

# 2020 Seattle City Council Statement of Legislative Intent

Agenda

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**Budget Action Title:** Request a report from CBO on the use and contracted cost of beds at the King County Jail and options for distribution of services inside the King County Jail

Ongoing: No Has Attachment: No

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**Statement of Legislative Intent:**

Following the response to SLI 12-70-A-2-2019, and the draw down of contracted services to the lowest possible floor beginning in 2020, this Statement of Legislative Intent requests a report from the City Budget Office (CBO) on the actual use of those contracted beds by the City of Seattle's Jail Services Contract with King County. The report should include the following information:

1. An analysis of the average daily bed use per the contract held by the City by year over the life of the current contract;
2. The 2019 and 2020 cost per bed/per night per the contract; and,
3. Options for flexibility in the distribution of services inside the King County Jail given the City's, and County's, recent commitment to capital improvements in the Jail for the purpose of enhanced shelter services to provide comprehensive services to community members that are the hardest to serve.

The report should be submitted to the Gender Equity, Safe Communities, New Americans & Education Committee, or its successor committee, and a copy to the Central Staff Executive Director, by May 15, 2020.

**Responsible Council Committee(s):**

Gender Equity, Safe Communities, New Americans & Education

**Date Due to Council:** May 15, 2020