



SEATTLE CITY COUNCIL

Governance, Accountability, and Economic Development Committee

Agenda

Thursday, July 11, 2024

2:00 PM

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

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A. Call To Order

B. Approval of the Agenda

C. Public Comment

D. Items of Business

1. [Appt 02913](#) **Appointment of Bobby Forch as member, Seattle Ethics and Elections Commission, for a term to December 31, 2026.**

Attachments: [Appointment Packet](#)

Briefing, Discussion, and Possible Vote

Presenter: Wayne Barnett, Executive Director, Seattle Ethics and Elections Commission (SEEC)

2. [Appt 02914](#) **Appointment of Jonathan Schirmer as member, Seattle Ethics and Elections Commission, for a term to December 31, 2025.**

Attachments: [Appointment Packet](#)

Briefing, Discussion, and Possible Vote

Presenter: Wayne Barnett, Executive Director, Seattle Ethics and Elections Commission (SEEC)

3. [Appt 02908](#) **Reappointment of Danielle Alvarado as member, Labor Standards Advisory Commission, for a term to April 30, 2026.**

Attachments: [Appointment Packet](#)

Briefing, Discussion, and Possible Vote

Presenter: Shuxuan Zhou, Office of Labor Standards (OLS)

4. [Appt 02909](#) **Reappointment of Billy Hetherington as member, Labor Standards Advisory Commission, for a term to April 30, 2025.**

Attachments: [Appointment Packet](#)

Briefing, Discussion, and Possible Vote

Presenter: Shuxuan Zhou, Office of Labor Standards (OLS)

5. [Appt 02910](#) **Appointment of Samuel Hilbert as member, Labor Standards Advisory Commission, for a term to April 30, 2025.**

Attachments: [Appointment Packet](#)

Briefing, Discussion, and Possible Vote

Presenter: Shuxuan Zhou, Office of Labor Standards (OLS)

6. [Appt 02911](#) **Reappointment of Tom Lambro as member, Labor Standards Advisory Commission, for a term to April 30, 2026.**

Attachments: [Appointment Packet](#)

Briefing, Discussion, and Possible Vote

Presenter: Shuxuan Zhou, Office of Labor Standards (OLS)

7. [Appt 02912](#) **Appointment of Amanda Powter as member, Labor Standards Advisory Commission, for a term to April 30, 2025.**

Attachments: [Appointment Packet](#)

Briefing, Discussion, and Possible Vote

Presenter: Shuxuan Zhou, Office of Labor Standards (OLS)

8. [CB 120781](#) **AN ORDINANCE updating definitions in the Seattle Municipal Code related to cannabis businesses to align with state law; and amending Section 6.500.020 of the Seattle Municipal Code.**

Supporting Documents:

[Summary and Fiscal Note](#)

[Central Staff Memo](#)

[Presentation](#)

Briefing, Discussion, and Possible Vote

Presenter: Ketil Freeman, Council Central Staff

9. **Addressing Places in Seattle Where Overdoses and Crime are Concentrated: An Evidence-Based Approach**

Supporting Documents:

[Presentation](#)

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Briefing and Discussion (40 minutes)

Presenters: Claudia Gross-Shader, Office of City Auditor; Natalie Walton-Anderson, Mayor's Office; Matt Duran, Eliza Powell, and Mike Mizer, Northwest High Intensity Drug Trafficking Area; Huynh Chhor, and Aaliyah Baines, Plymouth Housing; Anna Preyapongpisan, and Mona Tschurwald, YWCA

E. Adjournment