



CITY OF SEATTLE

City Council

Agenda - Revised

Monday, January 27, 2020

2:00 PM

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

M. Lorena González, President

Lisa Herbold, Member

Debora Juarez, Member

Andrew J. Lewis, Member

Tammy J. Morales, Member

Teresa Mosqueda, Member

Alex Pedersen, Member

Kshama Sawant, Member

Dan Strauss, Member

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Committee Website:

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

A. CALL TO ORDER

B. ROLL CALL

C. PRESENTATIONS

D. APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

[Min 262](#) January 13, 2020

Attachments: [Minutes](#)

E. ADOPTION OF INTRODUCTION AND REFERRAL CALENDAR

Introduction and referral to Council committees of Council Bills (CB), Resolutions (Res), Appointments (Appt), and Clerk Files (CF) for committee recommendation.

[IRC 238](#) January 27, 2020

Attachments: [Introduction and Referral Calendar](#)

F. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

G. PUBLIC COMMENT

Members of the public may sign up to address the Council for up to 2 minutes on matters on this agenda; total time allotted to public comment at this meeting is 20 minutes.

H. PAYMENT OF BILLS

These are the only Bills which the City Charter allows to be introduced and passed at the same meeting.

[CB 119736](#)

AN ORDINANCE appropriating money to pay certain audited claims for the week of January 13, 2019 through January 17, 2019 and ordering the payment thereof.

I. COMMITTEE REPORTS

Discussion and vote on Council Bills (CB), Resolutions (Res), Appointments (Appt), and Clerk Files (CF).

Committee Reports will not be presented at this meeting.

J. ADOPTION OF OTHER RESOLUTIONS

1. [Res 31928](#) A RESOLUTION reaffirming Seattle as a welcoming city and condemning all forms of oppression throughout the world.

Supporting

Documents:

[Summary and Fiscal Note](#)

K. OTHER BUSINESS**L. ADJOURNMENT**



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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 January 13, 2020, pursuant to the provisions of the City Charter. The meeting was called to order at 2:03 p.m., with Council President Pro Tem Herbold presiding.

B. ROLL CALL

Present: 7 - Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

Excused: 2 - González , Mosqueda

C. PRESENTATIONS

There were none.

D. APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

There were no Minutes presented for approval.

E. ADOPTION OF INTRODUCTION AND REFERRAL CALENDAR

[IRC 236](#)**January 13, 2020**ACTION 1:

Motion was made and duly seconded to adopt the proposed Introduction and Referral Calendar.

ACTION 2:

Motion was made by Councilmember Sawant, duly seconded and carried, to amend the proposed Introduction and Referral Calendar by introducing Resolution 31926, and by referring it to the City Council for consideration on January 21, 2020.

Resolution 31926, A RESOLUTION reaffirming Seattle as a welcoming city, expressing the Seattle City Council's solidarity with Seattle's South Asian community regardless of religion and caste, and opposing India's National Register of Citizens and Citizenship Amendment Act.

ACTION 3:

Motion was made and duly seconded to adopt the proposed Introduction and Referral Calendar as amended.

The Motion carried and the Introduction & Referral Calendar (IRC) was adopted as amended by the following vote:

In Favor: 7 - Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

Opposed: None

F. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

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

G. PUBLIC COMMENT

Robert Canamar addressed the Council regarding Agenda item 1, Council Bill 119731.

Mark Taylor-Canfield addressed the Council regarding Agenda item 3, Resolution 31925.

Rebecca Laszlo addressed the Council regarding Agenda item 1, Council Bill 119731.

Dan Gilman addressed the Council regarding Agenda item 3, Resolution 31925.

Cynthia Whetsell addressed the Council regarding Agenda item 3, Resolution 31925.

David Haines addressed the Council regarding a non-Agenda item.

Javed Skander addressed the Council regarding Introduction and Referral Calendar item, Resolution 31926.

Prashant Nema addressed the Council regarding Introduction and Referral Calendar item, Resolution 31926.

Hassan Khan addressed the Council regarding Introduction and Referral Calendar item, Resolution 31926.

Ibrahm Mogal addressed the Council regarding Introduction and Referral Calendar item, Resolution 31926.

Raghav addressed the Council regarding Introduction and Referral Calendar item, Resolution 31926.

McKenna Lux addressed the Council regarding Agenda item 3, Resolution 31925.

Cindy Black addressed the Council regarding Agenda item 1, Council Bill 119731.

Ken Dammand addressed the Council regarding Agenda item 1, Council Bill 119731.

Linda Brewster addressed the Council regarding Agenda item 1, Council Bill 119731.

Brittney Bush Bollay addressed the Council regarding Agenda item 1, Council Bill 119731.

H. PAYMENT OF BILLS

[CB 119734](#) **AN ORDINANCE appropriating money to pay certain audited claims for the week of December 30, 2019 through January 3, 2020 and ordering the payment thereof.**

Motion was made and duly seconded to pass Council Bill 119734.

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

In Favor: 7 - Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

Opposed: None

I. COMMITTEE REPORTS

SELECT COMMITTEE ON CAMPAIGN FINANCE REFORM:

1. [CB 119731](#) **AN ORDINANCE related to elections; prohibiting foreign-influenced corporations from making independent expenditures or contributing to campaigns and independent expenditure committees; amending Sections 2.04.010, 2.04.260, 2.04.270, 2.04.360, and 2.04.370 of the Seattle Municipal Code (SMC); and adding a new Section 2.04.400 to the SMC.**

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

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

Opposed: None

ACTION 1:

Motion was made by Councilmember Herbold, duly seconded and carried, to amend Council Bill 119731, Section 2, as shown in Attachment 1 to the Minutes.

ACTION 2:

Motion was made by Councilmember Herbold, duly seconded and carried, to amend Council Bill 119731, Section 7, as shown in Attachment 2 to the Minutes.

ACTION 3:

Motion was made and duly seconded to pass Council Bill 119731 as amended.

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

In Favor: 7 - Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

Opposed: None

2. [CB 119732](#) **AN ORDINANCE related to political advertising and qualified public communications; expanding commercial advertisers' duty to maintain and provide records regarding political advertising and qualified public communications; amending Sections 2.04.010 and 2.04.280 of the Seattle Municipal Code (SMC).**

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

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

Opposed: None

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

In Favor: 7 - Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

Opposed: None

J. ADOPTION OF OTHER RESOLUTIONS

3. [Res 31925](#) **A RESOLUTION affirming The City of Seattle's support for its local Iranian-American and Iranian-immigrant communities, recognizing the importance of people-to-people diplomacy at the local level, calling for a de-escalation in the conflict and damaging rhetoric between the U.S. and Iran and an end to the attacks on the democratic rights of people with Iranian heritage in Washington State and requesting the Office of Intergovernmental Relations communicate these positions to the Washington State congressional delegation.**

Motion was made by Councilmember Sawant and duly seconded, to hold Resolution 31925, until January 21, 2020.

The Motion carried, and the Resolution (Res) was held until January 21, 2020 by the following vote:

In Favor: 7 - Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

Opposed: None

K. OTHER BUSINESS

There was none.

L. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the Council, the meeting was adjourned at 2:51 p.m.

Jodee Schwinn, Deputy City Clerk

Signed by me in Open Session, upon approval of the Council, on January 27, 2020.

Lisa Herbold, President President Pro Tem of the City Council

Monica Martinez Simmons, City Clerk

Att 1 - Action 1 of CB 119731

Att 2 - Action 2 of CB 119731

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Language to be removed from the SMC is shown struck out and surrounded by double parentheses.

Section 2. Section 2.04.010 of the Seattle Municipal Code, last amended by Ordinance 124694, is amended as follows:

2.04.010 Definitions

* * *

“In-kind labor” means services provided by a person who volunteers all, or a portion, of ~~((his/her))~~ the person’s time to a candidate’s election campaign, and who is not paid by any person for such services.

“Independent expenditure” means an expenditure on behalf of ~~((;))~~ or opposing any election campaign, when such expenditure:

1. ~~((is))~~ Is made independently of the candidate, ~~((his/her))~~ the candidate’s political committee ~~((;))~~ or agent, or ~~((of))~~ any ballot proposition committee or its officers or agents; ~~((;))~~

2. ~~((and when such expenditure is))~~ Is made without the prior consent, or the collusion ~~((;))~~ or ~~((the))~~ cooperation, of the candidate, ~~((or his/her))~~ the candidate’s agent or political committee, or the ballot proposition committee or its officers or agents; ~~((;))~~ and

3. ~~((when such expenditure is))~~ Is not a contribution as defined in this Section 2.04.010.

An independent expenditure is made by a person on the earliest of the following events:
(a) the person agrees with a vendor or provider of services to make an independent expenditure;
or (b) the person incurs the obligation to make an independent expenditure; or (c) the person pays for an independent expenditure.

“Independent expenditure committee” means any political committee that makes an independent expenditure, or makes contributions to other independent expenditure committees, totaling \$1,000 or more in an election cycle for a City election.

“Knowledge.” A person knows or acts knowingly or with knowledge when:

1. ~~((the))~~ The person is aware of a fact, facts, or circumstances or result described by an offense in this ~~((title))~~ Title 2; or

2. ~~((he or she))~~ The person has information that would lead a reasonable person to believe that facts exist, which facts are described by an ordinance defining the offense, in violation of this ~~((title))~~ Title 2.

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Att 2 – Action 2 of CB 119731

Language added to CB 119731 is shown in red below. New language to be added to the bill is shown with a double underline. Language to be removed from the bill is shown with a ~~double-strikeout~~.

Section 7. A new Section 2.04.400 of the Seattle Municipal Code is added to Subchapter IV of Chapter 2.04 as follows:

2.04.400 ~~Limits on contributions to independent expenditure committees~~ Independent expenditures

A. No foreign-influenced corporation shall make an independent expenditure in elections for or against candidates for the offices of Mayor, City Council, or City Attorney of The City of Seattle, nor a contribution to an independent expenditure committee that has conveyed, implicitly or explicitly, that contributions to the committee may be used in elections for or against candidates for the offices of Mayor, City Council, or City Attorney of The City of Seattle.

B. An independent expenditure committee may dedicate any contributions that do not comply with the restrictions of Section 2.04.400 for use in elections outside Seattle or for other lawful purposes.



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Introduction and Referral Calendar

List of proposed Council Bills (CB), Resolutions (Res), Appointments (Appt) and Clerk Files (CF) to be introduced and referred to a City Council committee

Record No.	Title	Committee Referral
<u>By: Herbold</u>		
1. CB 119736	AN ORDINANCE appropriating money to pay certain audited claims for the week of January 13, 2019 through January 17, 2019 and ordering the payment thereof.	City Council
<u>By: Pedersen</u>		
2. Res 31928	A RESOLUTION reaffirming Seattle as a welcoming city and condemning all forms of oppression throughout the world.	City Council for Introduction and Adoption
<u>By: Herbold</u>		
3. Res 31930	A RESOLUTION affirming the City's good faith intent to consider raising in the collective bargaining process for the Seattle Police Officer's Guild (SPOG) 2021 contract renewal police accountability proposals that have been identified by the public and the City's police oversight agencies.	Public Safety and Human Services Committee



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ORDINANCE _____

COUNCIL BILL _____

AN ORDINANCE appropriating money to pay certain audited claims for the week of January 13, 2019 through January 17, 2019 and ordering the payment thereof.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF SEATTLE AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Payment of the sum of \$41,825,267.55 on PeopleSoft 9.2 mechanical warrants numbered 4100303211- 4100306422 plus manual or cancellation issues for claims, E-Payables of \$178,139.07 on PeopleSoft 9.2 9100005361- 9100005426 and Electronic Financial Transactions (EFT) in the amount of \$39,972,792.66 are presented for ratification by the City Council per RCW 42.24.180.

Section 2. Any act consistent with the authority of this ordinance taken prior to its effective date is hereby ratified and confirmed.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force 30 days after its approval by the Mayor, but if not approved and returned by the Mayor within ten days after presentation, it shall take effect as provided by Seattle Municipal Code Section 1.04.020.

Passed by the City Council the 27th day of January 2020 and signed by me in open session in authentication of its passage this 27th day of January 2020.

President _____ of the City Council

Approved by me this _____ day of _____, 2020.

Jenny A. Durkan, Mayor

Filed by me this _____ day of _____, 2020.

Monica Martinez Simmons, City Clerk

(Seal)



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CITY OF SEATTLE

RESOLUTION _____

A RESOLUTION reaffirming Seattle as a welcoming city and condemning all forms of oppression throughout the world.

WHEREAS, previous Seattle City Councils have affirmed that Seattle is a welcoming city and have periodically condemned certain instances of oppression in various parts of the world; and

WHEREAS, as a Human Rights City, Seattle is committed to protecting and promoting human rights and dignity, including civil, political, social, economic, and cultural rights; and

WHEREAS, Seattle continues to promote inclusion, integration, equity, and acceptance of a wide range of diverse opinions and encourages civic participation by all its residents; and

WHEREAS, the City has a history of stating its commitment to human rights with the creation in 1963, of the Seattle Human Rights Commission to make recommendations “with regard to the development of programs for the promotion of equality, justice and understanding among all citizens of the City” and recommend policies “affecting civil rights and equal opportunity;” and

WHEREAS, Resolution 31730, adopted by the Council in February 2017, affirmed the City of Seattle as a Welcoming City that promotes policies and programs to foster inclusion, serves its residents without regard to immigration and refugee status or other protected class status, and continues its commitment to advocating and supporting the well-being of all residents; and

WHEREAS, in response to the Trump administration’s January 25, 2017 Executive Orders, which expanded the scope and speed of immigration law enforcement, the Council passed Ordinance 125296, providing the Office of Immigrant and Refugee Affairs \$1 million to contract with organizations to provide legal

representation or guidance and referral services for legal representation to indigent persons in need of representation for matters related to immigration status; and

WHEREAS, in October 2017, the Council adopted Resolution 31775, strengthening public safety by affirming the City's support for immigrant and refugee witnesses, survivors, and victims of crime through exploration of strategies and partnerships to help them feel safer in reporting crimes given the potential for the Trump administration's policies to create a chilling effect on reporting; and

WHEREAS, in October 2017, the Council also adopted Resolution 31779, affirming Seattle's support of immigrant communities through support of the Deferred Action Childhood Arrival (DACA) program and committing to policies that protect vulnerable communities while opposing national and federal policies and rhetoric targeting immigrants and immigrant communities; and

WHEREAS, the Council in June 2018 adopted Resolution 31822, opposing the Trump administration's practices of separating and detaining migrant families seeking asylum at the U.S.-Mexico border and detention camps in violation of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights; and

WHEREAS, the Council adopted Resolution 31844 in October 2018, affirming that the principles adopted by the Council in being a welcoming city also apply to human rights defenders, responding to the increase in targeting for persecution human rights defenders in Washington State by the federal administration; and

WHEREAS, in December 2018, the Council adopted Resolution 31858, affirming and commending the validity of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights to uphold the rights and dignity of Native peoples and the human rights of immigrants, as well as all other residents and visitors to Seattle; and

WHEREAS, in May 2019, the Council adopted Resolution 31890, declaring the City's support as a welcoming city for providing permanent protection and a path to citizenship for immigrant youth and temporary protected status (TPS) and Deferred Enforced Departure (DED) recipients; and

WHEREAS, seven of the nine-member City Council were sworn into office on January 6, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the new City Council is in agreement with previous Councils in standing in solidarity with the City's residents and opposing all forms of oppression affecting communities throughout the world; and

WHEREAS, the City Council remains committed to standing against global oppression and requests that our elected officials representing Seattle at the federal level, currently U.S. Senators Patty Murray and Maria Cantwell and Representatives Pramila Jayapal and Adam Smith, continue to support and take action to object to such oppression; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SEATTLE THAT:

Section 1. The Seattle City Council reaffirms that Seattle is a welcoming city.

Section 2. The Seattle City Council condemns all forms of oppression throughout the world.

Section 3. The City's Office of Intergovernmental Relations will continue to alert the Seattle City Council about international issues impacting Seattle and inform Councilmembers when City Council action could contribute meaningfully to a positive outcome.

Section 4. This resolution does not in any way impede or limit any Seattle City Councilmember's ability to introduce future resolutions to state their views about international issues.

Adopted by the City Council the _____ day of _____, 2020, and signed by me in open session in authentication of its adoption this _____ day of _____, 2020.

President _____ of the City Council

Filed by me this _____ day of _____, 2020.

Monica Martinez Simmons, City Clerk

(Seal)

SUMMARY and FISCAL NOTE*

Department:	Dept. Contact/Phone:	CBO Contact/Phone:
LEG	Venkataraman/4-5382	

** Note that the Summary and Fiscal Note describes the version of the bill or resolution as introduced; final legislation including amendments may not be fully described.*

1. BILL SUMMARY

Legislation Title: A RESOLUTION reaffirming Seattle as a welcoming city and condemning all forms of oppression throughout the world.

Summary and background of the Legislation: This resolution affirms the actions of previous Councils in denouncing oppression in throughout the world and reaffirms the new Council's commitment to Seattle being a welcoming city.

2. CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM

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

3. SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

Does this legislation amend the Adopted Budget? ___ Yes X No

Does the legislation have other financial impacts to the City of Seattle that are not reflected in the above, including direct or indirect, short-term or long-term costs?
No

Is there financial cost or other impacts of *not* implementing the legislation?
No

4. OTHER IMPLICATIONS

a. Does this legislation affect any departments besides the originating department?
No

b. Is a public hearing required for this legislation?
No

c. Does this legislation require landlords or sellers of real property to provide information regarding the property to a buyer or tenant?
No

d. Is publication of notice with *The Daily Journal of Commerce* and/or *The Seattle Times* required for this legislation?
No

e. Does this legislation affect a piece of property?

No

f. Please describe any perceived implication for the principles of the Race and Social Justice Initiative. Does this legislation impact vulnerable or historically disadvantaged communities? What is the Language Access plan for any communications to the public?

This resolution reaffirms Seattle's commitment to being a Welcoming City, which supports immigrant and refugee communities as well as historically disadvantaged communities who are subject to oppression worldwide.

g. 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).

No.

List attachments/exhibits below: