



King County

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Meeting Agenda Metropolitan King County Council

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Girmay Zahilay, Vice Chair of Policy Development and Review;
Reagan Dunn, Vice Chair of Regional Coordination;
Claudia Balducci, Jorge Barón, Rod Dembowski,
Teresa Mosqueda, Sarah Perry, Pete von Reichbauer*

1:30 PM

Tuesday, March 5, 2024

Hybrid Meeting

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1. **Call to Order**

2. **Roll Call**

3. **Flag Salute and Pledge of Allegiance**

Councilmember Zahilay

4. **Approval of Minutes of February 27, 2024**

Councilmember Zahilay

5. **Additions to the Council Agenda**

There will be one public hearing on Items 6-10

Motions, from Standing Committees and Regional Committees and Motions related to Collective Bargaining, for Council Action

Consent Items

Councilmember Zahilay

6. [Proposed Substitute Motion No. 2023-0397.2](#)

A MOTION relating to the King County Metro Transit Strategic Plan for Public Transportation 2021-2031 and King County Metro Transit Service Guidelines and accepting the King County Metro Transit 2023 System Evaluation.

Sponsors: Dembowski and Perry

On 11/7/2023, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Regional Transit Committee.

On 11/15/2023, the Regional Transit Committee Recommended Do Pass Substitute.

On 1/9/2024, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Transportation, Economy, and Environment Committee.

On 1/16/2024, the Transportation, Economy, and Environment Committee Deferred.

On 2/20/2024, the Transportation, Economy, and Environment Committee Recommended Do Pass Consent.

On 3/5/2024, the Metropolitan King County Council Passed.

7. [Proposed Motion No. 2023-0404](#)

A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of Kasia Grzebyk, who resides in council district nine, to the King County solid waste advisory committee, as a citizen representative who resides within a mile of the property boundaries of the Cedar Hills regional landfill.

Sponsors: Dunn

On 2/6/2024, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Transportation, Economy, and Environment Committee.

On 2/20/2024, the Transportation, Economy, and Environment Committee Recommended Do Pass Consent.

On 3/5/2024, the Metropolitan King County Council Passed.

8. [Proposed Motion No. 2023-0443](#)

A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of Young-Sang Song, who resides in council district nine, to the King County priority hire advisory committee.

Sponsors: Dunn

On 1/23/2024, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Transportation, Economy, and Environment Committee.

On 2/20/2024, the Transportation, Economy, and Environment Committee Recommended Do Pass Consent.

On 3/5/2024, the Metropolitan King County Council Passed.

9. [Proposed Motion No. 2023-0444](#)

A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of Drew Gibson, who resides in council district nine, to the King County priority hire advisory committee.

Sponsors: Dunn

On 1/23/2024, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Transportation, Economy, and Environment Committee.

On 2/20/2024, the Transportation, Economy, and Environment Committee Recommended Do Pass Consent.

On 3/5/2024, the Metropolitan King County Council Passed.

10. [Proposed Motion No. 2023-0448](#)

A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of Mary Lerdaahl, who resides in council district nine, to the King County priority hire advisory committee.

Sponsors: Dunn

On 1/23/2024, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Transportation, Economy, and Environment Committee.

On 2/20/2024, the Transportation, Economy, and Environment Committee Recommended Do Pass Consent.

On 3/5/2024, the Metropolitan King County Council Passed.

First Reading and Referral of Motions

11. [Proposed Motion No. 2024-0073](#)

A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of Hend Alhinnawi, who resides in council district six, to the King County women's advisory board, as a council at-large representative.

Sponsors: Balducci

On 3/5/2024, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Health and Human Services Committee.

12. [Proposed Motion No. 2024-0076](#)

A MOTION confirming the appointment of Neil Strege to the King County cultural development authority (4Culture) board.

Sponsors: Dunn

On 3/5/2024, the Metropolitan King County Council Introduced and Referred to Committee of the Whole.

13. **Reports on Special and Outside Committees****Other Business****Adjournment**