

# SEATTLE CITY COUNCIL

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Seattle, WA 98104



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Tuesday, February 15, 2022

2:00 PM

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

### City Council

*Debora Juarez, Council President*

*Lisa Herbold, Member*

*Andrew J. Lewis, Member*

*Tammy J. Morales, Member*

*Teresa Mosqueda, Member*

*Sara Nelson, Member*

*Alex Pedersen, Member*

*Kshama Sawant, Member*

*Dan Strauss, Member*

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*Pursuant to Washington State Governor's Proclamation No. 20-28.15 and Senate Concurrent Resolution 8402, this public meeting will be held remotely. Meeting participation is limited to access by the telephone number provided on the meeting agenda, and the meeting is accessible via telephone and Seattle Channel online.*

#### **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 February 15, 2022, pursuant to the provisions of the City Charter. The meeting was called to order at 2:01 p.m., with Council President Debra Juarez presiding.

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

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

**Present:** 9 - Juarez, Herbold, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Nelson, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

#### **C. PRESENTATIONS**

##### **Mayor Harrell's 2022 State of the City Address**

Mayor Harrell delivered his 2022 State of the City Address.

Councilmember Herbold presented a proclamation recognizing the significant cultural and architectural Unreinforced Masonry (URM) buildings in Seattle. By unanimous consent, the Council Rules were suspended to allow Councilmember Herbold to present the Proclamation, and to allow Lisa Nitze, Eugenia Woo, and Naomi West, to address the Council.

#### **D. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA**

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

#### **E. APPROVAL OF THE CONSENT CALENDAR**

Motion was made, duly seconded and carried, to adopt Consent Calendar item 1.

**1. Introduction and Referral Calendar**[IRC 336](#)**February 15, 2022 (Revised 2/14/22 at 4:00 p.m.)****The Item was adopted on the Consent Calendar by the following vote:****In Favor:** 9 - Juarez, Herbold, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Nelson, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss**Opposed:** None**F. PUBLIC COMMENT**

The following individual addressed the Council:

Howard Gale

**G. PAYMENT OF BILLS**[CB 120269](#)**AN ORDINANCE appropriating money to pay certain audited claims for the week of January 31, 2022 through February 4, 2022 and ordering the payment thereof.**

Motion was made and duly seconded to pass Council Bill 120269.

**The Motion carried, the Council Bill (CB) was passed by the following vote, and the President signed the Council Bill (CB):****In Favor:** 9 - Juarez, Herbold, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Nelson, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss**Opposed:** None**H. COMMITTEE REPORTS****LAND USE COMMITTEE:**

1. [CB 120253](#) **AN ORDINANCE relating to floodplains; second extension of interim regulations established by Ordinance 126113 for an additional six months, to allow individuals to rely on updated National Flood Insurance Rate Maps to obtain flood insurance through the Federal Emergency Management Agency's Flood Insurance Program; and amending Section 25.06.110 of the Seattle Municipal Code.**

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

**In Favor: 5 - Strauss, Morales, Mosqueda, Nelson, Pedersen  
Opposed: None**

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

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

**Opposed: None**

#### **I. ADOPTION OF OTHER RESOLUTIONS**

2. [Res 32042](#) **A RESOLUTION calling for a special election to fill a vacancy in the City employee-elected position on the Civil Service Commission and directing the City Clerk to administer the election.**

Motion was made and duly seconded to adopt Resolution 32042.

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

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

**Opposed: None**

#### **J. OTHER BUSINESS**

Motion was made, duly seconded and carried, to excuse Councilmember Morales from the February 22, 2022 City Council meeting.

**K. ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business to come before the Council, the meeting was adjourned at 3:09 p.m.

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**Jodee Schwinn, Deputy City Clerk**

**Signed by me in Open Session, upon approval of the Council, on February 22, 2022.**

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**Debora Juarez, Council President of the City Council**

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**Monica Martinez Simmons, City Clerk**