



# King County

516 Third Avenue, Council  
Chambers, 10th Floor,  
Seattle, WA 98104

## Meeting Agenda

### Government Accountability and Oversight Committee

*Councilmembers:*

*Pete von Reichbauer, Chair;  
Steffanie Fain, Vice Chair;  
Claudia Balducci, Reagan Dunn*

*Lead Staff: Gene Paul (206-477-9378)*

*Committee Clerk: Blake Wells (206-263-1617)*

9:30 AM

Monday, August 17, 2026

Hybrid Meeting  
Southwest Conference Room

#### REVISED AGENDA - SPECIAL MEETING

Revised to reflect public testimony will be heard in the Southwest Conference Room  
12th floor King County Courthouse

Hybrid Meetings: Attend this King County Council committee meeting in person in Southwest Conference Room - 12th Floor King County Courthouse 516 3rd Avenue, Seattle WA 98104, or through remote access. Details on how to attend and/or to provide comment remotely are listed below.

Pursuant to K.C.C. 1.24.035 A. and F., this meeting is also noticed as a meeting of the Metropolitan King County Council, whose agenda is limited to the committee business. In this meeting only the rules and procedures applicable to committees apply and not those applicable to full council meetings.

**HOW TO PROVIDE PUBLIC COMMENT:** The Government Accountability and Oversight Committee values community input and looks forward to hearing from you on agenda items.

There are three ways to provide public comment:

1. In person: You may attend the meeting and provide comment in the SW Conference Room.
2. By email: You may comment in writing on current agenda items by submitting your email comments to [committees@kingcounty.gov](mailto:committees@kingcounty.gov). If your email is received by 8:30 a.m. on the day of the meeting, your email comments will be distributed to the committee members and appropriate staff prior to the meeting.
3. Remote attendance at the meeting by phone or computer (see "Connecting to the Webinar" below).



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You may provide oral comment on current agenda items during the meeting's public comment period.

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**CONNECTING TO THE WEBINAR:**

Webinar ID: 871 9559 4726

By computer using the Zoom application at <https://zoom.us/join> and the webinar ID above.

Via phone by calling 1 253 215 8782 and using the webinar ID above.

**HOW TO WATCH/LISTEN TO THE MEETING REMOTELY:** There are several ways to watch or listen in to the meeting:

- 1) Stream online via this link: <http://www.kingcounty.gov/kctv>, or input the link web address into your web browser.
- 2) Watch King County TV on Comcast Channel 22 and 322(HD) and Astound Broadband Channels 22 and 711(HD)
- 3) Listen to the meeting by telephone – See “Connecting to the Webinar” above.

To help us manage the meeting, if you do not wish to be called upon for public comment please use the Livestream or King County TV options listed above, if possible, to watch or listen to the meeting.

1. **Call to Order**
2. **Roll Call**
3. **Approval of Minutes**

*June 9, 2026 and July 20, 2026 meeting minutes*

4. **Public Comment**



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## Discussion and Possible Action

5. [Proposed Motion No. 2026-0124](#)

A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of Ranil Herath, who resides in council district nine, to the King County Library System board of trustees.

**Sponsors:** Dunn

*Gene Paul, Council staff*

6. [Proposed Motion No. 2026-0125](#)

A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of Liz Callahan, who resides in council district five, to the King County Library System board of trustees.

**Sponsors:** Fain

*Gene Paul, Council staff*

7. [Proposed Motion No. 2026-0178](#)

A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of Susan Loosmore, who resides in council district six, to the Washington state Major League Baseball Stadium Public Facilities District board of directors.

**Sponsors:** von Reichbauer

*Gene Paul, Council staff*

## Briefing

8. [Briefing No. 2026-B0096](#)

Auditor's Office Update on DCHS contract monitoring

*Kymber Waltnunson, King County Auditor*

*Megan Ko, Senior Principal Auditor*

## Adjournment



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