



SEATTLE CITY COUNCIL

Governance, Native Communities, and Tribal Governments Committee

Agenda

Thursday, September 21, 2023

9:30 AM

Council Chamber, City Hall
600 4th Avenue
Seattle, WA 98104

Debora Juarez, Chair
Alex Pedersen, Vice-Chair
Teresa Mosqueda, Member
Kshama Sawant, Member
Dan Strauss, Member

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Committee Website:

<https://www.seattle.gov/council/committees/governance-native-communities-and-tribal-govts>

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A. Call To Order

B. Approval of the Agenda

C. Public Comment

D. Items of Business

1. [Appt 02657](#) **Reappointment of Michael L. Reichert as member, Seattle Indian Services Commission, for a term to November 30, 2025.**

Attachments: [Appointment Packet](#)

Briefing, Discussion, and Possible Vote (5 minutes)

Presenter: Demarus Tevuk, Seattle Indian Services Commission

2. [Appt 02658](#) **Reappointment of Misha Y. Rodarte as member, Seattle Indian Services Commission, for a term to June 30, 2026.**

Supporting Documents: [Appointment Packet](#)

Briefing, Discussion, and Possible Vote (5 minutes)

Presenter: Demarus Tevuk, Seattle Indian Services Commission

3. [Appt 02659](#) **Appointment of Greg P. Ramirez as member, Labor Standards Advisory Committee, for a term to April 30, 2025.**

Attachments: [Appointment Packet](#)

Briefing, Discussion, and Possible Vote (5 minutes)

Presenter: Kerem Levitas, Office of Labor Standards

4. [Res 32110](#) **A RESOLUTION** establishing the City’s continuing support to advance a public-private partnership through future agreements between The City of Seattle, Seattle Public Schools, and the One Roof Partnership; and addressing funding needs to develop a new world-class Memorial Stadium serving students, youth, and the community and that is transformative for Seattle Center.

Supporting Documents:

- [Summary and Fiscal Note](#)
- [Summary Att A - Vicinity Map](#)
- [Presentation \(revised\)](#)

Briefing, Discussion, and Possible Vote (30 minutes)

Presenters: Deputy Mayor Tim Burgess; Marshall Foster, Interim Director, and Jackie Kirn, Seattle Center; David Kunselman, Department of Finance and Administrative Services; Brian Goodnight, Council Central Staff; Fred Podesta and District 4 School Board Director Vivian Song Maritz, Seattle Public Schools

5. [CB 120665](#) **AN ORDINANCE** amending Sections 5.24.020 and 5.24.030 of the Seattle Municipal Code (SMC) to adjust the thresholds upon which the City Council is briefed about settlement and claims matters in Executive Session; and amending SMC 5.24.020 to require twice-annual litigation briefings in Executive Session.

Supporting Documents:

- [Summary and Fiscal Note](#)
- [Amendment 1](#)

Briefing, Discussion, and Possible Vote (10 minutes)

Presenters: Esther Handy, Central Staff Director, and Lauren Henry, Council Central Staff

E. Adjournment



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Reappointment of Michael L. Reichert as member, Seattle Indian Services Commission, for a term to November 30, 2025.

The Appointment Packet is provided as an attachment.



City of Seattle Boards & Commissions Notice of Appointment

Appointee Name: <i>Michael L. Reichert</i>		
Board/Commission Name: <i>Seattle Indian Services Commission</i>		Position Title: <i>Member</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> Appointment OR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reappointment	City Council Confirmation required? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Appointing Authority: <input type="checkbox"/> City Council <input type="checkbox"/> Mayor <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: <i>SISC Governing Council</i>	Term of Position: * 12/1/2022 to 11/30/2025 <input type="checkbox"/> Serving remaining term of a vacant position	
Residential Neighborhood: <i>Maple Valley</i>	Zip Code: <i>98038</i>	Contact Phone No.: [REDACTED]
Background: Mr. Michael L. Reichert was appointed in 1979 as President & CEO of Catholic Community Services of Western Washington and Catholic Housing Services. In 2002, he became President and Trustee of the Catholic Charities Foundation of Western Washington. He also served for three years as a Commissioner to the Washington State Housing Finance Commission. Mr. Reichert, in his current position, is responsible for combined budgets exceeding \$170 million, and manages more than 3,300 employees. He brings an extensive background in housing development, human services, employment/training programs, and financial management. Mr. Reichert's other activities include Board member/Treasurer at the WaHelut Indian School (Olympia), Senior Fellow with the Wildflowers Institute (San Francisco), Chairperson/Founding Father of the Low Income Housing Institute, Chief Financial Officer for the Puyallup Tribe of Indians, and Development Consultant for the North central Montana Coalition. Michael is a graduate of Central Washington University and is an enrolled member of the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe, White Earth Indian Reservation. This reappointment represents Mr. Reichert's third term.		
Authorizing Signature (original signature): <i>Iris Friday</i> <small>Iris Friday (Jul 3, 2023 14:28 PDT)</small> Date Signed (appointed): Jul 3, 2023		Appointing Signatory: <i>Iris Friday</i> <i>Chair, Seattle Indian Services Commission</i>

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Michael L. Reichert

Current Position

President, Catholic Community Services of Western Washington; President, Catholic Housing Services of Western Washington; President, Catholic Charities Foundation

Summary of Qualifications

Visionary experienced leader, locally and nationally. Outstanding communication skills. Extensive management experience in social services, housing and advocacy organizations. Extensive knowledge of government policies. Serves as leader and organizer of the Social Services and Housing arms of the Roman Catholic Church in Western Washington. Demonstrated ability at structuring and transforming complex service organizations into integrated service delivery networks. Combined budgets exceeding \$300 million and 4,100 staff. Enrolled member Minnesota Chippewa Tribe, White Earth Indian Reservation.

Professional Experience

1979 – Present

Catholic Community Services (CCS) and Catholic Housing Services (CHS), Seattle, WA

President and Chief Executive Officer

- Directs day to day activities of CCS and CHS, which combined are the largest non-profit social service organization in Washington State with an annual budget of more than \$300 million and a staff of more than 4,100.
- Formulates organizational goals and objectives. Establishes administrative and program systems.
- Approves operational policies and procedures in areas such as personnel, legal, finance, advocacy, public relations, and fund development. Oversees subordinate or affiliated organizations.
- Recruits, appoints and supervises management staff.
- Advocates for CCS/CHS clients, staff and programs. Represents CCS/CHS to the public, media and government.

1995 – 1999

Puyallup Tribe of Indians/Puyallup International, Inc. Tacoma, WA

Finance Committee Member and Advisor

1975 – 1979

Puyallup Tribe of Indians, Tacoma, WA

Director of Federal Programs

- Managed the Tribe's employment and training programs as well as all federally funded support activities.
- Served as Executive Staff to the Tribal Council.
- Represented the Tribe and National Congress of American Indians on employment, training and economic development issues before the US Congress.

1976-1977

Maple Valley Community Center, Maple Valley, WA

Executive Director

- Founded and helped fund the Greater Maple Valley Community Center in its first year of operation.
- Co-founded and elected to the Greater Maple Valley Community Council and served as its Vice-Chair for 2 years.

1974-1976

Small Tribe Organization

Health Study Director, Assistant CETA Director

- Served as Assistant Director for Employment and Training for 18 reservation and non-reservation Indian Tribes in Western Washington.
- Served as Director of Comprehensive Health Study of off-reservation Indians in Washington State. Reported results of the two-year study to the United States Congress.

**Leadership roles
and affiliations**

Chairperson, National Catholic Housing Commission 1988-1993

Chairperson, Low Income Housing Institute 1992-1993

Chairperson, National Indian & Native American Employment & Training Coalition 1976-1979

Chairperson, McCauley Institute, Washington D.C. 1985-1991

Chairperson and President, Archdiocesan Housing Authority 1991-1999

Board member and Treasurer, WA He Lut Indian School

Vice-President and Senior Fellow, Wildflowers Institute in San Francisco

Board Member and Treasurer, Puyallup International Incorporated

Board Member, Catholic Charities USA Washington D.C. 1986-1989

Board Member, Northwest Harvest 1986-1993

Board Member, Intercommunity Housing 1991-1993

Vice-Chairperson, Greater Maple Valley Council 1976-1978

Education

1970 – 1974

Central Washington University, Ellensburg, Washington

BA/Communication and Native American Studies – Cum Laude

Seattle Indian Services Commission

5 Members: Pursuant to Ordinance 103387 and Revised Charter adopted in 2012, all members subject to City Council confirmation, 3-year terms:

- 1 Mayor- appointed
- 4 Other Appointing Authority: SISC Governing Council
(Note: Existing members represent previous appointing authorities (moving to Governing Council appointments at end of current term)).

Roster:

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4	F	N/A	1.	Chair	N. Iris Friday	11/1/22	10/31/25	7	Mayor
			2.	Member					Governing Council
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Reappointment of Misha Y. Rodarte as member, Seattle Indian Services Commission, for a term to June 30, 2026.

The Appointment Packet is provided as an attachment.



City of Seattle Boards & Commissions Notice of Appointment

Appointee Name: <i>Misha Y. Rodarte</i>		
Board/Commission Name: <i>Seattle Indian Services Commission</i>		Position Title: <i>Member, Treasurer</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> Appointment OR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reappointment	City Council Confirmation required? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Appointing Authority: <input type="checkbox"/> City Council <input type="checkbox"/> Mayor <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: <i>SISC Governing Council</i>	Term of Position: * 7/1/2023 to 6/30/2026 <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Serving remaining term of a vacant position</i>	
Residential Neighborhood: <i>Bonney Lake</i>	Zip Code: <i>98391</i>	Contact Phone No.: [REDACTED]
Background: Misha Y. Rodarte brings over eight (8) years of experience in the real estate-related industry to this position. Mrs. Rodarte is currently a Commercial Real Estate Broker at Legacy Commercial, Bellevue, WA (2015 - present). Prior to her work at Legacy Commercial, Misha had extensive experience as a Paralegal, Executive Administrator/Legal Assistant in several legal firms in King County (DAL Law Firm and Marine View Law & Escrow). Ms. Rodarte's community volunteer activities include: Serving as the Board Vice President of Native Action Network (Empowering women to be leaders in their communities and beyond & encouraging civic engagement and volunteerism); and the Seattle Indian Services Commission. This reappointment represents Ms. Rodarte's second term.		
Authorizing Signature (original signature): <i>Iris Friday</i> <small>Iris Friday (Jul 11, 2023 00:12 PDT)</small> Date Signed (appointed): Jul 11, 2023		Appointing Signatory: <i>Iris Friday</i> <i>Chair, Seattle Indian Services Commission</i>

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Misha Y. Rodarte

A passion for being a part of a team – A University of Washington graduate with Bachelor of Arts with a focus in International/Diversity Studies; seeking a long-term position within commercial real estate that presents options for personal growth, challenges, while maintaining a healthy balance in work/life.

Qualifications

- Commercial Real Estate broker (7+ years' experience)
- Superb Executive Assistant and Administration background (5+ years' experience)
- Experience in City Development and tracking Land Use Code changes
- Able to handle heavy caseloads, event planning, calendaring, and meeting deadlines
- Enjoy meeting new people and new cultures; International experience in travel to 9 countries including Europe, Asia, and South America

Education

- Rockwell Institute, Real Estate Licensing Course** – *Bellevue, WA* 2018
- Completed the required hours for WA State real estate license
- University of Washington, College of Arts and Sciences** - *Seattle, WA* 2009-2013
- Bachelor of Arts in American Indian Studies, with a Diversity minor
 - Cumulative GPA: **3.3/4.0** - Graduation date: June 2013
 - Related course: Critical AIS issues on the UN declaration of Indigenous Rights, Indigenous Feminism, Indigenous film and Sovereignty visuals, and many Independent Studies working on various field case studies of AIS communities and issues
 - Extracurricular Campus Activities: OMDA (Office of Minority Affairs) member, EOP (Equal Opportunity Program) participant, First Nations group at UW, and member of Alpha Delta Pi sorority
- Puyallup High School** - *Puyallup, WA* 2006-2009
- Cumulative GPA: 3.92
 - Graduate top 99% of class of 555 students

Experience

- Consultant Work** – *Washington*. 7/2022- Present
- Event planning, programming and execution of celebration and conference
- Commercial Real Estate Broker, Legacy Commercial** – *Bellevue, WA*. 9/2015- Present
- License in the State of Washington – License # 21007188
 - Asset management, leasing and legal matters
 - Hire experts for projects, redevelopment, and tenant improvements
 - Manage all acquisitions and sales of real estate properties in the US and Canada
 - Invoice and billings approval
- Paralegal, DAL Law Firm** – *Normandy Park, WA*. 4/2016- 5/2017
- Client relations- verifying appointments and communicating updates on files via phone & in writing
 - Drafting legal documents
 - Case Management through follow-up communication with clients, lenders, and court trustee
 - Drafting of master worksheets for the law firm
 - Social Media updating and drafting of blog posts
- Executive Administrator /Legal Assistant, Marine View Law & Escrow** - *Des Moines, WA*. 8/2013- 9/2015
- Assist with daily tasks and up-keep in the office and client's file and relations
 - Office management: Greet clients, answer phones, calendaring, and follow-up calls
 - Correspondences with clients i.e. send fax, emails, letters, and UPS/FedEx shipping drop-offs
 - Personable and able to conduct professional client appointments
 - Account management including taking payments, bank deposits, and Quickbooks entries
 - Prepare large files including bankruptcy filing, HAMP- home loan modifications, and real estate cases
- AVID Tutor, Puyallup School District** - *Puyallup, WA* 1/2011- 8/2013
- Work with all grade levels, and all subjects
 - Must be knowledgeable in core studies and electives
 - Superior problem-solving skills and study habits
- USA Team Member & National Speed Circuit (NSC) Athlete** – *Seattle, WA* 8/2011 – 5/2015
- Overall US Champion 2014

- Competed in three World Championships, qualified for four championships
- USADA Athlete registered with the US Olympic Committee
- First Alternate for the World Games in 2013 in Colombia
- First Alternate for the Pan American Games in 2012 in Mexico

Certifications and Technical Skills

Public Notary in the State of Washington – License # 181734, Commission expiration 11/19/2023
 Superior communication skills- through arts and language - written and verbal
 English (Fluent); Navajo Language (Conversational); French (Basic); Spanish (Novice- intro learning)
 Computer skills- proficient in MS Office, Skyline, Photoshop, Adobe, Quickbooks, Lawpay, Clio, and Conflict-Data Base
 Social Media knowledge and management - including Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, Blogs, etc.

Honors/Awards/Scholarships

Bellevue Chamber of Commerce- New Executives participant	6/2021
Certificate in Local Planning – Washington Dept of Commerce	3/2016
Award for Excellent Leadership from NAN Cohort	2018-2019
USA Team speed skater: 4 times represented Team USA as Overall Sprint Champion	2011-2014
University of Washington Dean's List, GPA 3.5 and above: 3.85	2013
University of Washington Dean's List, GPA 3.5 and above	2012
University of Washington OMDA/EOP Award Recipient- <i>Robert and Nancy Knight Scholarship</i> (\$3000)	2012
University of Washington Undergrad Grant Recipient (\$9366)	2012
Mary Gates Leadership Scholar and <i>Scholarship</i> (\$4000)	2012
Professional Olympic Caliber Athlete - USOC Elite Athlete Health Insurance	2012
Navajo Nation - <i>Chief Manuelito Scholar</i> (\$7000)	2011-2013
Washington State Indian Gaming Commission (\$2000)	2012
Washington State Indian Education for Higher Education Scholarship (\$1500)	2012
USA Roller Sports Scholarship - <i>Higher Education</i> (\$4000)	2012

Volunteerism

Native Action Network Board Vice President	11/2022 - Present
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Board Member since November 2022 - Weekly board meetings; plan events and assist with programs - Fundraising and application writing 	
Seattle Indian Service Commission	8/2020 – Present
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Position: Volunteer Commissioner - Monthly meetings with occasional special sessions - Sub-chair for the Planning and Development team - Help with collecting community input and hosted several community outreach sessions in 2020-21. 	
Northwest Parkinson's Foundation	5/2018
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Volunteered for the annual fundraising gala 	
Native Action Network	4/2013 – 6/2020
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Position: Youth Academy Coordinator and Communications Facilitator - Promotions and Communications through all social medias - Native American Women's Youth Leadership Conference organization and participant accommodation - Empowering women to be leaders in their communities and beyond - Encouraging civic engagement and volunteerism 	

References

Darcel Lobo, DAL Law Firm –Normandy Park, WA.

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Iris Friday, Native Action Network -Seattle, WA.

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**Additional References Upon Request*

**Letters of Recommendation Upon Request*

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Appointment of Greg P. Ramirez as member, Labor Standards Advisory Committee, for a term to April 30, 2025.

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Appointee Name: Greg P. Ramirez		
Board/Commission Name: Labor Standards Advisory Committee		Position Title: Member, Position 5
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Appointment OR <input type="checkbox"/> Reappointment	City Council Confirmation required? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Appointing Authority: <input type="checkbox"/> City Council <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mayor <input type="checkbox"/> Other: <i>Fill in appointing authority</i>	Term of Position: * 5/1/2023 to 4/30/2025 <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Serving remaining term of a vacant position</i>	
Residential Neighborhood: District 2	Zip Code: 98108	Contact Phone No.: [REDACTED]
Background: As the Director of Organizing and now Deputy Director of SEIU6, it is my mandate to advocate in the interests of property service workers in Seattle and King County. The workforce SEIU6 represents is largely immigrant and majority persons of color. Our members speak more than 26 languages, and they work in industries where union representation is critical to ensure safety on the job, livable wages, and leverage against exploitation. SEIU6 members have firsthand experience with the profound impact workplace standards and policies can have on their lives. Our members were instrumental in the Fight for 15 at SeaTac, a major shift that continues to transform their lives and livelihoods, as well as the communities surrounding the airport. Work standards and policies have huge impacts on property service workers, and I will bring their interests with me to the table at the Labor Standards Advisory Commission.		
Authorizing Signature (original signature):  Date Signed (appointed): 8/2/2023		Appointing Signatory: Bruce A. Harrell Mayor of Seattle

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Greg P. Ramirez



Summary of Qualifications

- Knowledgeable of Federal, State, and local labor laws
- Dedicated to eliminating barriers to good pay and long-term work
- Fighting for employee rights and ensuring more equitable access to livable wage jobs
- Develop and maintain strategic partnerships with faith, community and labor groups
- Knowledgeable of labor agreements/collective bargaining and the grievance procedure
- Strong communication skills; ability to effectively work within a team setting and with community partners
- Efficiently handle multiple tasks; pays close attention to details, and works well under pressure
- Dedicated hard worker who is self-motivated, with strong time management, flexibility, and cooperation skills

Professional Experience

SEIU6 Property Services NW – Seattle, WA

03/2023 – Present

Deputy Director/Chief of Staff

- Assists the President in the planning, implementation and development of SEIU6 strategies and programs, including policy development, stakeholder engagement, research collaborations, and other projects that advances SEIU6 mission
- Lead all teams, establish good communication, and unite staff across the organization to keep programs/campaigns moving forward
- Oversee organizational development, including strategic planning, staff development, annual budgets, and capacity building
- Work closely with labor allies, elected officials, employers and other outward facing stakeholders

SEIU6 Property Services NW – Seattle, WA

01/2019 – 03/2023

Director of Organizing

- Responsible for leading a team of 3 External Organizers that work to grow our union
- Analyze, select, and supervise external organizing campaigns to grow our labor union.
- Run comprehensive organizing campaigns that include leader development, field work, research, politics, and coalition work
- Supervise, mentor, develop and evaluate organizing staffs performance; motivate staff to meet and exceed campaign goals
- Assist the Local leadership and International Union with the development and implementation of our overall organizing strategy (local and national level)

Director of Internal Organizing

- Responsible for leading a team of 6 Internal Organizers/Union Representatives that enforce the Collective Bargaining Agreements for 7,000 Union Members throughout the State of Washington.
- Guide organizers and member leaders to create an internal organizing structure that is effective at resolving issues, maintaining membership, and mobilizing members to take action around improving wages, benefits and working conditions.
- Create, implement, track and oversee strategic contracts and worksite campaigns around specific issues including budget cuts, contract negotiations, health & safety issues, etc.
- Supervise, mentor, develop and evaluate the Organizer's performance; motivate staff to meet and exceed campaign goals

Lead Union Organizer/Representative

- Represent over 1,700 Security Officers throughout Washington State and ensure the Collective Bargaining Agreement is being enforced
- Act as a negotiator in contract bargaining with 7 Security Contractors, some of which make up the largest Security firms in the U.S. and Internationally
- Engage with union membership and inform them of their basic worker rights, benefits, and the support we offer as a labor union
- Periodically oversee a group of 10-15 Member Organizers who participate in campaigns to organize workers into the union, campaigns to strengthen the collective bargaining agreements or the Union as a whole

Job Developer/ Employment Placement Specialist

- Initiate and maintain ongoing personal contacts with a variety of businesses, union and industry representatives
- Make cold calls to potential employers; locate jobs and/or internships for participants who have successfully completed job training programs
- Keep abreast of the employer satisfaction of job placements by contacting employers regularly to provide follow-up as well as follow-up to ensure participant satisfaction
- Teach job readiness training workshops with a focus on job search techniques, resume and cover letter writing, interview skills, and workplace etiquette
- Work with other Case Managers to track and ensure positive outcomes with our clients

Legal Administrative Specialist

- Notify Defendants of upcoming court dates
- Organize and maintain the file area in Felony Records and Closed Files; re-file prosecutor files after court calendar and arrange the delivery of case files needed during trial
- Oversaw the shipment and retention of old case files (Knowledgeable of WA State retention laws and Public Disclosure Act)
- Provide general administrative support to Deputy Prosecutors and other PAO staff

- Train new hires of office duties, policies and procedures
- Highly independent work; required strong time management skills and self direction

Education and Certifications

CUNY School of Labor & Urban Studies — New York, New York Movement Leader Fellowship	12/2022
Antioch University— Seattle, Washington Case Management Best Practices Certificate Program	12/2010
Western Washington University— Bellingham, Washington Bachelor of Arts / Pre-Law (Law & Diversity)	06/2005
Bellevue Community College— Bellevue, Washington Associate of Arts	12/2002

Professional Affiliations

Georgetown Community Council Board of Directors <i>Chair</i>	Current
Martin Luther King County Labor Council <i>Delegate</i>	Current
SEIU Local 6 Staff Union <i>President</i>	Previous
City of Seattle Human Rights Commission <i>Commissioner</i>	Previous
Sound Transit <i>Diversity Oversight and Project Labor Agreement Committee</i>	Previous
Seattle Housing Authority <i>Section 3 Oversight and Advisory Committee</i>	Previous
Employment Action Resource Network (EARN) Recruitment Chair	Previous

Labor Standards Advisory Commission

15 Members: Pursuant to Ord. 124643, all members subject to City Council confirmation, 2-year terms:

- 7 City Council-appointed
- 7 Mayor-appointed
- 1 Other Appointing Authority-appointed (specify): Commission-appointed

Roster:

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			1.	Commissioner	Vacant	5/1/23	4/30/25		Mayor
			2.	Commissioner	Alexis Rodich	5/1/22	4/30/24	2	Mayor
			3.	Commissioner	Vacant	5/1/23	4/30/25		Mayor
			4.	Commissioner	Annie Wise	5/1/22	4/30/24	2	Mayor
		2	5.	Commissioner	Greg P. Ramirez	5/1/23	4/30/25	1	Mayor
			6.	Commissioner	Vacant	5/1/22	4/30/24		Mayor
			7.	Commissioner	Diana Ochoa	5/1/21	4/30/23	1	Mayor
			8.	Commissioner	Danielle Alvarado	5/1/22	4/30/24	1	City Council
			9.	Commissioner	Will Pittz	5/1/21	4/30/23	2	City Council
6	F	1	10.	Commissioner	Dustin Lambro	5/1/22	4/30/24	1	City Council
			11.	Commissioner	Gay Gilmore	5/1/21	4/30/23	2	City Council
6	F	NA	12.	Commissioner	Ilona Lohrey	5/1/22	4/30/24	2	City Council
6	M	NA	13.	Commissioner	Billy Hetherington	5/1/21	4/30/23	1	City Council
1	F	3	14.	Commissioner	Jeanie Chunn	5/1/22	4/30/24	2	City Council
1	M	2	15.	Commissioner	Joel Shapiro	5/1/21	04/30/23	1	Commission

SELF-IDENTIFIED DIVERSITY CHART

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	Male	Female	Transgender	NB/ O/ U	Asian	Black/ African American	Hispanic/ Latino	American Indian/ Alaska Native	Other	Caucasian/ Non-Hispanic	Pacific Islander	Middle Eastern	Multiracial
Mayor													
Council	2	3			1					3			
Other	1				1								
Total	3	3			2					3			

Key:

*D List the corresponding *Diversity Chart* number (1 through 9)

**G List *gender*, M= Male, F= Female, T= Transgender, NB= Non-Binary O= Other U= Unknown

RD Residential Council District number 1 through 7 or N/A

Diversity information is self-identified and is voluntary.



Legislation Text

File #: Res 32110, **Version:** 1

CITY OF SEATTLE

RESOLUTION _____

A RESOLUTION establishing the City’s continuing support to advance a public-private partnership through future agreements between The City of Seattle, Seattle Public Schools, and the One Roof Partnership; and addressing funding needs to develop a new world-class Memorial Stadium serving students, youth, and the community and that is transformative for Seattle Center.

WHEREAS, the City Council adopted Resolution 32092 on May 16, 2023, establishing the City’s support for a new Memorial Stadium through a public-private partnership to replace the 76-year-old stadium with a financially sustainable, state-of-the-art, multipurpose sports, educational, and entertainment facility of prominent design, centered on students and youth, and fully integrated with the Seattle Center campus (the “Project”); and

WHEREAS, Seattle Public Schools (SPS) and The City of Seattle (“City”) issued a request for proposals and jointly selected the One Roof Partnership, an entity that includes the One Roof Foundation, Seattle Kraken, and Climate Pledge Arena, for further negotiation as a potential partner to invest in, construct, operate, and maintain the Project in partnership with SPS and the City; and

WHEREAS, the One Roof Partnership proposal for the Project is a vision for a state-of-the-art student- and community-centered facility that provides a significant investment in the lives of students, youth, and the community, and will preserve SPS’s ownership and use of the facility for student athletics, graduation, and other educational purposes; and

WHEREAS, the One Roof Partnership is committed to investing in students through educational experiences, internships, and support for sports, arts, and cultural opportunities; and

WHEREAS, the One Roof Partnership Project proposal is a design that authentically relates to and integrates

with the Seattle Center landscape, and reflects its historic and community values; and

WHEREAS, the One Roof Partnership Project proposal is estimated to cost \$150 million that must be funded through a strong public-private funding partnership; and

WHEREAS, in February 2022, Seattle voters approved \$66.5 million in the SPS 2022 Building Technology Athletics and Academics (“BTA V”) levy for the Project; and

WHEREAS, the City Council approved a \$21 million investment for the Project in the 2023 City budget and also unanimously adopted Statement of Legislative Intent (SLI) CEN-602-A-002-2023, which expressed the Council’s intent to work with the Mayor and SPS to identify additional funding above the initial \$21 million for the Project, with the goal of reaching a combined total contribution of \$40 million; and

WHEREAS, the One Roof Partnership is committed to leading the fundraising effort to raise the remaining private and philanthropic dollars necessary to supplement the public funds to close the funding gap and to be responsible for any potential cost increases or cost overruns; and

WHEREAS, the financial commitments demonstrated through the partnership of the City, SPS and One Roof Partnership are essential to successfully securing the private and philanthropic funding needed to complete the project budget; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SEATTLE, THE MAYOR

CONCURRING, THAT:

Section 1. The City Council generally supports the One Roof Partnership’s vision for a new Memorial Stadium as described in its response to the City/Seattle Public Schools (SPS) joint request for proposals, and filed with the City Clerk, in particular the commitments to invest in, develop, construct, operate, and maintain a student- and community-oriented Memorial Stadium that will be transformative for Seattle Center and to lead private and philanthropic fundraising. The City Council encourages the Executive’s project team to advance discussions on the public-private partnership consistent with the One Roof Partnership’s overall vision, and to

fully develop the range of public benefits described in their proposal for the benefit of SPS students and the Seattle Center community.

Section 2. The City Council established its intent via Statement of Legislative Intent (SLI) CEN-602-A-002-2023 to continue working with the Mayor and SPS to identify additional funding, with the goal of reaching a total of \$40 million in City funding to support specific elements of the Memorial Stadium project that would support operations of Seattle Center and expand and enhance open space connections between the campus and the stadium. Building on that intent and to support the completion of agreements to advance the Project, consistent with SLI CEN-602-A-002-2023, the City Council reaffirms its intent to work to identify additional City funding for the Memorial Stadium project anticipated to be needed in 2026-2027, leveraging funds provided by Seattle Public Schools and the One Roof Partnership.

Section 3. The City Council requests that the Mayor’s Office and Seattle Center develop the agreements necessary to implement the Project (“Agreements”) and transmit legislation to authorize the Agreements for the Council’s review and action. These Agreements will address the property and use rights between the City, SPS, and the One Roof Partnership, as well as the design and construction of the Project, the financial and legal terms for the Project’s construction, prevailing wage and labor harmony requirements, and responsibilities for the long-term operation of the Project. The Agreements will be subject to review and approval by the City Council and the SPS Board of Directors.

Section 4. The Council requests that Seattle Center, in collaboration with SPS and the One Roof Partnership, implement a community engagement process that helps to ensure that the Project welcomes and serves students and youth, fosters equity and inclusivity, integrates with and supports Seattle Center, and recognizes the importance of the site’s history.

Adopted by the City Council the _____ day of _____, 2023, and signed by me in open session in authentication of its adoption this _____ day of _____, 2023.

President _____ of the City Council

The Mayor concurred the _____ day of _____, 2023.

Bruce A. Harrell, Mayor

Filed by me this _____ day of _____, 2023.

Scheereen Dedman, City Clerk

(Seal)

SUMMARY and FISCAL NOTE*

Department:	Dept. Contact:	CBO Contact:
Seattle Center	Jackie Kim	Sarah Burtner

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1. BILL SUMMARY

Legislation Title:

A RESOLUTION establishing the City’s continuing support to advance a public-private partnership through future agreements between The City of Seattle, Seattle Public Schools, and the One Roof Partnership; and addressing funding needs to develop a new world-class Memorial Stadium serving students, youth, and the community and that is transformative for Seattle Center.

Summary and Background of the Legislation:

The 76-year-old Memorial Stadium at Seattle Center has lacked reinvestment and needs replacement. Built in 1946-47 on land the City of Seattle donated to Seattle Public Schools (SPS) to construct, operate, and maintain an athletic facility, it serves SPS’s students and the community as an essential venue for sports, entertainment, and community events.

The vision for the new Memorial Stadium is a financially sustainable state-of-the-art venue of prominent design centered on students and youth, fully integrated with the Seattle Center campus. The project fulfills important goals of the Century 21 Seattle Center Master plan to increase open space, complete the August Wilson Way cross-campus pedestrian connection, and provide essential operations facilities. The stadium must meet Washington Interscholastic Athletic Association standards under covered stands and additional seated and standing capacity on the field.

The City and SPS jointly issued a Request for Proposals (RFP) on March 20, 2023 (filed with the City Clerk), seeking a private partner to invest in, redevelop, operate, and maintain the project, in partnership with the City and SPS. On June 15, 2023, the City and SPS announced selection of the One Roof Partnership, comprised of the One Roof Foundation, Seattle Kraken and Climate Pledge Arena, for further negotiation as a potential private partner. The One Roof Partnership proposal for the Project is a vision for a state-of-the-art student- and community-centered facility that provides a significant investment in the lives of students, youth, and the community and will preserve SPS’s ownership and use of the facility for student athletics, graduation, and other educational purposes. The City and SPS are developing the implementing agreements terms with the One Roof Partnership that must be reviewed and approved by the City Council and SPS Board of Directors.

Approved public funding includes \$66.5 million of voter-approved funds in the 2022 Buildings, Technology, and Academics/Athletics Capital Levy V, \$21 million approved in the City 2023-28 Capital Improvement Plan, and \$4 million approved in the Washington State 2023 capital budget. The City Council also adopted a Statement of Legislative Intent

(SLI) which expressed the Council’s intent to work with the Mayor and SPS to identify additional funding with the goal of reaching a combined total contribution of \$40 million. The One Roof Partnership has committed to lead the fundraising effort to provide the balance of the project funding.

This resolution expresses the support of the Mayor and Council for the One Roof Partnership’s vision for a new Memorial Stadium as described in its response to the City/SPS joint-RFP, reaffirms City funding consistent with the Statement of Legislative Intent CEN-602-A-002-2023, as amended by CEN-602-A-002-2023 unanimously adopted by the City Council, and requests that the Mayor negotiate agreements necessary to implement the project and transmit legislation to authorize the agreements for the review and action by the Council (the “Agreements”). These Agreements will also be subject to review and action by the SPS Board of Directors. The resolution also requests that Seattle Center, in collaboration with SPS and the One Roof Partnership, implement an additional inclusive and equitable community engagement process.

After adoption of this resolution, the next steps in the project include commencement of the community engagement process, negotiation of the Agreements, and transmittal of legislation to the Council and SPS Board of Directors for review and action.

2. CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM

Does this legislation create, fund, or amend a CIP Project? ___ Yes X No

While this legislation does not create, fund, or amend a CIP project, it is related to the Memorial Stadium Redevelopment project – MC-SC-S9595 created in the 2023-2024 budget.

3. SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

Does this legislation amend the Adopted Budget? ___ Yes X 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?

No

4. OTHER IMPLICATIONS

- a. Does this legislation affect any departments besides the originating department?**
SPS and the City have joined in partnership with a shared vision for a redeveloped Memorial Stadium.

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?

Yes, Memorial Stadium which is owned by SPS and located at Seattle Center. A map is attached.

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?

Redevelopment of Memorial Stadium envisions a student-centered project, providing an opportunity to bring student athletics, educational opportunities, arts, and culture together in a common, central iconic place with the intent of achieving the goals of the City's Race and Social Justice Initiative and SPS Board Policy No. 0030, Ensuring Educational and Racial Equity. The City's Language Access Program will be implemented during the community engagement process.

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)?

NA

Summary Attachments:

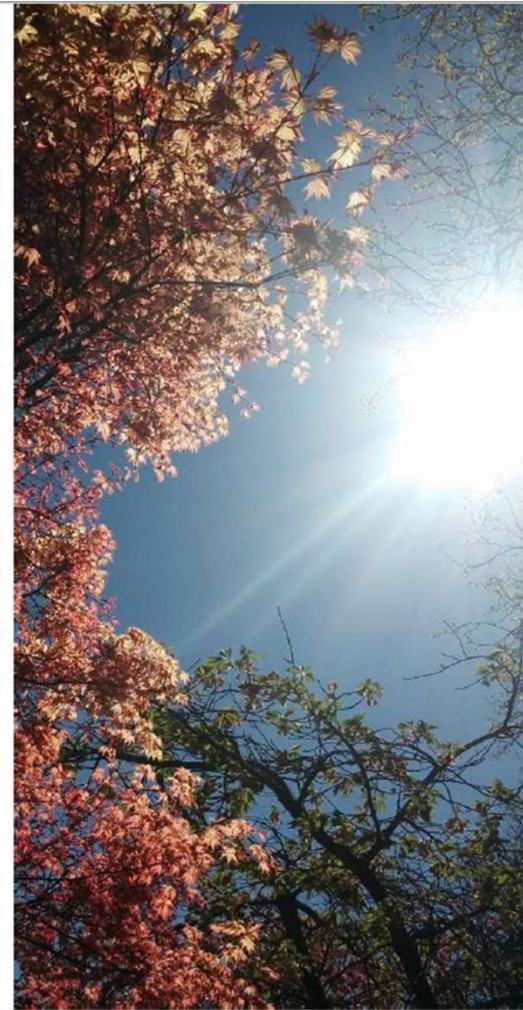
Summary Attachment A - Vicinity Map



Seattle Center Campus Map

* When you park at these Garages, your fees support Seattle Center free programs and campus grounds.

Last Revised: 01/13/2023



A New Memorial Stadium at Seattle Center

September 21, 2023

Today

Report progress toward a new Memorial Stadium

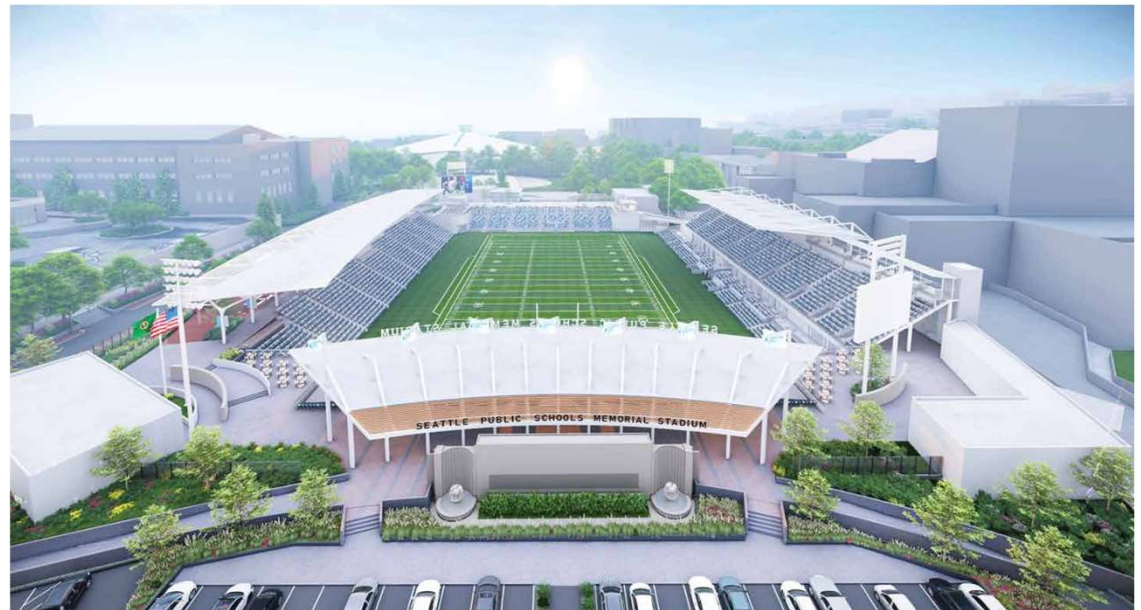
Present proposed Memorial Stadium resolution



History

The Memorial Wall honors the names of 762 former students who lost their lives in World War II.

The historic Memorial Wall is featured prominently in the proposal submitted in May 2023 by the One Roof Partnership to have a greater place of honor.



Background

Seattle Public Schools and City established a partnership through:

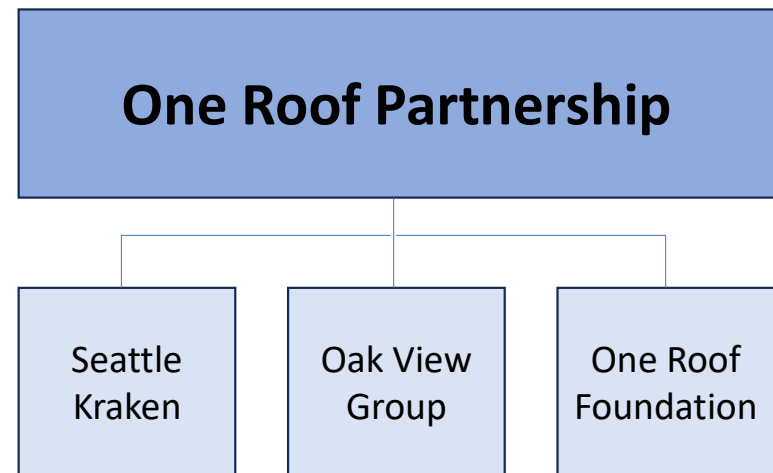
- Seattle Partnership Agreement (November 2017)
- Letter of Intent (October 2021)
- Memorandum of Agreement (November 2022)

City Council supported the Memorial Stadium project:

- approved \$21 million Memorial Stadium investment (2023 Budget)
- adopted Statement of Legislative Intent (CEN-602-A-002 2023)
- adopted Resolution 32092 (May 2023)

The One Roof Partnership

Seattle Public Schools and the City jointly selected the One Roof Partnership as the potential new Memorial Stadium developer and operator in June through a Request for Proposals.



One Roof Partnership's Commitments

Deliver a community stadium with student and youth focus:

- Student voices involved in design refinement process
- Educational and youth career development opportunities
- Athletic facilities and programmable spaces for arts and culture
- Design that is sustainable and transformative for Seattle Center

One Roof Partnership's Proposed Roles

- Lead and contribute to fundraising
- Lead stadium development
- Operate and maintain facility
- Generate revenues for financially sustainable O&M

Funding

- \$66.5M – Voter-approved BTA V levy funds
- \$4M – Washington State Local and Community Program Grant
- \$21M – City funds in 2024-2028 CIP
- Council intent to work with the Mayor to identify additional \$19M (SLI CEN-601-A-002-2023)
- Philanthropic funding led by One Roof Partnership

Next Steps

- Negotiate key terms of implementing agreements
- Transmit proposed implementing agreements to City Council and Seattle Public Schools Board of Directors for consideration in early 2024
- Expand community engagement

Resolution

- Reaffirms City support to advance the public-private partnership
- Reaffirms Council's intent in SLI CEN-602-A-002 2023
- Requests Mayor's Office and Seattle Center develop implementing documents and transmit legislation to Council
- Requests equitable and inclusive community engagement process as a collaborative effort between Seattle Public Schools, One Roof Partnership and Seattle Center



Legislation Text

File #: CB 120665, **Version:** 1

CITY OF SEATTLE

ORDINANCE _____

COUNCIL BILL _____

AN ORDINANCE amending Sections 5.24.020 and 5.24.030 of the Seattle Municipal Code (SMC) to adjust the thresholds upon which the City Council is briefed about settlement and claims matters in Executive Session; and amending SMC 5.24.020 to require twice-annual litigation briefings in Executive Session. WHEREAS, the statute regarding payment of judgments, Section 5.24.020 of the Seattle Municipal Code

(SMC), was originally established in 1979 and presently requires that prior to authorizing any litigation settlements over \$500,000, “the City Attorney shall brief the City Council regarding the proposed settlement during executive session called pursuant to RCW 42.30.110”; and

WHEREAS, the threshold for briefings was set at \$500,000 in Ordinance 120521 in 2001 and has not been adjusted since that time; and

WHEREAS, likewise, the threshold for an Executive Session briefing on claims matters as established in SMC 5.24.030 was established in Ordinance 120521 in 2001 at \$100,000 and has not been adjusted since 2001; and

WHEREAS, adjusting the thresholds for inflation would produce values 70 percent above their current levels and retain the original purposes for the Council receiving Executive Session briefings of significant settlement and claims matters; and

WHEREAS, adjusting the thresholds for settlement and claims briefings will retain the Council’s present role in reviewing significant settlement and claims matters while allowing smaller-amount settlements and claims to receive prompt attention and resolution; and

WHEREAS, Resolution 31847 established Policy 12, which became effective on January 1, 2019, and requires

the Director of Finance, the Director of Risk Management, and the City Attorney to provide an annual briefing on individual settlements over \$200,000 to Council in Executive Session; and

WHEREAS, Resolution 31847 maintains Council's ability to receive aggregated data on the City's claims and track trends that inform future policy decisions; and

WHEREAS, just as Council sees benefit from aggregated claims briefings in Executive Session, this ordinance will amend SMC 5.24.020 to require twice-annual Executive Sessions to discuss litigation impacting the laws and regulations of Seattle to bring awareness to larger trends; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF SEATTLE AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Section 5.24.020 of the Seattle Municipal Code, last amended by Ordinance 125492, is amended as follows:

5.24.020 Payment of judgments

A. Twice annually, in March and September, the City Attorney shall provide a summary briefing to the City Council in Executive Session on significant litigation that challenges or impacts provisions of the Seattle Municipal Code or its implementing rules and regulations.

B. The City Attorney may authorize payment of any settlement arising out of litigation against the City or any judgment against the City. Prior to authorizing settlement of any litigation for an amount over ((\$500,000)) \$1,000,000, the City Attorney shall brief the City Council regarding the proposed settlement during executive session called pursuant to RCW 42.30.110. Prior to authorizing a settlement involving significant financial or policy issues, the City Attorney shall consult with the City Budget Director, the Director of Finance and Administrative Services, and the head of the relevant department. Upon a presentation by the City Attorney to the Director of Finance and Administrative Services of either a copy of a Release and Order of Dismissal or a copy of a judgment against the City, entered in an appropriate court, and having attached thereto a statement in writing, signed by the City Attorney, to the effect that the right of appeal from such judgment has been expressly waived, or that the time for an appeal has expired, the Director of Finance and Administrative

Services shall issue a check upon the Judgment/Claims Fund for the amount of such judgment, and costs if awarded to the claimant by the court. The City Council may periodically review the briefing threshold amount against inflation to determine whether the threshold is appropriate for the purposes of this section.

Section 2. Section 5.24.030 of the Seattle Municipal Code, last amended by Ordinance 123361, is amended as follows:

5.24.030 Payment of claims

The Director of Finance and Administrative Services may authorize payment of any claim against the City, including claims brought in the small claims department of the district court pursuant to chapter 12.40 RCW. Prior to authorizing settlement of any claim for an amount over (~~(\$100,000)~~) \$200,000, the Director of Finance and Administrative Services and the City Attorney shall brief the City Council regarding the proposed settlement during executive session called pursuant to RCW 42.30.110. Prior to authorizing a settlement involving significant legal or policy issues, the Director of Finance and Administrative Services shall consult with the City Budget Director, the City Attorney and the head of the relevant department.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force 30 days after its approval by the Mayor, but if not approved and returned by the Mayor within ten days after presentation, it shall take effect as provided by Seattle Municipal Code Section 1.04.020.

Passed by the City Council the _____ day of _____, 2023, and signed by me in open session in authentication of its passage this _____ day of _____, 2023.

President _____ of the City Council

Approved / returned unsigned / vetoed this ____ day of _____, 2023.

Bruce A. Harrell, Mayor

Filed by me this _____ day of _____, 2023.

Scheereen Dedman, City Clerk

(Seal)

Attachments (if any):

SUMMARY and FISCAL NOTE*

Department:	Dept. Contact:	CBO Contact:
LEG	Esther Handy	n/a

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1. BILL SUMMARY

Legislation Title:

AN ORDINANCE amending Sections 5.24.020 and 5.24.030 of the Seattle Municipal Code (SMC) to adjust the thresholds upon which the City Council is briefed about settlement and claims matters in Executive Session; and amending SMC 5.24.020 to require twice-annual litigation briefings in Executive Session.

Summary and Background of the Legislation:

First, this bill creates a requirement that the City Attorney must provide two briefings per year to the City Council in Executive Session regarding the pending litigation that implicates the Seattle Municipal Code and implementing rules and regulations. These macro briefings give the City Council an opportunity to see trends in litigation or examine the policies that are subject to litigation.

Second, this bill modifies the settlement and claims thresholds that trigger a requirement for City Council briefing prior to the resolution of a settlement or claim. In 2001, the threshold for briefings was set at \$500,000 in Ordinance 120521. The amount has not been adjusted since that time. Likewise, the threshold for an Executive Session briefing on claims matters is established in SMC 5.24.030 was established in Ordinance 120521 in 2001 at \$100,000 and has not been adjusted since 2001. Together, the two statutes, SMC 5.24.020 and 5.24.030, establish briefing thresholds which require the City Attorney to brief the City Council on the judgement or settlement of a claim before resolving the matter. Minimally adjusting the thresholds for inflation would produce values 70% above their current levels. This legislation adjusts the thresholds to \$1,000,000 for a settlement of litigation and \$200,000 for settlement of a claim, with the goal to retain the original purposes for the Council receiving Executive Session briefings of significant settlement and claims matters. An adjustment tethered just above current inflation will retain the Council's present role in reviewing significant settlement and claims matters while allowing smaller amount settlements and claims to receive prompt attention and resolution.

2. CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM

Does this legislation create, fund, or amend a CIP Project? ___ Yes X No

If yes, please fill out the table below and attach a new (if creating a project) or marked-up (if amending) CIP Page to the Council Bill. Please include the spending plan as part of the attached CIP Page. If no, please delete the table.

3. SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

Does this legislation amend the Adopted Budget? ___ Yes X No

If there are no changes to appropriations, revenues, or positions, please delete the table below.

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?

No

If there are no changes to appropriations, revenues, or positions, please delete sections 3.a., 3.b., and 3.c. and answer the questions in Section 4.

4. OTHER IMPLICATIONS

a. Does this legislation affect any departments besides the originating department?

The City Attorney's Office (LAW) and Finance and Administrative Services

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?

Adjusting the briefing thresholds will expedite the resolution and release of lower dollar value claims to claimants, for example property damage claims. To the extent that vulnerable or historically disadvantaged communities experience damage to property and raise a claim with the city but must front-end costs while awaiting a settlement, removing the City Council briefing from the sequence of requirements that must occur prior to payment can reduce the amount of time before a claimant receives relief from their claim. This brings greater equity outcomes to the claimant process.

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)?

N/A

Amendment 1 Version 1 to CB 120665

Sponsor: Councilmember Juarez

Clarifying the scope of litigation impacts that are ripe for Executive Sessions

Effect: This amendment adds the word “materially” before “impacts” in SMC 5.24.020 to clarify the types of matters that are appropriate for Executive Sessions in which the City Attorney briefs the Council on significant litigation that challenges or impacts the code.

Amend Section 1 of CB 120665 as follows:

Section 1. Section 5.24.020 of the Seattle Municipal Code, last amended by Ordinance 125492, is amended as follows:

5.24.020 Payment of judgments

A. Twice annually, in March and September, the City Attorney shall provide a summary briefing to the City Council in Executive Session on significant litigation that challenges or **materially** impacts provisions of the Seattle Municipal Code or its implementing rules and regulations.

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