



Seattle Council Committee Report

Transportation and Utilities Committee

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Wednesday, August 19, 2020, 9:30 AM

This meeting also constitutes a meeting of the City Council, provided that the meeting shall be conducted as a committee meeting under the Council Rules and Procedures, and Council action shall be limited to committee business.

In-person attendance is currently prohibited per Washington State Governor's Proclamation No. 20-28.8 through September 1, 2020. Meeting participation is limited to access by telephone conference line and Seattle Channel online.

A. Call To Order

Meeting Start Time: 9:31 a.m.

Presiding Officer: Councilmember Pedersen

The following Councilmembers were present and participating electronically:

Present: 4 - Alex Pedersen, Dan Strauss, M. Lorena González, Tammy J. Morales

Late Arrival: 1 - Lisa Herbold

B. Approval of the Agenda

C. Chair's Report

D. Public Comment

E. Items of Business

1. [Appt 01594](#) Appointment of Danny Bell as member, Seattle School Traffic Safety Committee, for a term to March 31, 2023.

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

In Favor: 5 - Pedersen, Strauss, González, Herbold, Morales

Opposed: None

2. [Appt 01598](#) Appointment of Maria Sumner as member, Seattle Pedestrian Advisory Board, for a term to March 31, 2021.

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

In Favor: 5 - Pedersen, Strauss, González, Herbold, Morales

Opposed: None

3. [Appt 01599](#) Appointment of Bianca Johnson as member, Seattle Pedestrian Advisory Board, for a term to March 31, 2022.

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

In Favor: 5 - Pedersen, Strauss, González , Herbold,Morales

Opposed: None

4. [Appt 01600](#) Appointment of Debra Kahn as member, Seattle Pedestrian Advisory Board, for a term to March 31, 2022.

Agenda item 4 was removed from the Agenda.

5. [Appt 01601](#) Appointment of Esti Mintz as member, Seattle Pedestrian Advisory Board, for a term to March 31, 2022.

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

In Favor: 5 - Pedersen, Strauss, González , Herbold,Morales

Opposed: None

6. [CB 119858](#) AN ORDINANCE relating to the financing of the West Seattle Bridge Immediate Response project; creating a fund for depositing proceeds of taxable limited tax general obligation bonds in 2021; authorizing the loan of funds in the amount of \$50,000,000 from the Construction and Inspections Fund and \$20,000,000 from the REET II Capital Projects Fund to the 2021 LTGO Taxable Bond Fund for early phases of work on the bridge repair and replacement project; amending Ordinance 126000, which adopted the 2020 Budget, including the 2020-2025 Capital Improvement Program (CIP); changing appropriations to the Seattle Department of Transportation; and revising project allocations and spending plans for certain projects in the 2020-2025 CIP.

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

In Favor: 5 - Pedersen, Strauss, González , Herbold,Morales

Opposed: None

7. [CB 119865](#) AN ORDINANCE relating to street and sidewalk use; amending Ordinance 125706 and the Street Use Permit Fee Schedule authorized by Section 15.04.074 of the Seattle Municipal Code; and ratifying and confirming certain prior acts.

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

In Favor: 5 - Pedersen, Strauss, González , Herbold,Morales

Opposed: None

Present: 4 - Alex Pedersen, Dan Strauss, M. Lorena González ,Tammy J. Morales

Excused: 1 - Lisa Herbold

8. [CB 119867](#) AN ORDINANCE relating to the City's traffic code; amending Sections 11.46.010 and 11.46.020 of the Seattle Municipal Code to revise permissible areas of operation in the right-of-way and other public pathways for electric personal assistive mobility devices and motorized foot scooters.

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

In Favor: 3 - Strauss, González ,Morales

Opposed: 1 - Pedersen

9. [CB 119868](#) AN ORDINANCE relating to use of City right-of-way by free-floating scooters; amending Section 15.17.005 of the Seattle Municipal Code; adopting a Free-Floating Scooter Share Program Fee Schedule; and ratifying and confirming certain prior acts.

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

In Favor: 3 - Strauss, González ,Morales

Opposed: 1 - Pedersen

10. [CB 119745](#) AN ORDINANCE granting the University of Washington (UW) permission to maintain and operate five existing pedestrian skybridges located around the perimeter of the UW campus as a Campus Pedestrian Skybridge Network, for a ten-year term; specifying the conditions under which this permit is granted; providing for the acceptance of the permit and conditions; and ratifying and confirming certain prior acts.

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

In Favor: 4 - Pedersen, Strauss, González ,Morales

Opposed: None

11. [CB 119866](#) AN ORDINANCE relating to Seattle Public Utilities; creating a restricted cash account for depositing donations and gifts; authorizing the General Manager/CEO of Seattle Public Utilities to accept donations and gifts into the account for the purpose of providing financial assistance to its low-income customers.

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

In Favor: 4 - Pedersen, Strauss, González ,Morales

Opposed: None

F. Adjournment

Meeting Adjournment Time: 1:31 p.m.

Prepared by: Toby Thaler, Legislative Aide