

Amendment 1 to RES 32142 – Initiative No. 137

Sponsor: CP Nelson

Amendment to place Initiative No. 137 on the February 11, 2025 Special Election Ballot.

Effect: Resolution 32142 would have placed the City of Seattle Initiative No. 137 (I-137) on the November 5, 2024 General Election Ballot. In order to place I-137 on the November 5, 2024 General Election Ballot, Council would have needed to pass the Resolution 32142 by August 6, 2024. Because that did not occur, this amendment instead places I-137 on the next available Special Election ballot, which is February 11, 2025.

Amend the title as follows:

A RESOLUTION regarding Initiative 137 concerning a payroll expense tax to fund the Social Housing Developer; authorizing the City Clerk and the Executive Director of the Ethics and Elections Commission to take those actions necessary to enable the proposed Initiative Measure to appear on the ~~November 5, 2024~~ February 11, 2025, ballot and the local voters' pamphlet; requesting the King County Elections Director to place the proposed Initiative Measure on the ~~November 5, 2024~~ February 11, 2025, ballot; and providing for the publication of such proposed Initiative Measure.

Amend Section 1 as follows:

The City Clerk is authorized and directed to take those actions necessary to place City of Seattle Initiative No. 137 in Clerk File 322950, a copy of which is attached to this resolution as Attachment A, on the ~~November 5, 2024~~ February 11, 2025, ballot including but not limited to publishing the proposed Initiative Measure as provided by the City Charter.

Amend Section 2 as follows:

The Executive Director of the Ethics and Elections Commission is authorized and requested to take those actions necessary to place information regarding City of Seattle Initiative Measure 137 in the ~~November 5, 2024~~ February 11, 2025, voters' pamphlet.

Amend Section 3 as follows:

The Director of Elections of King County, Washington, as ex officio supervisor of elections, is requested to call for a special election and place City of Seattle Initiative Measure 137 on the ~~November 5, 2024~~ February 11, 2025, ballot, with the following ballot title approved by the Seattle City Attorney: