2023.

ACTION 3:

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

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

**In Favor:** 8 - González , Herbold, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

**Opposed:** None

**F. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA**

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

**G. PUBLIC COMMENT**

By unanimous consent, the Council Rules were suspended to provide a 30 minute Public Comment period.

The following individuals addressed the Council:

- Claire Irelan
- Faye Guenther
- Taylor Farley
- Charlie Lapham
- Amy Fields
- David Corliss
- Catherine Holm
- Shane Stauffer
- Patrick King
- Sam Dancy
- Taylor Gardner
- Colton Peterson
- Holly Chisa
- Brittney Bollay
- Joe Kunzler
- Sarah Cherin
- Elena Perez

**H. PAYMENT OF BILLS**

[CB 119991](#) **AN ORDINANCE appropriating money to pay certain audited claims for the week of January 11, 2021 through January 15, 2021 and ordering the payment thereof.**

Motion was made and duly seconded to pass Council Bill 119991.

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

**In Favor:** 8 - González , Herbold, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

**Opposed:** None

**I. COMMITTEE REPORTS**

**TRANSPORTATION AND UTILITIES COMMITTEE:**

1. [CB 119980](#) **AN ORDINANCE relating to the City Light Department; authorizing the acceptance of the Statutory Warranty Deed for the “Glacier View Ranch Property” in Skagit County, Washington; placing said land under the jurisdiction of the City Light Department; and ratifying and confirming certain prior acts.**

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

**In Favor: 5 - Pedersen, Strauss, González , Herbold, Morales  
Opposed: None**

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

**In Favor: 8 - González , Herbold, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss**

**Opposed: None**

2. [Appt 01720](#) **Appointment of Anne Ayre as member, City Light Review Panel, for a term to September 30, 2022.**

**The Committee recommends that City Council confirm the Appointment (Appt).**

**In Favor: 5 - Pedersen, Strauss, González , Herbold, Morales  
Opposed: None**

**The Appointment (Appt) was confirmed by the following vote:**

**In Favor: 8 - González , Herbold, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss**

**Opposed: None**

3. [Appt 01721](#) **Reappointment of John Putz as member, City Light Review Panel, for a term to September 30, 2022.**

**The Committee recommends that City Council confirm the Appointment (Appt).**

**In Favor: 5 - Pedersen, Strauss, González , Herbold, Morales  
Opposed: None**

**The Appointment (Appt) was confirmed by the following vote:**

**In Favor: 8 - González , Herbold, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss**

**Opposed:** None

4. [Appt 01722](#) **Appointment of Sandro R. Pani as member, Seattle Transit Advisory Board, for a term to August 2, 2022.**

**The Committee recommends that City Council confirm the Appointment (Appt).**

**In Favor: 5 - Pedersen, Strauss, González , Herbold, Morales**

**Opposed: None**

**The Appointment (Appt) was confirmed by the following vote:**

**In Favor: 8 - González , Herbold, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss**

**Opposed:** None

5. [Appt 01723](#) **Appointment of Emily Walton Percival as member, Seattle Transit Advisory Board, for a term to August 2, 2022.**

**The Committee recommends that City Council confirm the Appointment (Appt).**

**In Favor: 5 - Pedersen, Strauss, González , Herbold, Morales**

**Opposed: None**

**The Appointment (Appt) was confirmed by the following vote:**

**In Favor: 8 - González , Herbold, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss**

**Opposed:** None

6. [Appt 01724](#) **Reappointment of Andrew P. Martin as member, Seattle Transit Advisory Board, for a term to August 2, 2022.**

**The Committee recommends that City Council confirm the Appointment (Appt).**

**In Favor: 5 - Pedersen, Strauss, González , Herbold, Morales**

**Opposed: None**

**The Appointment (Appt) was confirmed by the following vote:**

**In Favor: 8 - González , Herbold, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss**

**Opposed:** None

7. [Appt 01725](#) **Reappointment of Kashina Groves as member, Seattle Bicycle Advisory Board, for a term to August 31, 2022.**

**The Committee recommends that City Council confirm the Appointment (Appt).**

**In Favor: 5 - Pedersen, Strauss, González , Herbold, Morales**

**Opposed: None**

**The Appointment (Appt) was confirmed by the following vote:**

**In Favor: 8 - González , Herbold, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss**

**Opposed: None**

8. [Appt 01726](#) **Reappointment of Meredith Hall as member, Seattle Bicycle Advisory Board, for a term to August 31, 2022.**

**The Committee recommends that City Council confirm the Appointment (Appt).**

**In Favor: 5 - Pedersen, Strauss, González , Herbold, Morales**

**Opposed: None**

**The Appointment (Appt) was confirmed by the following vote:**

**In Favor: 8 - González , Herbold, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss**

**Opposed: None**

9. [Appt 01727](#) **Reappointment of Patrick W. Taylor as member, Seattle Bicycle Advisory Board, for a term to August 31, 2022.**

**The Committee recommends that City Council confirm the Appointment (Appt).**

**In Favor: 5 - Pedersen, Strauss, González , Herbold, Morales**

**Opposed: None**

**The Appointment (Appt) was confirmed by the following vote:**

**In Favor: 8 - González , Herbold, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss**

**Opposed: None**

10. [Appt 01728](#) **Appointment of Jennifer Lehman as member, Seattle Pedestrian Advisory Board, for a term to March 31, 2022.**

**The Committee recommends that City Council confirm the Appointment (Appt).**

**In Favor: 5 - Pedersen, Strauss, González , Herbold, Morales**

**Opposed: None**

**The Appointment (Appt) was confirmed by the following vote:**

**In Favor: 8 - González , Herbold, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss**

**Opposed: None**

11. [Appt 01729](#) **Appointment of Emily A. Mannetti as member, Seattle Pedestrian Advisory Board, for a term to March 31, 2022.**

**The Committee recommends that City Council confirm the Appointment (Appt).**

**In Favor: 5 - Pedersen, Strauss, González , Herbold, Morales**

**Opposed: None**

**The Appointment (Appt) was confirmed by the following vote:**

**In Favor: 8 - González , Herbold, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss**

**Opposed: None**

12. [Appt 01730](#) **Appointment of Peaches Thomas as member, Seattle School Traffic Safety Committee, for a term to March 31, 2023.**

**The Committee recommends that City Council confirm the Appointment (Appt).**

**In Favor: 5 - Pedersen, Strauss, González , Herbold, Morales**

**Opposed: None**

**The Appointment (Appt) was confirmed by the following vote:**

**In Favor: 8 - González , Herbold, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss**

**Opposed: None**



13. [Appt 01749](#) **Appointment of Femi Adebayo as member, Community Technology Advisory Board, for a term to December 31, 2022.**

**The Committee recommends that City Council confirm the Appointment (Appt).**

**In Favor: 5 - Pedersen, Strauss, González , Herbold, Morales**

**Opposed: None**

**The Appointment (Appt) was confirmed by the following vote:**

**In Favor: 8 - González , Herbold, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss**

**Opposed: None**

14. [Appt 01750](#) **Appointment of Leah Shin as member, Community Technology Advisory Board, for a term to December 31, 2022.**

**The Committee recommends that City Council confirm the Appointment (Appt).**

**In Favor: 5 - Pedersen, Strauss, González , Herbold, Morales**

**Opposed: None**

**The Appointment (Appt) was confirmed by the following vote:**

**In Favor: 8 - González , Herbold, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss**

**Opposed: None**

15. [Appt 01751](#) **Reappointment of Rene J. Peters, Jr. as member, Community Technology Advisory Board, for a term to December 31, 2022.**

**The Committee recommends that City Council confirm the Appointment (Appt).**

**In Favor: 5 - Pedersen, Strauss, González , Herbold, Morales**

**Opposed: None**

**The Appointment (Appt) was confirmed by the following vote:**

**In Favor: 8 - González , Herbold, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss**

**Opposed: None**

16. [Appt 01764](#) **Appointment of Nicole Joy Espy as member, Community Technology Advisory Board, for a term to December 31, 2021.**

**The Committee recommends that City Council confirm the Appointment (Appt).**

**In Favor: 5 - Pedersen, Strauss, González , Herbold, Morales  
Opposed: None**

**The Appointment (Appt) was confirmed by the following vote:**

**In Favor: 8 - González , Herbold, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss**

**Opposed: None**

17. [Appt 01765](#) **Reappointment of Brandon Lindsey as member, Community Technology Advisory Board, for a term to December 31, 2022.**

**The Committee recommends that City Council confirm the Appointment (Appt).**

**In Favor: 5 - Pedersen, Strauss, González , Herbold, Morales  
Opposed: None**

**The Appointment (Appt) was confirmed by the following vote:**

**In Favor: 8 - González , Herbold, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss**

**Opposed: None**

18. [Appt 01766](#) **Reappointment of Lassana Magassa as member, Community Technology Advisory Board, for a term to December 31, 2022.**

**The Committee recommends that City Council confirm the Appointment (Appt).**

**In Favor: 5 - Pedersen, Strauss, González , Herbold, Morales  
Opposed: None**

**The Appointment (Appt) was confirmed by the following vote:**

**In Favor: 8 - González , Herbold, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss**

**Opposed: None**

**FINANCE AND HOUSING COMMITTEE:**

19.     [CB 119990](#)    **AN ORDINANCE relating to employment in Seattle; establishing labor standards requirements for additional compensation for grocery employees working in Seattle; amending Sections 3.02.125 and 6.208.020 of the Seattle Municipal Code; declaring an emergency; and establishing an immediate effective date; all by a 3/4 vote of the City Council.**

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

**In Favor: 5 - Mosqueda, Herbold, González , Lewis, Strauss**

**Opposed: None**

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

**In Favor: 8 - González , Herbold, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss**

**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 3:39 p.m.

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**Jodee Schwinn, Deputy City Clerk**

**Signed by me in Open Session, upon approval of the Council, on February 1, 2021.**

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**M. Lorena González, Council President of the City Council**

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**Monica Martinez Simmons, City Clerk**