

# SEATTLE CITY COUNCIL

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Seattle, WA 98104



## Journal of the Proceedings of the Seattle City Council

Tuesday, May 30, 2023

2:00 PM

**Council Chamber, City Hall**

**600 4th Avenue**

**Seattle, WA 98104**

**City Council**

*Debora Juarez, Council President*

*Lisa Herbold, Member*

*Andrew J. Lewis, Member*

*Tammy J. Morales, Member*

*Teresa Mosqueda, Member*

*Sara Nelson, Member*

*Alex Pedersen, Member*

*Kshama Sawant, Member*

*Dan Strauss, Member*

*Chair Info: 206-684-8805; [Debora.Juarez@seattle.gov](mailto:Debora.Juarez@seattle.gov)*

**A. CALL TO ORDER**

The City Council of The City of Seattle met in the Council Chamber in Seattle, Washington, on May 30, 2023, pursuant to the provisions of the City Charter. The meeting was called to order at 2:01 p.m., with Council President Pro Tem Herbold presiding.

**B. ROLL CALL**

**Present:** 6 - Herbold, Lewis, Morales, Nelson, Pedersen, Strauss

**Excused:** 3 - Juarez, Mosqueda, Sawant

Motion was made, duly seconded and carried, to excuse Councilmember Mosqueda from the May 30, 2023 City Council meeting.

Motion was made, duly seconded and carried, to excuse Councilmember Sawant from the May 30, 2023 City Council meeting.

By unanimous consent, the Council Rules were suspended to designate Councilmember Pedersen as President Pro Tem of the City Council for the remainder of the meeting.

**C. PRESENTATIONS**

There were none.

**D. PUBLIC COMMENT**

The following individuals addressed the Council:

Alex Tsimmerman  
James Fackler

**E. ADOPTION OF INTRODUCTION AND REFERRAL CALENDAR:**

[IRC 395](#)

**May 30, 2023**

**Motion was made, duly seconded and carried, to adopt the Introduction & Referral Calendar (IRC) by the following vote:**

**In Favor:** 6 - Herbold, Lewis, Morales, Nelson, Pedersen, Strauss

**Opposed:** None

**F. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA**

Motion was made, duly seconded and carried, to adopt the proposed Agenda.

**G. APPROVAL OF CONSENT CALENDAR**

Motion was made, duly seconded and carried, to adopt the Consent Calendar.

**Journal:**

1. [Min 429](#) **May 23, 2023**

**The item was adopted on the Consent Calendar by the following vote, and the President signed the Minutes:**

**In Favor:** 6 - Herbold, Lewis, Morales, Nelson, Pedersen, Strauss

**Opposed:** None

**Bills:**

2. [CB 120583](#) **AN ORDINANCE appropriating money to pay certain claims for the week of May 15, 2023 through May 19, 2023 and ordering the payment thereof; and ratifying and confirming certain prior acts.**

**The item was passed on the Consent Calendar by the following vote, and the President signed the Council Bill (CB):**

**In Favor:** 6 - Herbold, Lewis, Morales, Nelson, Pedersen, Strauss

**Opposed:** None

**Appointments:****PUBLIC SAFETY AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE:**

3. [Appt 02504](#) **Appointment of Adrien G. Leavitt as member, Community Police Commission, for a term to December 31, 2023.**

**The Committee recommends that City Council confirm the Appointment (Appt).**

**In Favor: 4 - Herbold, Mosqueda, Nelson, Pedersen  
Opposed: None**

**The item was confirmed on the Consent Calendar by the following vote:**

**In Favor: 6 - Herbold, Lewis, Morales, Nelson, Pedersen, Strauss**

**Opposed: None**

#### **H. COMMITTEE REPORTS**

##### **ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, TECHNOLOGY, AND CITY LIGHT COMMITTEE:**

1. [CB 120576](#) **AN ORDINANCE relating to the City of Seattle accepting easements, each granting to The City of Seattle an easement for overhead or underground electrical distribution rights upon, under and across real property in King County, Washington; placing said easements under the jurisdiction of the City Light Department; and ratifying and confirming certain prior acts.**

**The Committee recommends that City Council pass the Council Bill (CB).**

**In Favor: 3 - Nelson, Herbold, Strauss  
Opposed: None**

**The Council Bill (CB) was passed by the following vote, and the President signed the Bill:**

**In Favor: 6 - Herbold, Lewis, Morales, Nelson, Pedersen, Strauss**

**Opposed: None**

2.     [CB 120577](#)     **AN ORDINANCE** relating to the City of Seattle accepting easements for overhead or underground electrical distribution rights upon, under and across real property in King County, Washington; placing said easements under the jurisdiction of the City Light Department; and ratifying and confirming certain prior acts.

The Committee recommends that City Council pass the Council Bill (CB).

In Favor: 3 - Nelson, Herbold, Strauss

Opposed: None

The Council Bill (CB) was passed by the following vote, and the President signed the Bill:

In Favor: 6 - Herbold, Lewis, Morales, Nelson, Pedersen, Strauss

Opposed: None

#### **I. ITEMS REMOVED FROM CONSENT CALENDAR**

There were none.

#### **J. ADOPTION OF OTHER RESOLUTIONS**

There were none.

#### **K. OTHER BUSINESS**

There was none.

#### **L. ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business to come before the Council, the meeting was adjourned at 2:16 p.m.

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**Emilia M. Sanchez, Deputy City Clerk**

**Signed by me in Open Session, upon approval of the Council, on June 6, 2023.**

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**Debora Juarez, Council President of the City Council**

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**Anne Frantilla, Interim City Clerk**