

### **CITY OF SEATTLE**

**City Council** 

### Agenda

Monday, October 26, 2020 2:00 PM

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> 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 Chair Info:206-684-8809; Lorena.González@seattle.gov

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#### A. CALL TO ORDER

#### B. ROLL CALL

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#### **C. PRESENTATIONS**

#### D. APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

Min 305 October 19, 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 276 October 26, 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.

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#### H. PAYMENT OF BILLS

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

# <u>CB 119943</u> AN ORDINANCE appropriating money to pay certain audited claims for the week of October 12, 2020 through October 16, 2020 and ordering the payment thereof.

#### I. COMMITTEE REPORTS

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

#### **CITY COUNCIL:**

1. <u>CB 119942</u> AN ORDINANCE amending Ordinance 126000, which adopted the 2020 Budget; amending Ordinance 126148; amending a proviso; and ratifying and confirming certain prior acts.

#### <u>Supporting</u>

 Documents:
 Summary and Fiscal Note

 Central Staff Memo
 Shared Principles and Agreed Framework (2020 – 2021)

#### J. ADOPTION OF OTHER RESOLUTIONS

- K. OTHER BUSINESS
- L. ADJOURNMENT



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### SEATTLE CITY COUNCIL

600 Fourth Ave. 2nd Floor Seattle, WA 98104



### Journal of the Proceedings of the Seattle City Council

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### **City Council**

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#### A. CALL TO ORDER

The City Council of The City of Seattle met remotely pursuant to Washington State Governor's Proclamation 20-28.11 and guidance provided by the Attorney General's Office, on October 19, 2020, pursuant to the provisions of the City Charter. The meeting was called to order at 2:04 p.m., with Council President Pro Tem Juarez presiding.

#### B. ROLL CALL

### The following Councilmembers were present and participating electronically:

- **Present:** 8 Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss
- Excused: 1 González

By unanimous consent, Councilmember González was excused from the October 19, 2020 City Council meeting.

#### C. PRESENTATIONS

There were none.

#### D. APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

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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 - Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

#### E. ADOPTION OF INTRODUCTION AND REFERRAL CALENDAR

#### IRC 275 October 19, 2020

#### ACTION 1:

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

#### ACTION 2:

By unanimous consent, Council Rule III.A.5., relating to circulation of a Council Bill for introduction by 5:00 p.m. on the preceding business day, was suspended to allow consideration of an amendment to the proposed Introduction and Referral Calendar.

#### ACTION 3:

Motion was made by Councilmember Lewis, duly seconded and carried, to amend the proposed Introduction and Referral Calendar by introducing Council Bill 119942 and by referring it to the City Council.

Council Bill 119942, AN ORDINANCE amending Ordinance 126000, which adopted the 2020 Budget; amending Ordinance 126148; amending a proviso; and ratifying and confirming certain prior acts.

#### ACTION 4:

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

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

In Favor: 8 - Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

#### F. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

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

#### G. PUBLIC COMMENT

The following individual addressed the City Council:

Howard Gale

#### H. PAYMENT OF BILLS

# <u>CB 119941</u> AN ORDINANCE appropriating money to pay certain audited claims for the week of October 5, 2020 through October 9, 2020 and ordering the payment thereof.

Motion was made and duly seconded to pass Council Bill 119941.

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

In Favor: 8 - Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

**Opposed:** None

#### I. COMMITTEE REPORTS

#### CITY COUNCIL:

1. <u>CB 119875</u> AN ORDINANCE relating to Seattle Parks and Recreation; authorizing an amendment to the Interlocal Agreement between The City of Seattle and the Seattle Park District.

Motion was made and duly seconded to pass Council Bill 119875.

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

In Favor: 8 - Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

#### 2. <u>Appt 01657</u> Appointment of John Rodezno as member, Landmarks Preservation Board, for a term to August 31, 2021.

#### ACTION 1:

Motion was made and duly seconded to confirm Appointment 1657.

#### ACTION 2:

Motion was made by Councilmember Strauss, duly seconded and carried, to amend Appointment 1657, Appointment Packet, by substituting the unexecuted Notice of Appointment with an executed Notice of Appointment.

#### ACTION 3:

Motion was made and duly seconded to confirm the Appointment as amended.

### The Motion carried, and the Appointment (Appt) was confirmed as amended by the following vote:

In Favor: 8 - Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

#### 3. <u>Appt 01660</u> Appointment of Jessica Vu as member, Board of Park Commissioners, for a term to August 31, 2021.

#### ACTION 1:

Motion was made and duly seconded to confirm Appointment 1660.

#### ACTION 2:

Motion was made by Councilmember Juarez, duly seconded and carried, to amend Appointment 1660, title, by deleting "Wu" and adding "Vu."

#### ACTION 3:

Motion was made and duly seconded to confirm the Appointment as amended.

#### The Motion carried, and the Appointment (Appt) was confirmed as amended by the following vote:

In Favor: 8 - Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

#### **Opposed:** None

### 4. <u>Appt 01640</u> Appointment Elrohi Shuge as member, Seattle Immigrant and Refugee Commission, for a term August 31, 2021.

Motion was made and duly seconded to confirm Appointment 1640.

#### The Motion carried, and the Appointment (Appt) was confirmed by the following vote:

In Favor: 8 - Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

#### **Opposed:** None

#### 5. <u>Appt 01641</u> Appointment of Mary Claire Sokolowski as member, Seattle Center Advisory Commission, for a term to August 31, 2021.

Motion was made and duly seconded to confirm Appointment 1641.

Opposed: None

#### 6. <u>Appt 01642</u> Appointment of Yasmine Aceves as member, Seattle LGBTQ Commission, for a term to August 31, 2021.

Motion was made and duly seconded to confirm Appointment 1642.

### The Motion carried, and the Appointment (Appt) was confirmed by the following vote:

In Favor: 8 - Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

#### Opposed: None

### 7. <u>Appt 01643</u> Appointment of Chelise Jacobson as member, Seattle Women's Commission, for a term to August 31, 2021.

Motion was made and duly seconded to confirm Appointment 1643.

#### The Motion carried, and the Appointment (Appt) was confirmed by the following vote:

In Favor: 8 - Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

#### **Opposed:** None

#### 8. <u>Appt 01644</u> Appointment of Robel B. Mulugeta as member, Seattle Human Rights Commission, for a term to August 31, 2021.

Motion was made and duly seconded to confirm Appointment 1644.

#### The Motion carried, and the Appointment (Appt) was confirmed by the following vote:

In Favor: 8 - Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

#### Opposed: None

### 9. <u>Appt 01645</u> Appointment of Paula Orrego as member, Seattle Commission for People with Disabilities, for a term to August 31, 2021.

Motion was made and duly seconded to confirm Appointment 1645.

Opposed: None

# 10.Appt 01646Appointment of Racquel West as member, Seattle Arts<br/>Commission, for a term to August 31, 2021.

Motion was made and duly seconded to confirm Appointment 1646.

#### The Motion carried, and the Appointment (Appt) was confirmed by the following vote:

In Favor: 8 - Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

#### Opposed: None

# 11. <u>Appt 01647</u> Appointment of Ori Brian as member, Seattle Pedestrian Advisory Board, for a term to August 31, 2021.

Motion was made and duly seconded to confirm Appointment 1647.

#### The Motion carried, and the Appointment (Appt) was confirmed by the following vote:

In Favor: 8 - Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

#### **Opposed:** None

### 12. <u>Appt 01648</u> Appointment of David Kirichenko as member, Community Technology Advisory Board, for a term to August 31, 2021.

Motion was made and duly seconded to confirm Appointment 1648.

#### The Motion carried, and the Appointment (Appt) was confirmed by the following vote:

In Favor: 8 - Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

#### Opposed: None

### 13. <u>Appt 01649</u> Appointment of Jose Ulises Nino Rivera as member, Seattle Bicycle Advisory Board, for a term to August 31, 2021.

Motion was made and duly seconded to confirm Appointment 1649.

Opposed: None

# 14.Appt 01650Appointment of Andrew Parker as member, Seattle Transit<br/>Advisory Board, for a term to August 31, 2021.

Motion was made and duly seconded to confirm Appointment 1650.

#### The Motion carried, and the Appointment (Appt) was confirmed by the following vote:

In Favor: 8 - Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

#### Opposed: None

### 15. <u>Appt 01651</u> Appointment of Chloe Caswell as member, Seattle Renters' Commission, for a term to August 31, 2021.

Motion was made and duly seconded to confirm Appointment 1651.

#### The Motion carried, and the Appointment (Appt) was confirmed by the following vote:

In Favor: 8 - Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

#### **Opposed:** None

#### 16. <u>Appt 01652</u> Appointment of Elena Arakaki as member, Urban Forestry Commission, for a term to August 31, 2021.

Motion was made and duly seconded to confirm Appointment 1652.

#### The Motion carried, and the Appointment (Appt) was confirmed by the following vote:

In Favor: 8 - Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

#### Opposed: None

#### 17. <u>Appt 01653</u> Appointment of Kim Baker as member, Seattle Design Commission, for a term to August 31, 2021.

Motion was made and duly seconded to confirm Appointment 1653.

Opposed: None

# 18.Appt 01654Appointment of Sam Dawson as member, Pioneer Square<br/>Preservation Board, for a term to August 31, 2021.

Motion was made and duly seconded to confirm Appointment 1654.

#### The Motion carried, and the Appointment (Appt) was confirmed by the following vote:

In Favor: 8 - Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

#### Opposed: None

### 19. <u>Appt 01655</u> Appointment of Margaret Honig as member, Design Review Board, for a term to August 31, 2021.

Motion was made and duly seconded to confirm Appointment 1655.

#### The Motion carried, and the Appointment (Appt) was confirmed by the following vote:

In Favor: 8 - Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

#### **Opposed:** None

#### 20. <u>Appt 01656</u> Appointment of Robin Kim as member, Community Involvement Commission, for a term to August 31, 2021.

Motion was made and duly seconded to confirm Appointment 1656.

#### The Motion carried, and the Appointment (Appt) was confirmed by the following vote:

In Favor: 8 - Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

#### Opposed: None

### 21. <u>Appt 01658</u> Appointment of Connor Stein as member, Design Review Board, for a term to August 31, 2021.

Motion was made and duly seconded to confirm Appointment 1658.

Opposed: None

# 22. <u>Appt 01659</u> Appointment of Kelabe Tewolde as member, Seattle Planning Commission, for a term to August 31, 2021.

Motion was made and duly seconded to confirm Appointment 1659.

#### The Motion carried, and the Appointment (Appt) was confirmed by the following vote:

In Favor: 8 - Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

Opposed: None

#### J. ADOPTION OF OTHER RESOLUTIONS

23. <u>Res 31974</u> A RESOLUTION setting the time and place for a hearing on the appeal of Robert Wexler, Hearing Examiner Case Number CWF-0149, from the findings and recommendation report of the Hearing Examiner on the final assessment roll for Local Improvement District No. 6751, and directing that the City Clerk provide any required notice of the hearing in the manner required by law.

Motion was made and duly seconded to adopt Resolution 31974.

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

In Favor: 8 - Herbold, Juarez, Lewis, Morales, Mosqueda, Pedersen, Sawant, Strauss

Opposed: None

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

By unanimous consent, Councilmember Juarez was excused from the October 26, 2020 City Council meeting.

#### L. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the Council, the meeting was adjourned at 2:44 p.m.

Emilia M. Sanchez, Sr. Deputy City Clerk

Signed by me in Open Session, upon approval of the Council, on October 26, 2020.

M. Lorena González, Council President of the City Council

Monica Martinez Simmons, City Clerk



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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

Po	cord No.	Title	Committee Referral
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1.	<u>By: Mosqueda</u> <u>CB 119943</u>	AN ORDINANCE appropriating money to pay certain audited claims for the week of October 12, 2020 through October 16, 2020 and ordering the payment thereof.	City Council
	<u>By: Strauss</u>		
2.	<u>Appt 01661</u>	Appointment of Biruk Belay as member, Design Review Board, for a term to April 3, 2022.	City Council
	By: Strauss		
3.	Appt 01662	Appointment of Anthony Bridgewater as member, Design Review Board, for a term to April 3, 2022.	City Council
	By: Strauss		
4.	<u>Appt 01663</u>	Appointment of Penn DiJulio as member, Design Review Board, for a term to April 3, 2022.	City Council
	<u>By: Strauss</u>		
5.	<u>Appt 01664</u>	Appointment of Stewart Germain as member, Design Review Board, for a term to April 3, 2022.	City Council
	<u>By: Strauss</u>		
6.	<u>Appt 01665</u>	Appointment of Christian Gunter as member, Design Review Board, for a term to April 3, 2022.	City Council
	<u>By: Strauss</u>		
7.	<u>Appt 01666</u>	Appointment of Brian L. Johnson as member, Design Review Board, for a term to April 3, 2022.	City Council
	By Strougo		
8.	By: Strauss Appt 01667	Appointment of Katherine Liss as member, Design Review Board, for a term to April 3, 2022.	City Council
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9.	By: Strauss Appt 01668	Appointment of Emily van Geldern as member, Design Review Board, for a term to April 3, 2022.	City Council

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10.	<u>Appt 01669</u>	Reappointment of David Bader as member, Design Review Board, for a term to April 3, 2022.	City Council
	By: Strauss		
11.	<u>Appt 01670</u>	Reappointment of John Cheng as member, Design Review Board, for a term to April 3, 2022.	City Council
	By: Strauss		
12.	<u>Appt 01671</u>	Reappointment of Christopher Colley as member, Design Review Board, for a term to April 3, 2022.	City Council
	By: Strauss		
13.	<u>Appt 01672</u>	Reappointment of Jeffrey Floor as member, Design Review Board, for a term to April 3, 2022.	City Council
	By: Strauss		
14.	<u>Appt 01673</u>	Reappointment of Sharon Khosla as member, Design Review Board, for a term to April 3, 2022.	City Council
	By: Strauss		
15.	<u>Appt 01674</u>	Reappointment of Aaron Luoma as member, Design Review Board, for a term to April 3, 2022.	City Council
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16.	By: Strauss Appt 01675	Reappointment of John Arthur Morefield as member, Design Review Board, for a term to April 3, 2022.	City Council
	By: Strauss		
17.	<u>Appt 01676</u>	Reappointment of Edward P. Palushock, Jr. as member, Design Review Board, for a term to April 3, 2022.	City Council
	By: Strauss		
18.	<u>Appt 01677</u>	Reappointment of Kenny Pleasant as member, Design Review Board, for a term to April 3, 2022.	City Council
	By: Strauss		
19.	<u>Appt 01678</u>	Reappointment of Lauren Rock as member, Design Review Board, for a term to April 3, 2022.	City Council
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20.	By: Strauss Appt 01679	Reappointment of Scott Rosenstock as member, Design Review Board, for a term to April 3, 2022.	City Council

#### By: Strauss

21.	<u>Appt 01680</u>	Reappointment of Dan Rusler as member, Design Review Board, for a term to April 3, 2022.	City Council
	By: Strauss		
22.	<u>Appt 01681</u>	Appointment of Bill Babbitt as member, Construction Codes Advisory Board, for a term to June 1, 2022.	City Council
	By: Strauss		
23.	<u>Appt 01682</u>	Appointment of Lily Iftner as member, Construction Codes Advisory Board, for a term to June 1, 2022.	City Council
	By: Strauss		
24.	<u>Appt 01683</u>	Appointment of Joe Tremblay as member, Construction Codes Advisory Board, for a term to June 1, 2022.	City Council
	By: Strauss		
25.	<u>Appt 01684</u>	Appointment of Finnegan Wetterau as member, Construction Codes Advisory Board, for a term to June 1, 2021.	City Council
	By Strauga		
26	By: Strauss Appt 01685	Appointment of Jamie P. Yengel as member, Construction	City Council
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	By: Strauss		
27.	<u>Appt 01686</u>	Reappointment of Charles E. Beck as member, Construction Codes Advisory Board, for a term to June 1, 2021.	City Council
	By: Strauss		
28.	Appt 01687	Reappointment of Joel Crabtree as member, Construction Codes Advisory Board, for a term to June 1, 2021.	City Council
	By: Strauss		
29.	<u>Appt 01688</u>	Reappointment of Lachlan Pries Foss as member, Construction Codes Advisory Board, for a term to June 1, 2021.	City Council
	By Strouge		
30	By: Strauss Appt 01689	Reappointment of Greg Gilda as member, Construction	City Council
50.	<u></u>	Codes Advisory Board, for a term to June 1, 2021.	
	By: Strauss		
31.	<u>Appt 01690</u>	Reappointment of Robert Steven Lane as member, Construction Codes Advisory Board, for a term to June 1,	City Council

2022.

<b>32</b> . <u>Appt 01691</u>	Reappointment of Jim Safranek as member, Construction Codes Advisory Board, for a term to June 1, 2021.	City C	Counc	il
By: Strauss				

<b>33.</b> <u>Appt 01692</u>	Reappointment	of Judy	Tucker as	member,	Construction	City Council
	Codes Advisory	Board, for	a term to Jur	ie 1, 2021.		

#### By: Strauss

**34.** Appt 01693Reappointment of Eric Vander Mey as member,<br/>Construction Codes Advisory Board, for a term to June 1,<br/>2021.City Council



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#### **CITY OF SEATTLE**

ORDINANCE \_\_\_\_\_

COUNCIL BILL

AN ORDINANCE appropriating money to pay certain audited claims for the week of October 12, 2020 through October 16, 2020 and ordering the payment thereof.
 BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF SEATTLE AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Payment of the sum of \$16,713,826.87 on PeopleSoft 9.2 mechanical warrants numbered 4100382799- 4100384766 plus manual or cancellation issues for claims, E-Payables of \$63,751.82 on PeopleSoft 9.2 9100007509 - 9100007567 and Electronic Financial Transactions (EFT) in the amount of \$50,546,678.07 are presented for ratification by the City Council per RCW 42.24.180.

Section 2. Payment of the sum of \$50,099,599.87 on City General Salary Fund mechanical warrants numbered 51339483- 51339627 plus manual warrants, agencies warrants, and direct deposits numbered 430001 - 432686 representing Gross Payrolls for payroll ending date October 13, 2020 as detailed in the Payroll Summary Report for claims against the City which were audited by the Auditing Committee and reported by said committee to the City Council October 22, 2020 consistent with appropriations heretofore made for such purpose from the appropriate Funds, is hereby approved.

Section 3. Any act consistent with the authority of this ordinance taken prior to its effective date is hereby ratified and confirmed.

Section 4. 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

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Seattle Municipal Code Section 1.04.020.

Passed by the City Council the 26th day of October 2020, and signed by me in open session in authentication of its passage this 26th day of October 2020.

		President	_ of the City Council
Approved by me this	day	of	, 2020.
		Jenny A. Durkan, Mayo	r
Filed by me this	day of _		, 2020.
		Monica Martinez Simm	ons, City Clerk

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#### **CITY OF SEATTLE**

ORDINANCE

COUNCIL BILL \_\_\_\_\_

AN ORDINANCE amending Ordinance 126000, which adopted the 2020 Budget; amending Ordinance 126148; amending a proviso; and ratifying and confirming certain prior acts. WHEREAS, the Council passed Ordinance 126148 on August 10, 2020 in recognition of the financial impacts

of the COVID-19 emergency, which include a severe local, state, national, and global economic

recession, all of which impact the City's revenue streams; and

WHEREAS, the long-lasting financial impacts of the COVID-19 public health emergency and the City's

response to it meant that the City did not have sufficient resources to meet the 2020 Budget as adopted

in November 2019; and

- WHEREAS, Ordinance 126148 adjusted the 2020 budget to reflect the new economic reality by acknowledging the significant decrease in revenues and increasing expenditures to combat the spread of COVID-19; and
- WHEREAS, Ordinance 126148 makes changes to HSD appropriations expand and maintain homelessness outreach and engagement; and
- WHEREAS, Ordinance 126148 makes immediate changes to the funding available to support in-house staff in

HSD who are involved in homeless outreach and engagement services either directly or indirectly; and

WHEREAS, as of March 17, 2020, during the period of civil emergency in response to new cases of COVID-

19, the Mayor halted encampment removals except under extreme circumstances that included situations where "living structures completely block the entire sidewalk, living structures prohibit safe

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entry and exit from a building or use of a facility, or are a public safety danger to occupants and/or greater community" with examples that include a living structure located on a ramp or roadway, blocking an entire sidewalk or bike lane, presenting fire or safety hazards to infrastructure (i.e. freeway supports/bridges), blocking entry or exit to a building, or being located in a play area; and

- WHEREAS, there may be circumstances in which moving people is necessary, even in a pandemic, but in those limited cases such activity should be planned and implemented with great care and alternative workable living arrangements made available; and
- WHEREAS, the Council and Executive agree to continue discussions on the most appropriate policy guidance and funding to support the City's outreach and engagement with persons living unsheltered; NOW, THEREFORE,

#### BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF SEATTLE AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Section 24 of Ordinance 126148 is amended as follows:

Section 24. ((Of the appropriations in the 2020 Budget for the Addressing Homelessness Budget Summary Level (HSD-BO-HS-H3000) in the General Fund (00100), and notwithstanding powers provided to the Mayor by Section 3 of the Proclamation of Civil Emergency dated March 3, 2020, \$2,900,000 is appropriated solely to expand and maintain homelessness outreach and engagement services, which may include flexible financial assistance, case management, and housing navigation services, and may be spent for no other purpose.)) Of the appropriations in the 2020 Budget for the Addressing Homelessness Budget Summary Level (HSD-BO-HS-H3000) in the General Fund (00100), and notwithstanding powers provided to the Mayor by Section 3 of the Proclamation of Civil Emergency dated March 3, 2020, \$2,074,000 is appropriated solely to: (1) maintain and expand contracts for homelessness outreach and engagement services, which may include behavioral health services (possibly with a Designated Crisis Responder status), flexible financial assistance, case management, housing navigation services, and to support the technology needed and other administrative needs of the contracted service providers; and (2) for the Human Services Department's

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(HSD) staff to coordinate and support outreach and engagement conducted by contracted service providers and other City departments, provided that HSD staff shall not directly contact individuals in need of outreach and engagement services except for the purpose of storage and retrieval of personal items in coordination with service providers; and may be spent for no other purpose. Not more than \$245,000 shall be used to support the salary of HSD staff for this work. In adopting this proviso, the Council expresses its policy intent that HSD will continue to coordinate and respond to unauthorized homeless encampments for the remainder of 2020, and that staff assigned to the Unsheltered Outreach and Response Team shall not exceed 8.0 FTEs.

Section 2. Any act consistent with the authority of this ordinance taken after its passage and prior to its effective date is 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 \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2020, and signed by me in open session in authentication of its passage this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2020.

President \_\_\_\_\_ of the City Council

Approved by me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2020.

Jenny A. Durkan, Mayor

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Filed by me this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_, 2020.

Monica Martinez Simmons, City Clerk

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#### SUMMARY and FISCAL NOTE\*

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\* 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:** AN ORDINANCE amending Ordinance 126000, which adopted the 2020 Budget; amending Ordinance 126148; amending a proviso; and ratifying and confirming certain prior acts.

**Summary and background of the Legislation:** This legislation amends Ordinance (ORD) 126148, the 2020 Budget Revisions ORD to replace a proviso imposed on the Human Services Department related to funding for the Navigation Team. The proviso adopted in ORD 126148 restrict \$2.9 million in HSD's Addressing Homelessness Budget Summary Level to be used only to expand and maintain homelessness outreach and engagement services, which may include flexible financial assistance, case management, and housing navigation services, and may be spent for no other purpose.

The new proviso would restrict \$2.1 million to (1) maintain and expand contracts for homelessness outreach and engagement services, which may include behavioral health services (possibly with a Designated Crisis Responder status), flexible financial assistance, case management, housing navigation services, and to support the technology needed and other administrative needs of the contracted service providers; and (2) for the Human Services Department's (HSD) staff to coordinate and support outreach and engagement conducted by service providers and other City departments in providing outreach and engagement purposes, provided that HSD staff are not directly conducting outreach and engagement services except for the storage and retrieval of personal belongings.

#### 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? <u>X</u> Yes No

The legislation imposes the following restriction on funding in multiple departments:

Of the appropriations in the 2020 Budget for the Addressing Homelessness Budget

Summary Level (HSD-BO-HS-H3000) in the General Fund (00100), and notwithstanding

powers provided to the Mayor by Section 3 of the Proclamation of Civil Emergency dated March 3, 2020, \$2,074,000 is appropriated solely to: (1) maintain and expand contracts for homelessness outreach and engagement services, which may include behavioral health services (possibly with a Designated Crisis Responder status), flexible financial assistance, case management, housing navigation services, and to support the technology needed and other administrative needs of the contracted service providers; and (2) for the Human Services Department's (HSD) staff to coordinate and support outreach and engagement conducted by contracted service providers and other City departments, provided that HSD staff shall not directly contact individuals in need of outreach and engagement services except for the purpose of storage and retrieval of personal items in coordination with service providers; and may be spent for no other purpose. Not more than \$245,000 shall be used to support the salary of HSD staff for this work. In adopting this proviso, the Council expresses its policy intent that HSD will continue to coordinate and respond to unauthorized homeless encampments for the remainder of 2020, and that staff assigned to the Unsheltered Outreach and Response Team shall not exceed 8.0 FTEs.

**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.

#### **3.a.** Appropriations

Y\_\_\_\_ This legislation adds, changes, or deletes appropriations.

Is this change one-time or ongoing?

One-time

#### 3.b. Revenues/Reimbursements

This legislation adds, changes, or deletes revenues or reimbursements.

Anticipated Revenue/Reimbursement Resulting from this Legislation:

Is this change one-time or ongoing?

#### **3.c.** Positions

This legislation adds, changes, or deletes positions.

#### **4. OTHER IMPLICATIONS**

- a. Does this legislation affect any departments besides the originating department? This legislation originates in the Legislative Department and affects the funding of the Human Services Department, Seattle Police Department, Finance and Administrative Services, and Seattle Department of Parks and Recreation.
- **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?
- 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). N/A

List attachments/exhibits below:



October 22, 2020

#### MEMORANDUM

То:	Councilmembers
From:	Jeff Simms and Amy Gore, Analysts
Subject:	CB 119942: Amended Proviso on Navigation Team and Unsheltered Response

On Monday, October 26, 2020, Council is scheduled to consider and vote on <u>Council Bill (CB)</u> <u>119942</u>, which amends a proviso included in Section 24 of <u>Ordinance (ORD) 126148</u>. This memo describes the original proviso, the amended proviso, and describes next steps.

#### Background

Ordinance 126148 (the Budget Revision ORD), passed by Council on August 10, 2020, amended Ordinance 126000, which adopted the 2020 Budget. After a mayoral veto and Council action to overturn the veto, the bill will go into effect on October 22, 2020. The Ordinance includes a proviso on \$2,900,000 of funds appropriated to the Addressing Homelessness Budget Summary Level (BSL) in the Human Services Department's (HSD) budget, stating the funds are appropriated "solely to expand and maintain homelessness outreach and engagement services, which may include flexible financial assistance, case management, and housing navigation services, and may be spent for no other purpose."

The amount of the proviso, \$2.9 million, was an estimate of: (1) unspent 2020 appropriations for HSD Navigation Team staff (\$1.6 million), (2) unspent 2020 appropriations to Finance and Administrative Services (FAS) for clean-up of unsanctioned encampment sites which were transferred to HSD (\$739,000), and (3) existing outreach and engagement contracts for the Navigation Team (\$762,000).

With the proviso, Council's intent was to (1) cut funding for the City's Navigation team, and (2) redirect the unspent 2020 HSD and FAS funds to increase outreach and engagement to people experiencing homelessness in unsanctioned encampments. The increase in outreach and engagement services would be achieved by expanding contracts with community service providers. As noted during the discussion of this proviso, implementation of the proviso will likely result in layoffs of HSD staff, though Council encouraged HSD to find new positions for impacted staff.

#### Council Bill 119942

Council Bill 119942 amends the proviso originally passed in Section 24 in Ordinance 126148 as follows:

**1.** Reduces Amount of Proviso - The total amount of the proviso is reduced from \$2,900,000 to \$2,074,000. This reduction accounts for spending that has occurred during the time period between passage of Ordinance 126148 and its effective date. The proviso includes \$245,000 for HSD staff, \$802,000 of HSD staff salary savings, both from vacancies and the reduction of the team size, \$265,000 in savings at FAS, and \$752,000 for the existing outreach and engagement contract.

This amount would allow for \$1,067,000 from savings at HSD and FAS to be used for new or expanded contracts with community organizations for outreach and engagement activities as allowed under the proviso.

Total	\$2,074,000
Annual Appropriation for REACH Contract in Nav Team	\$762,000
FAS Savings (Projected Underspend through the End of 2020)	\$265,000
HSD Staff Salary Savings (Vacancy and Team Size Reduction)	\$802,000
HSD Staff (8 FTE) for remainder of 2020	\$245,000

#### Table 1. Proviso Components

- 2. Amends List of Activities Allowed under Proviso The proposed legislation would modify the proviso adopted in ORD 126148 to:
  - Require that the expanded outreach and engagement services will be achieved through contracts with external service providers, not by HSD staff;
  - Allow these funds to be used for behavioral health services (possibly with a Designated) Crisis Response status), and for the technological and other administrative needs of the contracted service providers, in addition to the flexible financial assistance, case management, and housing navigation services allowed in the original proviso; and
  - Allow up to \$245,000 to support costs in HSD for the remainder of 2020 for staff who shall coordinate and support outreach and engagement conducted by contracted service providers and other City departments, only having direct contact with individuals in coordination with service providers to support the storage and retrieval of personal items; funds can be spent for no other purpose.
- **3.** Added Policy Intent The proposed legislation expresses Council policy intent that HSD will continue to coordinate and respond to unauthorized homeless encampments for the remainder of 2020, and that staff assigned to the Unsheltered Outreach and Response Team in 2020 shall not exceed 8.0 FTEs. It should be noted that the activities authorized by the revised proviso would not include some of the minimum requirements that have been outlined for doing an encampment removal, though such activities could be supported with other funds.

#### **Next Steps**

As noted above, CB 119942 is scheduled for a vote at the City Council meeting on October 26. Please contact Jeff Simms if you have any questions or clarifications on this legislation and notify Central Staff (Jeff or Amy) of any potential amendments by noon on Friday, October 23.

cc: Dan Eder, Interim Executive Director Aly Pennucci, Supervising Analyst and Budget Manager

### SHARED PRINCIPLES & AGREED FRAMEWORK FOR RESPONSE TO PEOPLE LIVING UNSHELTERED 2020-2021

This framework is meant to be able to generate wide support, uniting the Mayor, Council, and people who work closely with those directly affected by these policies. Its success depends upon sustained public and private adherence to these agreed-upon principles; mutual support; consistent communication lifting up these intentions; and the deployment of adequate, flexible resources. It is designed to be put into practice right away, and sustained through 2021.

- <u>United front</u>: Mayor, Councilmembers and providers lend their support to a common framework, and release and spend necessary resources to implement these principles in practice
- (2) We commit to a plan of action to <u>do the most we can under current conditions</u>, with new, significant, one-time resources, intending to earn support across the spectrum of stakeholders for this approach
- (3) Principles:
  - relocate <u>at least 500 people</u> from miserable conditions on the streets into safe and sustainable lodging, without coercion, enforcement, or camp removal as the framework;
  - <u>focus lodging and enhanced shelter offers</u> on people facing greatest barriers, a group that is disproportionately Black and Indigenous; and on situations with greatest impact on neighborhoods and city as a whole (public safety; impact on struggling businesses and vulnerable neighborhoods; public health, including COVID vulnerability; public disorder; law violations); and
  - in recognition that our city cannot currently offer enough placements, improve the ability of those who will remain encamped in public spaces for the near term to care for themselves, connect with available supports, and shelter in place. This specifically includes a comprehensive and frequent trash removal and sanitation strategy.
- (4) <u>Set expectations</u>: many if not most people living unsheltered in Seattle will remain in that situation over the next year.
- (5) Consistent messaging:
  - COVID requires approach that promotes and protects public health, precludes dispersals
  - Dispersals don't reduce the number of people living unsheltered, and exacerbate difficulties of providing/continuing services to people living outside
  - The only way to reduce the prevalence of people living unsheltered is to afford people access to a sustainable lodging situation that matches their circumstances (attention to initial placement as well as to sustainability of that placement). For some this is solely a matter of affordability, for others this is a matter of affordability, help in gaining access, and having appropriate supports in place and available as needed.
  - Sustainable lodging for a particular person means accommodation that is accessible, adequate, and consistent with basic standards of shelter or housing, including support for hygiene, sanitation, food preparation, security, peace, privacy and dignity; and without barriers that mean the individual will be turned away or excluded. Due to COVID19, congregate shelter is not generally an appropriate setting.
  - Seattle does not have, and will not have, enough such placements to match all or most of those living unsheltered over the next 15 months

- (6) <u>Sheltering in place</u>: for those who, we know given lack of enough alternatives, will remain unsheltered, sheltering in place <u>in viable conditions</u> is a priority and part of the City's mission. The City will take responsibility to provide:
  - sanitation and access to hygiene facilities
  - o trash removal and water
  - health promotion and harm reduction (sharps containers, health outreach in through Public Health)
  - community dynamics
    - help address obstructions and behavior through thoughtful and respectful dialogue and <u>problem-solving</u>, engaging both unsheltered and housed residents, addressing specific neighborhood needs and priorities, rather than through removal and dispersal
  - on occasion, it may be necessary to assist people to shift to another location because they are in an untenable place (e.g., property that is about to be an active construction site, or blocking access to a business). This is expected to be rare. In these situations, the approach will be to problem-solve (sometimes rapidly but preferably with a reasonable time period in which to prepare and plan), helping people identify and move to another location, which may be another outdoor camp site. This is not because people should be left to live in public, but in recognition that in the near term, no matter what we do, many will be.
- (7) <u>Lodging increase</u>: the City will make it possible for 500 or more additional people to shift to secure, sustainable lodging over the next 15 months while we await a larger influx of PSH, including by using hotels
  - The skilled community-based providers themselves will screen and match individuals to the best lodging resource for their situation and needs; lodging availability will be transparent and known to those doing actual outreach and screening work
  - Bridge Shelter, Navigation Center and tiny homes are a good match for many people, not all--but openings are rare
  - If there is an increase in tiny home availability on this timeframe, that will assist with some individuals; however, some people won't go to/not appropriate for tiny homes, or need a level of care beyond what is available in present tiny home scenarios
  - hotel use is possible, immediate and attractive to many on the street -- very few people decline
  - hotels rooms must be prioritized for people with greatest barriers, a group that disproportionately includes Black & Indigenous people; and those whose situations are most impactful for neighborhoods or city as a whole, related to disorder or health concerns, or the need to de-intensify the jail
  - insisting on race equity, ensuring resources do not skew toward white individuals disproportionately
  - staffing model for hotel programs must be realistic in light of the complex behavioral health needs of many participants, and the lack of available alternatives sites or programs to address those needs
    - rapidly hear what about appropriate providers' situation would have to change to make this possible; make those changes ASAP, including providers whose mission is to work with culturally defined populations and people with high levels of behavioral health challenges (both are essential for success)
    - issues that may need to be addressed to create capacity include

 workforce, workforce, workforce: compensation, COVID staffing ratios (plan for possible staff absence of up to 3 weeks without warning), adequate staff positions to support more intensive care teams to support people with complex behavioral health needs

This approach has been co-signed by Chief Seattle Club, Urban League, REACH/Evergreen Treatment Services, Downtown Emergency Service Center, Seattle/King County Coalition on Homelessness & Public Defender Association /CoLEAD.