

SEATTLE CITY COUNCIL

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Monday, February 4, 2019

2:00 PM

Council Chamber, City Hall
600 Fourth Avenue
Seattle, WA 98104

City Council

Bruce Harrell, Council President

Sally Bagshaw

M. Lorena González

Lisa Herbold

Rob Johnson

Debora Juarez

Teresa Mosqueda

Mike O'Brien

Kshama Sawant

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A. CALL TO ORDER

The City Council of The City of Seattle met in the Council Chamber in City Hall in Seattle, Washington, on February 4, 2019, pursuant to the provisions of the City Charter. The meeting was called to order at 2:02 p.m., with Council President Harrell presiding.

B. ROLL CALL

Present: 6 - Bagshaw, González , Harrell, Johnson, O'Brien, Sawant

Excused: 1 - Herbold

Late Arrival: 2 - Juarez, Mosqueda

Motion was made, duly seconded and carried, to excuse Councilmember Herbold from the February 4, 2019 City Council meeting.

Councilmember Mosqueda entered the Council Chamber at 2:02 p.m.

C. ADOPTION OF INTRODUCTION AND REFERRAL CALENDAR

[IRC 193](#) **February 4, 2019**

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

In Favor: 7 - Bagshaw, González , Harrell, Johnson, Mosqueda, O'Brien, Sawant

Opposed: None

D. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

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

F. PRESENTATIONS

There were none.

F. PUBLIC COMMENT

Councilmember Juarez entered the Council Chamber at 2:04 p.m.

Alex Finch addressed the Council regarding Introduction and Referral Calendar item 9, Resolution 31862.

Xochitl Maykovich addressed the Council regarding Introduction and Referral Calendar item 9, Resolution 31862.

David Haines addressed the Council regarding Introduction and Referral Calendar item 9, Resolution 31862.

Naomi Finkelstein addressed the Council regarding Introduction and Referral Calendar item 9, Resolution 31862.

Mary Flowers addressed the Council regarding Introduction and Referral Calendar item 9, Resolution 31862.

Jaime Aelyson addressed the Council regarding Introduction and Referral Calendar item 9, Resolution 31862.

Emerson Johnson addressed the Council regarding Introduction and Referral Calendar item 9, Resolution 31862.

Rick Derksen addressed the Council regarding Introduction and Referral Calendar item 9, Resolution 31862.

Gretchen Waschke addressed the Council regarding Introduction and Referral Calendar item 9, Resolution 31862.

Ellen Anderson addressed the Council regarding Introduction and Referral Calendar item 9, Resolution 31862.

Meagan Murphy addressed the Council regarding a non-Agenda item.

Audrey Buehring addressed the Council regarding Introduction and Referral Calendar item 9, Resolution 31862.

Mike McQuaid addressed the Council regarding Agenda item 3, Council Bill 119455.

Cathy Knight addressed the Council regarding Introduction and Referral Calendar item 9, Resolution 31862.

G. APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

[Min 214](#) **January 22, 2019**

Motion was made, duly seconded and carried, to adopt the proposed Minutes by the following vote, and the President signed the Minutes:

In Favor: 8 - Bagshaw, González , Harrell, Johnson, Juarez, Mosqueda, O'Brien, Sawant

Opposed: None

H. PAYMENT OF BILLS

[CB 119458](#) **AN ORDINANCE appropriating money to pay certain audited claims and ordering the payment thereof.**

Motion was made and duly seconded to pass Council Bill 119458.

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

In Favor: 8 - Bagshaw, González , Harrell, Johnson, Juarez, Mosqueda, O'Brien, Sawant

Opposed: None

I. COMMITTEE REPORTS

CITY COUNCIL:

1. [CB 119453](#) **AN ORDINANCE relating to land use and zoning; amending Ordinance 125733 to correct a clerical error regarding a condition of approval of the University of Washington's 2018 Seattle Campus Master Plan.**

Motion was made and duly seconded to pass Council Bill 119453.

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

In Favor: 8 - Bagshaw, González , Harrell, Johnson, Juarez, Mosqueda, O'Brien, Sawant

Opposed: None

CIVIL RIGHTS, UTILITIES, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND ARTS COMMITTEE:

2. [Res 31861](#) A RESOLUTION recognizing the harms that evictions from housing have on tenants and marginalized communities and describing the City Council’s plan to help avoid and mitigate those harms.

The Committee recommends that City Council adopt the Resolution (Res).

In Favor: 3 - Herbold, Sawant, O'Brien

Opposed: None

The Resolution (Res) was adopted by the following vote, and the President signed the Resolution:

In Favor: 8 - Bagshaw, González , Harrell, Johnson, Juarez, Mosqueda, O'Brien, Sawant

Opposed: None

SUSTAINABILITY AND TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE:

3. [CB 119455](#) AN ORDINANCE relating to City streets; changing the name of the portion of Aurora Avenue North between Denny Way and Harrison Street to 7th Avenue North, and changing the name of the portion of Aurora Avenue between Battery Street and Denny Way to Borealis Avenue; and superseding prior ordinances to the extent inconsistent.

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

In Favor: 4 - O'Brien, Johnson, Sawant, Bagshaw

Opposed: None

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

In Favor: 8 - Bagshaw, González , Harrell, Johnson, Juarez, Mosqueda, O'Brien, Sawant

Opposed: None

4. [CB 119456](#) **AN ORDINANCE granting National Railroad Passenger Corporation permission to construct, maintain, and operate below-grade utility lines under and across South Holgate Street, east of Occidental Avenue South and west of 3rd Avenue South; specifying the conditions under which this permit is granted; and providing for the acceptance of the permit and conditions.**

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

In Favor: 3 - O'Brien, Johnson, Sawant

Opposed: None

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

In Favor: 8 - Bagshaw, González , Harrell, Johnson, Juarez, Mosqueda, O'Brien, Sawant

Opposed: None

J. ADOPTION OF OTHER RESOLUTIONS

There were none.

K. OTHER BUSINESS

Councilmember Mosqueda recognized the 100th-Year Anniversary of the Seattle General Strike.

Motion was made, duly seconded and carried, to excuse Councilmember Juarez from the February 11, 2019 City Council meeting.

L. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the Council, the meeting was adjourned at 3:01 p.m.

Emilia M. Sanchez, Sr. Deputy City Clerk

Signed by me in Open Session, upon approval of the Council, on February 19, 2019.

Bruce Harrell, President of the City Council

Monica Martinez Simmons, City Clerk

[Prepared by: J. Schwinn]