



SEATTLE CITY COUNCIL

Economic Development, Technology, and City Light Committee

Agenda

Monday, September 11, 2023

9:30 AM

Special Meeting

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

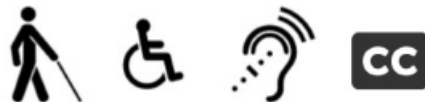
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Committee Website:

<https://www.seattle.gov/council/committees/economic-development-technology-and-city-light>

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Submit written comments to Councilmember Nelson at sara.nelson@seattle.gov

Please Note: Times listed are estimated

A. Call To Order

B. Approval of the Agenda

C. Public Comment

D. Items of Business

1. [CB 120641](#) **AN ORDINANCE relating to Seattle Tourism Improvement Areas; establishing a new 15-year business improvement area to be known as the Seattle Tourism Improvement Area; levying special assessments upon owners of businesses offering transient accommodations with 60 or more rooms within the area; providing for the deposit of revenues in a special account and expenditures therefrom; providing for collection of and penalties for delinquencies; providing for the establishment of a Ratepayers Advisory Board; providing for an implementation agreement with a Program Manager; disestablishing the existing Seattle Tourism Improvement Area that was established by Ordinance 123714 (“2011 STIA”) and later modified by Ordinance 126552; suspending the issuance of special assessments and providing for the continuity of services under the 2011 STIA; providing for the transfer of any remaining funds from the 2011 STIA Account; and ratifying and confirming certain prior acts.**

Attachments: [Att A - STIA District Boundaries Map](#)

Supporting
Documents:

[Summary and Fiscal Note](#)

[Summary Ex A - Proposed STIA Business Plan Summary](#)

[Benefit Analysis - Office of Economic Development 2023](#)

[OED Presentation](#)

[Visit Seattle Presentation](#)

[Central Staff Memo](#)

Briefing and Discussion (45 minutes)

Presenters: Casey Rogers, Seattle Office of Economic Development (OED); Tammy Canavan, President & CEO, and Ali Daniels, Visit Seattle; Jasmine Marwaha, Council Central Staff

E. Adjournment