

SUMMARY and FISCAL NOTE*

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** Note that the Summary and Fiscal Note describes the version of the bill or resolution as introduced; final legislation including amendments may not be fully described.*

1. BILL SUMMARY

Legislation Title: A RESOLUTION regarding a voter-proposed Initiative Measure concerning allowing voters to vote for multiple candidates in primary elections; authorizing the City Clerk and the Executive Director of the Ethics and Elections Commission to take those actions necessary to enable the proposed Initiative Measure to appear on the November 8, 2022, ballot and the local voters' pamphlet; requesting the King County Elections Director to place the proposed Initiative Measure on the November 8, 2022, election ballot; and providing for the publication of such proposed Initiative Measure.

Summary and Background of the Legislation: This resolution carries out the City Council's duty under Seattle City Charter Article IV, Section 1 to transmit for ballot placement any voter-proposed initiative for which the petition received a sufficient number of signatures.

2. CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM

Does this legislation create, fund, or amend a CIP Project? ☐ Yes ☒ No

3. SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

Does this legislation amend the Adopted Budget? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Does the legislation have other financial impacts to The City of Seattle that are not reflected in the above, including direct or indirect, short-term or long-term costs?
No

Are there financial costs or other impacts of *not* implementing the legislation?
The City Council is required under Seattle City Charter Article IV, Section 1 to transmit for ballot placement any voter-proposed initiative for which the petition received a sufficient number of signatures

4. OTHER IMPLICATIONS

- a. Does this legislation affect any departments besides the originating department?**
The legislation requests that the Office of the City Clerk and the Ethics and Elections Commission take the steps necessary to place the initiative on the November 8, 2022 ballot.

b. Is a public hearing required for this legislation?

No.

c. Is publication of notice with *The Daily Journal of Commerce* and/or *The Seattle Times* required for this legislation?

No

d. Does this legislation affect a piece of property?

No

e. Please describe any perceived implication for the principles of the Race and Social Justice Initiative. Does this legislation impact vulnerable or historically disadvantaged communities? What is the Language Access plan for any communications to the public?

None identified for this Resolution.

f. Climate Change Implications

1. Emissions: Is this legislation likely to increase or decrease carbon emissions in a material way?

No

2. Resiliency: Will the action(s) proposed by this legislation increase or decrease Seattle's resiliency (or ability to adapt) to climate change in a material way? If so, explain. If it is likely to decrease resiliency in a material way, describe what will or could be done to mitigate the effects.

No

g. If this legislation includes a new initiative or a major programmatic expansion: What are the specific long-term and measurable goal(s) of the program? How will this legislation help achieve the program's desired goal(s)?

This answer should highlight measurable outputs and outcomes.

Not applicable

Summary Attachments:

None