



King County  
Meeting Proceedings

1200 King County Courthouse  
516 Third Avenue  
Seattle, WA 98104

Law, Justice and Human Services Committee

Councilmembers: Larry Gossett, Chair; Kathy Lambert, Vice Chair; Carolyn Edmonds, Dwight Pelz, Rob McKenna, Dow Constantine

Staff: Doug Stevenson (296-1631), Lead Staff Analyst; Clifton Curry (296-0358), Analyst; Gennevie Cook, Committee Assistant (205-5079)

Room 1001

March 07, 2002

9:30 AM

**Call to Order**

*The Law, Justice and Human Services Committee meeting was called to order at 9:36 a.m. in the Metropolitan King County Courthouse Chambers, 10th Floor, by Chair Larry Gossett.*

**Roll Call**

*Also in attendance was Councilmember Jane Hague.*

Present: Mr. Gossett, Ms. Lambert, Ms. Edmonds, Mr. Pelz, Mr. McKenna, Mr. Constantine and Mr. Pullen

**1. Approval of Minutes of February 21, 2002**

*A motion was made by Councilmember Lambert to approve the meeting minutes of February 21, 2002 as presented. The motion passed.*

**Discussion and Possible Action**

**2. Proposed Motion No. 2001-0325**

**Mr. Phillips**

A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of Heather Johnson Avery, who resides in council district four, to the King County board for developmental disabilities.

*Gennevie Cook, Council Staff, briefed the Committee.*

*Heather Johnson Avery, Board Appointee, answered questions from the Committee.*

*Carol Greenough, Board Liaison, was present to answer questions from the Committee.*

*The Chair directed the Committee Assistant to make changes to the Motion to replace 'Council District Four' with 'Council District Eleven' in both the title and body.*

**A motion was made by Ms. Lambert that this matter be Recommended Do Pass Substitute Consent. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Votes:** Yes: 4 - Mr. Gossett, Ms. Lambert, Ms. Edmonds and Mr. Constantine

No: 0

Excused: 3 - Mr. Pelz, Mr. McKenna and Mr. Pullen

**3. Proposed Motion No. 2001-0545**

**Ms. Fimia and Ms. Edmonds**

A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of city of Kenmore Councilmember Steven Colwell, who resides in council district one, to the Seattle/King County advisory council on aging and disability services.

*Gennevie Cook, Council Staff, briefed and answered questions from the Committee.*

*Maria Ramirez, Advisory Council Liaison, answered questions from the Committee.*

**Deferred**

4. **Proposed Motion No. 2001-0566**

**Mr. Phillips**

A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of Debra Roszkowski, who resides in council district four, to the King County mental health advisory board.

*Gennevie Cook, Council Staff, briefed the Committee.*

*Debra Roszkowski, Board Appointee, answered questions from the Committee.*

*Jean Robertson and Amber Hebert, Board Liaisons, were present to answer questions from the Committee.*

**A motion was made by Ms. Lambert that this matter be Recommended Do Pass Consent. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Votes:** Yes: 4 - Mr. Gossett, Ms. Lambert, Ms. Edmonds and Mr. Constantine

No: 0

Excused: 3 - Mr. Pelz, Mr. McKenna and Mr. Pullen

5. **Proposed Motion No. 2002-0013**

**Mr. Phillips**

A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of Scott Strawn, who was nominated by the city of Seattle, and who resides in council district four, to the King County alcoholism and substance abuse administrative board.

*Gennevie Cook, Council Staff, briefed the Committee.*

*Scott Strawn, Board Appointee, answered questions from the Committee.*

*Rhoda Naguit, Board Liaison, was present to answer questions from the Committee.*

**A motion was made that this matter be Recommended Do Pass Consent. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Votes:** Yes: 4 - Mr. Gossett, Ms. Lambert, Ms. Edmonds and Mr. Constantine

No: 0

Excused: 3 - Mr. Pelz, Mr. McKenna and Mr. Pullen

## Briefings

6. **Briefing No. 2002-B0034**

Status of District Court Efforts and Plans for Addressing 2002 Budget Provisos.

*Clif Curry, Council Staff, briefed and answered questions from the Committee.*

*The Honorable Wesley SaintClair, Presiding Judge, King County District Court, Judge Robert McBeth, Renton Division, King County District Court, and Judge Mark Chow, Mental Health Court, King County District Court, briefed and answered questions from the Committee.*

*Presiding Judge Karla Grady, Judge Elizabeth Mattingly, Mike Walton, Court Administrator, and Doctor Walter Smitson, Court Clinic Director, from Cincinnati, Ohio, were present to observe and learn more about King County District Court's, Mental Health Court. The King County Mental Health Court has had Oklahoma, Tennessee, Hawaii, Alaska and New Mexico contingents in just this last year to observe the Mental Health Court that this County provides. Australia and Canada have also been here to observed the Mental Health Court. This month Minnesota is scheduled to come with ten people and Utah is scheduled to come at the end of the month.*

**Presented**

7. **Briefing No. 2002-B0035**

First Meeting for the Development of Criminal Justice Policy and Council Guidance to the Adult Justice Operational Master Plan.

*Clif Curry and Doug Stevenson, Council Staff, briefed and answered questions from the Committee. Mr. Curry and Mr. Stevenson also made a Power Point presentation to the Committee.*

**Presented**

8. Grant Alerts

Hepatitis A & B Education

*Nina Rivkin, Council Staff, briefed and answered questions from the Committee.*

*David Bibus, Program Analyst III, Communicable Disease, Epidemiology and Immunizations-Prevention Services Division, Department of Public Health and Susan Eisele, Senior Administrative Assistant, Administrative Services Division, Department of Public Health, answered questions from the Committee.*

## **Other Business**

*None.*

## **Adjournment**

*There being no further business to come before the Committee, the meeting adjourned at 12:08 p.m.*

Approved this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_.

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Clerk's Signature