

SEATTLE CITY COUNCIL

Council Briefing

January 8, 2024 - 2:00 PM

Meeting Location:

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

Committee Website:

<http://www.seattle.gov/council/>

Please Note: Times listed are estimated. Submit written comments to all Councilmembers at Council@seattle.gov

1. Approval of the Minutes

Council Briefing Minutes (2023)

[December 11, 2023](#)

2. President's Report

2:00 p.m. - 2:05 p.m.

3. State Legislative Session Update (2024)

2:05 p.m. - 2:25 p.m.

Presenter: Gael Tarleton, Director, Samir Junejo, and Anna Johnson, Office of Intergovernmental Relations (OIR)

4. City Powers and How They Are Exercised

2:25 p.m. - 3:05 p.m.

[Presentation](#)

Presenters: Esther Handy, Director, and Ketil Freeman, Council Central Staff; and Lauren Henry, Legislative Legal Counsel

5. Vacancy Process Next Steps

3:05 p.m. - 3:25 p.m.

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Presenters: Esther Handy, Director of Council Central Staff; Scheereen Dedman, City Clerk; Dana Robinson-Slote, Director of Council Communications; and Lauren Henry, Legislative Legal Counsel

6. Signing of Letters and Proclamations

3:25 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

7. Preview of City Council Actions, Council and Regional Committees

3:30 p.m. - 4:20 p.m.