

## SUMMARY and FISCAL NOTE

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### 1. BILL SUMMARY

**Legislation Title:**

AN ORDINANCE relating to the City Light Department; accepting sixty-one easements for electrical distribution rights in King County, Washington; placing the easements under the jurisdiction of the City Light Department; and ratifying and confirming certain prior acts.

**Summary and Background of the Legislation:**

City Light requires that the owner of a new or altered electrical service provide The City of Seattle with a utility easement whenever City Light facilities must pass over, under, or through the property of another person, or when service equipment such as poles or vaults must be located either on the property being served or the property of a third party.

City Light periodically requests that the City Council accept these distribution easements by ordinance. This legislation will accept the 61 distribution easements that have been received and recorded since the previous distribution easement acceptance ordinance was adopted.

### 2. CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM

Does this legislation create, fund, or amend a CIP Project?  Yes  No

### 3. SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

Does this legislation have financial impacts to the City?  Yes  No

### 4. OTHER IMPLICATIONS

- a. Is a public hearing required for this legislation? No.
- b. Is publication of notice with The Daily Journal of Commerce and/or The Seattle Times required for this legislation? No.
- c. Does this legislation affect a piece of property?  
Yes. These easements are mapped in the Seattle City Light's Real Property Geographic Information System (GIS).
- d. Please describe any perceived implication for the principles of the Race and Social Justice Initiative.  
There are no perceived impacts. Not applicable.

**e. Climate Change Implications**

**i. Emissions: How is this legislation likely to increase or decrease carbon emissions in a material way?**

No.

**ii. Resiliency: Will the action(s) proposed by this legislation increase or decrease Seattle's resiliency (or ability to adapt) to climate change in a material way?**

No.

**f. If this legislation includes a new initiative or a major programmatic expansion: What are the specific long-term and measurable goal(s) of the program? How will this legislation help achieve the program's desired goal(s)? What mechanisms will be used to measure progress towards meeting those goals?**

Not applicable.

**g. Does this legislation create a non-utility CIP project that involves a shared financial commitment with a non-City partner agency or organization?**

No.

**5. ATTACHMENTS**

**Summary Attachments:**

None.