

SEATTLE CITY COUNCIL

600 Fourth Ave. 2nd Floor
Seattle, WA 98104



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Tuesday, January 19, 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

In-person attendance is currently prohibited per Washington State Governor's Proclamation No. 20-28.14, through January 19, 2021. Meeting participation is limited to access by telephone conference line and Seattle Channel online.

A. CALL TO ORDER

B. ROLL CALL

The City Council of The City of Seattle met remotely pursuant to Washington State Governor's Proclamation 20-28.14, and guidance provided by the Attorney General's Office, on January 19, 2021, pursuant to the provisions of the City Charter. The meeting was called to order at 2:00 p.m., with Council President González presiding.

The following Councilmembers were present and participating electronically:

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

Late Arrival: 1 - Morales

C. PRESENTATIONS

Councilmember Morales joined the meeting at 2:02 p.m.

Council President González read a Proclamation honoring Martin Luther King, Jr., and proclaiming Tuesday, January 19, 2021 MLK Day and Unity Week 2021. By unanimous consent, the Council Rules were suspended to allow Natalie Hunter to address the Council.

By unanimous consent, the Council Rules were suspended to allow Councilmembers to participate and vote at City Council and Committee meetings by electronic means until the COVID-19 State of Emergency is terminated, or Proclamation 20-28 is rescinded by the Governor or State Legislature, whichever occurs first.

D. APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

[Min 315](#) **January 11, 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: 9 - González , Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

Opposed: None

E. ADOPTION OF INTRODUCTION AND REFERRAL CALENDAR

[IRC 286](#) **January 19, 2021**

Motion was made, duly seconded and carried, to adopt the proposed Introduction and Referral Calendar (IRC) by the following vote:

In Favor: 9 - González , Herbold, Juarez, 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

The following individuals addressed the Council:

- Howard Gale
- Cindy Domingo
- David McLanahan
- John Waller
- Kirk Robbins

H. PAYMENT OF BILLS

[CB 119988](#) **AN ORDINANCE appropriating money to pay certain audited claims for the week of January 4, 2021 through January 8,2021 and ordering the payment thereof.**

Motion was made and duly seconded to pass Council Bill 119988.

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

In Favor: 9 - González , Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

Opposed: None

I. COMMITTEE REPORTS

CITY COUNCIL:

1. [Res 31984](#) **A RESOLUTION calling for U.S.-Cuban collaboration to save lives in the fight against COVID-19.**

ACTION 1:

Motion made was and duly seconded to adopt Resolution 31984.

ACTION 2:

Motion was made by Councilmember Mosqueda, duly seconded and carried, to amend Resolution 31984, by removing the Mayor's Concurrence on the "Be it Resolved" and signature lines.

ACTION 3:

Motion was made by Councilmember Mosqueda, duly seconded and carried, to amend Resolution 31984, Section 3, as shown in the underlined language below:

Section 3. The Seattle City Council calls on our U.S. Congress and the future Executive Administration of President-Elect Joe Biden and Vice-President-Elect Kamala Harris to reverse the recent State Department designation of Cuba as a terrorist state, restore full diplomatic relations with Cuba, end the decades-long economic blockade, and engage in all mutually beneficial areas of human endeavor.

ACTION 4:

Motion was made and duly seconded to adopt Resolution 31984 as amended.

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

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

Opposed: 1 - Pedersen

2. [Appt 01741](#) **Reappointment of Scott S. Yasui as member, Seattle Chinatown International District Preservation and Development Authority Governing Council, for a term to December 31, 2021.**

Motion was made and duly seconded to confirm Appointment 01741.

The Motion carried, and the Appointment (Appt) was confirmed by the following vote:

In Favor: 9 - González , Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

Opposed: None

3. [Appt 01742](#) **Appointment of Jerilyn L.C. Young as member, Seattle Chinatown International District Preservation and Development Authority Governing Council, for a term to December 31, 2022.**

Motion was made and duly seconded to confirm Appointment 01742.

The Motion carried, and the Appointment (Appt) was confirmed by the following vote:

In Favor: 9 - González , Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

Opposed: None

4. [Appt 01743](#) **Reappointment of Casey Huang as member, Seattle Chinatown International District Preservation and Development Authority Governing Council, for a term to December 31, 2022.**

Motion was made and duly seconded to confirm Appointment 01743.

The Motion carried, and the Appointment (Appt) was confirmed by the following vote:

In Favor: 9 - González , Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

Opposed: None

5. [Appt 01744](#) **Reappointment of Phillip Sit as member, Seattle Chinatown International District Preservation and Development Authority Governing Council, for a term to December 31, 2022.**

Motion was made and duly seconded to confirm Appointment 01744.

The Motion carried, and the Appointment (Appt) was confirmed by the following vote:

In Favor: 9 - González , Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

Opposed: None

6. [Appt 01745](#) **Appointment of Stephanie Young as member, Pike Place Market Historical Commission, for a term to December 1, 2021.**

Motion was made and duly seconded to confirm Appointment 01745.

The Motion carried, and the Appointment (Appt) was confirmed by the following vote:

In Favor: 9 - González , Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

Opposed: None

7. [Appt 01746](#) **Appointment of Grace Leong as member, Pike Place Market Historical Commission, for a term to December 1, 2022.**

Motion was made and duly seconded to confirm Appointment 01746.

The Motion carried, and the Appointment (Appt) was confirmed by the following vote:

In Favor: 9 - González , Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

Opposed: None

8. [Appt 01747](#) **Appointment of David Michael Moehring as member, Urban Forestry Commission, for a term to March 31, 2022.**

Motion was made and duly seconded to confirm Appointment 01747.

The Motion carried, and the Appointment (Appt) was confirmed by the following vote:

In Favor: 9 - González , Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

Opposed: None

9. [Appt 01748](#) **Reappointment of David Yeaworth as member, Historic Seattle Preservation and Development Authority Governing Council, for a term to November 30, 2024.**

Motion was made and duly seconded to confirm Appointment 01748.

The Motion carried, and the Appointment (Appt) was confirmed by the following vote:

In Favor: 9 - González , Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

Opposed: None

LAND USE AND NEIGHBORHOODS COMMITTEE:

10. [CB 119978](#) **AN ORDINANCE relating to floodplains; extending interim regulations established by Ordinance 126113 for 12 months, to continue to rely on updated National Flood Insurance Rate Maps to allow individuals to continue to obtain flood insurance through FEMA's Flood Insurance Program; and adopting a work plan for studies needed to develop permanent regulations.**

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

In Favor: 5 - Strauss, Mosqueda, Juarez, Lewis, Pedersen

Opposed: None

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

In Favor: 9 - González , Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

Opposed: None

PUBLIC SAFETY AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE:

11. [Appt 01753](#) **Reappointment of Alina Santillan as member, Community Police Commission, for a term to December 31, 2022.**

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

In Favor: 4 - Herbold, Lewis, Morales, Sawant

Opposed: None

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

In Favor: 9 - González , Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

Opposed: None

12. [Appt 01754](#) **Reappointment of Suzette Dickerson as member, Community Police Commission, for a term to December 31, 2023.**

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

In Favor: 4 - Herbold, Lewis, Morales, Sawant

Opposed: None

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

In Favor: 9 - González , Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

Opposed: None

13. [Appt 01755](#) **Reappointment of Erin B. Goodman as member, Community Police Commission, for a term to December 31, 2023.**

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

In Favor: 4 - Herbold, Lewis, Morales, Sawant

Opposed: None

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

In Favor: 9 - González , Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

Opposed: None

14. [Appt 01756](#) **Reappointment of Douglas E. Wagoner as member, Community Police Commission, for a term to December 31, 2023.**

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

In Favor: 4 - Herbold, Lewis, Morales, Sawant

Opposed: None

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

In Favor: 9 - González , Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

Opposed: None

- 15. [Appt 01758](#) **Reappointment of Prachi Vipinchandra Dave as member, Community Police Commission, for a term to December 31, 2023.**

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

In Favor: 4 - Herbold, Lewis, Morales, Sawant

Opposed: None

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

In Favor: 9 - González , Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

Opposed: None

- 16. [Appt 01759](#) **Reappointment of La Rond Baker as member, Community Police Commission, for a term to December 31, 2023.**

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

In Favor: 4 - Herbold, Lewis, Morales, Sawant

Opposed: None

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

In Favor: 9 - González , Herbold, Juarez, 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 3:16 p.m.

Jodee Schwinn, Deputy City Clerk

Signed by me in Open Session, upon approval of the Council, on January 25, 2021.

M. Lorena González, Council President of the City Council

Monica Martinez Simmons, City Clerk