



SEATTLE CITY COUNCIL

Sustainability, City Light, Arts and Culture Committee

Agenda

Public Hearing

Friday, September 5, 2025

9:30 AM

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. [Res 32176](#) **A RESOLUTION relating to the City Light Department; acknowledging and approving the City Light Department's adoption of a biennial energy conservation target for 2026-2027 and ten-year conservation potential.**

Attachments: [Att A - 2026 Demand-Side Management Potential Assessment v2](#)

Supporting

Documents: [Summary and Fiscal Note](#)
[Presentation \(9/5/25\)](#)

Public Hearing, Briefing, Discussion, and Possible Vote (20 min)

Presenters: Dawn Lindell, General Manager and CEO, Craig Smith, Joe Fernandi, and Jennifer Finnigan, Seattle City Light (SCL)

2. [Res 32181](#) **A RESOLUTION** relating to the City Light Department; approving the City Light Department's 2026-2029 Clean Energy Implementation Plan as required by Washington State's Clean Energy Transformation Act (CETA), chapter 19.405 RCW.

Attachments: [Att 1 - SCL 2026-2029 Clean Energy Implementation Plan Report](#)
[Att 1 Ex A - SCL 2026-2029 Clean Energy Implementation Plan](#)

Supporting
Documents: [Summary and Fiscal Note](#)
[Presentation](#)

Public Hearing, Briefing, Discussion, and Possible Vote (45 min)

Presenters: Dawn Lindell, General Manager and CEO, Mike Haynes, and Grecia Elenes, SCL

3. [CB 121063](#) **AN ORDINANCE** relating to the City Light Department; authorizing the Department to develop programs, enter into agreements with customers and other parties, and provide incentives for modifications to customer electricity consumption; and amending Section 21.49.130 of the Seattle Municipal Code.

Supporting
Documents: [Summary and Fiscal Note](#)
[Presentation](#)

Briefing, Discussion, and Possible Vote (30 min)

Presenters: Dawn Lindell, General Manager and CEO, Craig Smith, Joe Fernandi, and Karen Liu, SCL

4. [CB 121062](#) **AN ORDINANCE relating to the City Light Department; authorizing the execution of a 16-year power purchase agreement with the Bonneville Power Administration and related agreements.**

Attachments: [Att A - Memo BPA 2028 Provider of Choice Contract Status for Legislation](#)
 [Att B - BPA Provider of Choice Slice Block Power Sales Agreement Contract Template](#)
 [Att C - BPA Creditworthiness Agreement Template](#)

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Documents: [Summary and Fiscal Note](#)
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Briefing, Discussion, and Possible Vote (25 min)

Presenters: Dawn Lindell, General Manager and CEO, Siobhan Doherty, and Josh Walter, SCL

E. Adjournment