

# SEATTLE CITY COUNCIL

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## Journal of the Proceedings of the Seattle City Council

Tuesday, June 25, 2024

2:00 PM

**Council Chamber, City Hall**

**600 4th Avenue**

**Seattle, WA 98104**

**City Council**

*Sara Nelson, Council President*

*Joy Hollingsworth, Member*

*Robert Kettle, Member*

*Cathy Moore, Member*

*Tammy J. Morales, Member*

*Maritza Rivera, Member*

*Rob Saka, Member*

*Dan Strauss, Member*

*Tanya Woo, Member*

*Chair Info: 206-684-8809; [Sara.Nelson@seattle.gov](mailto:Sara.Nelson@seattle.gov)*

**A. CALL TO ORDER**

The City Council of the City of Seattle met in the Council Chamber in Seattle, Washington, on June 25, 2024, pursuant to the provisions of the City Charter. The meeting was called to order at 2:01 p.m., with Council President Pro Tem Rivera presiding.

**B. ROLL CALL**

**Present:** 7 - Hollingsworth, Kettle, Morales, Rivera, Saka, Strauss, Woo

**Excused:** 2 - Moore, Nelson

By unanimous consent, Councilmember Moore was excused from the June 25, 2024 City Council meeting.

**C. PRESENTATIONS**

Councilmember Strauss presented a Proclamation proclaiming Friday, June 28, 2024 to be "Aly Pennucci Day."

The following Councilmembers affixed their signature to the Proclamation:  
7 - Hollingsworth, Kettle, Morales, Rivera, Saka, Strauss, Woo

By unanimous consent, the Council Rules were suspended to allow Councilmember Strauss to present the Proclamation, and to allow Aly Pennucci, Council Central Staff Deputy Director, to address the Council.

**D. PUBLIC COMMENT**

The following individuals addressed the Council:

- Erica Lee
- Arianna Riley
- Alex Tsimerman
- Paul Dekel
- Jason Ogulnik
- John Stomstad
- Rita Hulsman
- Debbie Wilson
- Ron Jones
- Victoria Palmer
- Phanna Somng
- Kefentse Olabisi
- Vern Henderson
- Alex Kim
- Alberto Alvarez

**E. ADOPTION OF INTRODUCTION AND REFERRAL CALENDAR:**

[IRC 442](#)      **June 25, 2026**

**By unanimous consent, the Introduction & Referral Calendar (IRC) was adopted.**

**In Favor:** 7 - Hollingsworth, Kettle, Morales, Rivera, Saka, Strauss, Woo

**Opposed:** None

**F. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA**

By unanimous consent, the City Council Agenda was adopted.

**G. APPROVAL OF CONSENT CALENDAR**

Motion was made by Council President Pro Tem Rivera, duly seconded and carried, to adopt the Consent Calendar.

**Journal:**

1.      [Min 478](#)      **June 18, 2024**

**The item was adopted on the Consent Calendar by the following vote, and the President signed the Minutes:(Min):**

**In Favor:** 7 - Hollingsworth, Kettle, Morales, Rivera, Saka, Strauss, Woo

**Opposed:** None

**Bills:**

- 2.     [CB 120803](#)   **AN ORDINANCE appropriating money to pay certain claims for the week of June 10, 2024 through June 14, 2024 and ordering the payment thereof; and ratifying and confirming certain prior acts.**

**The item was passed on the Consent Calendar by the following vote, and the President signed the Council Bill:**

**In Favor:** 7 - Hollingsworth, Kettle, Morales, Rivera, Saka, Strauss, Woo

**Opposed:** None

**Appointments:**

**FINANCE, NATIVE COMMUNITIES, AND TRIBAL GOVERNMENTS COMMITTEE:**

- 3.     [Appt 02898](#)   **Reappointment of Derrick Leonard Belgarde as member, Indigenous Advisory Council, for a term to July 31, 2026.**

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

**In Favor:** 4 - Strauss, Rivera, Kettle, Nelson

**Opposed:** None

**The Appointment (Appt) was confirmed on the Consent Calendar by the following vote:**

**In Favor:** 7 - Hollingsworth, Kettle, Morales, Rivera, Saka, Strauss, Woo

**Opposed:** None

4. [Appt 02899](#) Reappointment of Jaci S. McCormack as member, Indigenous Advisory Council, for a term to July 31, 2026.

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

In Favor: 4 - Strauss, Rivera, Kettle, Nelson

Opposed: None

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

In Favor: 7 - Hollingsworth, Kettle, Morales, Rivera, Saka, Strauss, Woo

Opposed: None

5. [Appt 02900](#) Reappointment of Suzanne Sailto as member, Indigenous Advisory Council, for a term to July 31, 2026.

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

In Favor: 4 - Strauss, Rivera, Kettle, Nelson

Opposed: None

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

In Favor: 7 - Hollingsworth, Kettle, Morales, Rivera, Saka, Strauss, Woo

Opposed: None

6. [Appt 02901](#) Reappointment of Jeremy Takala as member, Indigenous Advisory Council, for a term to July 31, 2026.

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

In Favor: 4 - Strauss, Rivera, Kettle, Nelson

Opposed: None

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

In Favor: 7 - Hollingsworth, Kettle, Morales, Rivera, Saka, Strauss, Woo

Opposed: None

7. [Appt 02902](#) Reappointment of Luther F. Mills Jr. as member, Indigenous Advisory Council, for a term to July 31, 2026.

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

In Favor: 4 - Strauss, Rivera, Kettle, Nelson

Opposed: None

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

In Favor: 7 - Hollingsworth, Kettle, Morales, Rivera, Saka, Strauss, Woo

Opposed: None

**GOVERNANCE, ACCOUNTABILITY, AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE:**

8. [Appt 02881](#) Appointment of Mark M. Gantar as member, Seattle International Affairs Advisory Board, for a term to April 30, 2026.

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

In Favor: 5 - Nelson, Kettle, Hollingsworth, Rivera, Saka

Opposed: None

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

In Favor: 7 - Hollingsworth, Kettle, Morales, Rivera, Saka, Strauss, Woo

Opposed: None

9. [Appt 02882](#) **Appointment of Michael A. Harold as member, Seattle International Affairs Advisory Board, for a term to April 30, 2026.**

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

**In Favor: 5 - Nelson, Kettle, Hollingsworth, Rivera, Saka**

**Opposed: None**

**The Appointment (Appt) was confirmed on the Consent Calendar by the following vote:**

**In Favor: 7 - Hollingsworth, Kettle, Morales, Rivera, Saka, Strauss, Woo**

**Opposed: None**

10. [Appt 02883](#) **Appointment of Ellie He as member, Seattle International Affairs Advisory Board, for a term to April 30, 2026.**

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

**In Favor: 5 - Nelson, Kettle, Hollingsworth, Rivera, Saka**

**Opposed: None**

**The Appointment (Appt) was confirmed on the Consent Calendar by the following vote:**

**In Favor: 7 - Hollingsworth, Kettle, Morales, Rivera, Saka, Strauss, Woo**

**Opposed: None**

11. [Appt 02884](#) **Appointment of Heather Yang Hwalek as member, Seattle International Affairs Advisory Board, for a term to April 30, 2026.**

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

**In Favor: 5 - Nelson, Kettle, Hollingsworth, Rivera, Saka**

**Opposed: None**

**The Appointment (Appt) was confirmed on the Consent Calendar by the following vote:**

**In Favor:** 7 - Hollingsworth, Kettle, Morales, Rivera, Saka, Strauss, Woo

**Opposed:** None

12. [Appt 02885](#) **Appointment of Liz Johnson as member, Seattle International Affairs Advisory Board, for a term to April 30, 2026.**

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

**In Favor:** 5 - Nelson, Kettle, Hollingsworth, Rivera, Saka

**Opposed:** None

**The Appointment (Appt) was confirmed on the Consent Calendar by the following vote:**

**In Favor:** 7 - Hollingsworth, Kettle, Morales, Rivera, Saka, Strauss, Woo

**Opposed:** None

13. [Appt 02886](#) **Reappointment of Jacqueline McLaren Miller as member, Seattle International Affairs Advisory Board, for a term to April 30, 2026.**

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

**In Favor:** 5 - Nelson, Kettle, Hollingsworth, Rivera, Saka

**Opposed:** None

**The Appointment (Appt) was confirmed on the Consent Calendar by the following vote:**

**In Favor:** 7 - Hollingsworth, Kettle, Morales, Rivera, Saka, Strauss, Woo

**Opposed:** None

14. [Appt 02887](#) **Appointment of Era Schrepfer as member, Seattle International Affairs Advisory Board, for a term to April 30, 2026.**

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

**In Favor: 5 - Nelson, Kettle, Hollingsworth, Rivera, Saka**

**Opposed: None**

**The Appointment (Appt) was confirmed on the Consent Calendar by the following vote:**

**In Favor: 7 - Hollingsworth, Kettle, Morales, Rivera, Saka, Strauss, Woo**

**Opposed: None**

15. [Appt 02888](#) **Appointment of Monique A. Thormann as member, Seattle International Affairs Advisory Board, for a term to April 30, 2026.**

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

**In Favor: 5 - Nelson, Kettle, Hollingsworth, Rivera, Saka**

**Opposed: None**

**The Appointment (Appt) was confirmed on the Consent Calendar by the following vote:**

**In Favor: 7 - Hollingsworth, Kettle, Morales, Rivera, Saka, Strauss, Woo**

**Opposed: None**

16. [Appt 02889](#) **Reappointment of Karin Zaugg Black as member, Seattle International Affairs Advisory Board, for a term to April 30, 2026.**

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

**In Favor: 5 - Nelson, Kettle, Hollingsworth, Rivera, Saka**

**Opposed: None**

**The Appointment (Appt) was confirmed on the Consent Calendar by the following vote:**

**In Favor:** 7 - Hollingsworth, Kettle, Morales, Rivera, Saka, Strauss, Woo

**Opposed:** None

17. [Appt 02890](#) **Reappointment of David B. Woodward as member, Seattle International Affairs Advisory Board, for a term to April 30, 2026.**

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

**In Favor:** 5 - Nelson, Kettle, Hollingsworth, Rivera, Saka

**Opposed:** None

**The Appointment (Appt) was confirmed on the Consent Calendar by the following vote:**

**In Favor:** 7 - Hollingsworth, Kettle, Morales, Rivera, Saka, Strauss, Woo

**Opposed:** None

18. [Appt 02891](#) **Appointment of Noah Zeichner as member, Seattle International Affairs Advisory Board, for a term to April 30, 2026.**

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

**In Favor:** 5 - Nelson, Kettle, Hollingsworth, Rivera, Saka

**Opposed:** None

**The Appointment (Appt) was confirmed on the Consent Calendar by the following vote:**

**In Favor:** 7 - Hollingsworth, Kettle, Morales, Rivera, Saka, Strauss, Woo

**Opposed:** None

## **H. COMMITTEE REPORTS**

### **CITY COUNCIL:**

- 1. [CB 120801](#) **AN ORDINANCE relating to City employment; authorizing the execution of collective bargaining agreements between The City of Seattle and the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers Local 77; and ratifying and confirming certain prior acts.**

Motion was made by Council President Pro Tem Rivera and duly seconded to pass Council Bill 120801.

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

**In Favor:** 7 - Hollingsworth, Kettle, Morales, Rivera, Saka, Strauss, Woo

**Opposed:** None

**FINANCE, NATIVE COMMUNITIES, AND TRIBAL GOVERNMENTS COMMITTEE:**

- 2. [CB 120792](#) **AN ORDINANCE relating to the Department of Finance and Administrative Services; authorizing the Director of Finance and Administrative Services to negotiate and execute a real property lease with Neptune III TT, LLC, on behalf of the Human Services Department for its Aging and Disability Services Division; and ratifying and confirming certain prior acts.**

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

**In Favor:** 4 - Strauss, Rivera, Kettle, Nelson

**Opposed:** None

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

**In Favor:** 7 - Hollingsworth, Kettle, Morales, Rivera, Saka, Strauss, Woo

**Opposed:** None

**I. ITEMS REMOVED FROM CONSENT CALENDAR**

There were 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 2:49 p.m

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**Jodee Schwinn, Deputy City Clerk**

**Signed by me in Open Session, upon approval of the Council, on July 2, 2024.**

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**Sara Nelson, Council President of the City Council**