



King County

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Meeting Minutes Employment and Administration Committee

*Councilmembers: Sarah Perry, Chair;
Jorge L. Barón, Vice-Chair; Claudia Balducci,
Rod Dembowski, Teresa Mosqueda*

*Staff: Stephanie Cirkovich, Chief of Staff (206-477-6023)
Melani Hay: Committee Clerk (206-477-1025)*

11:00 AM

Tuesday, December 2, 2025

Hybrid Meeting

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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.

1. **Call to Order**

The meeting was called to order at 11:01 a.m.

The Chair moved the meeting into Executive Session to evaluate the qualifications of an applicant for public employment pursuant to RCW 42.30.110(g) at 12:08 p.m. for approximately 17 minutes, until 12:25 p.m.

The Chair reconvened the meeting at 12:25 p.m. and announced that the meeting would be recessed until after the Council meeting adjourns.

The Chair recessed the meeting at 12:28 p.m.

The Chair reconvened the meeting at 2:20 p.m.

The Chair moved the meeting into Executive Session to evaluate the qualifications of an applicant for public employment, review the performance of a public employee, and discuss with legal counsel legal counsel legal risks of a proposed action when public knowledge regarding the discussion is likely to result in an adverse legal or financial consequence to the county under RCW 42.30.110 (1)(g) and (i) at 2:22 p.m. for approximately 18 minutes, until 2:40 p.m.

The Chair extended the Executive Session at 2:40 p.m. for approximately 10 minutes, until 2:50 p.m.

The Chair extended the Executive Session at 2:50 p.m. for approximately 10 minutes, until 3:00 p.m.

The Chair extended the Executive Session at 3:00 p.m. for approximately 5 minutes, until 3:05 p.m.

The Chair extended the Executive Session at 3:05 p.m. for approximately 5 minutes, until 3:10 p.m.

The Chair reconvened the meeting at 3:11 p.m.

2. **Roll Call**

Councilmember von Reichbauer and Councilmember Fain were also in attendance.

Present: 5 - Balducci, Barón, Dembowski, Mosqueda and Perry

Discussion and Possible Action

3. [Proposed Motion No. 2025-0354](#)

A MOTION confirming the appointment of Corin Goodwin to the citizens' elections oversight committee as a representative from the disability community.

Sponsors: Perry

Corin Goodwin made remarks and thanked the Council.

Erica Newman, Council Staff, briefed the Committee and answered questions.

Councilmember Barón made an oral amendment to insert "Corin Goodwin" into the blanks on lines 4, 18, and 23. The motion carried.

Councilmember Barón made an oral amendment to insert "King County council's employment and administration committee", on line 4. The motion carried.

Councilmember Barón made an oral amendment to insert "Corin Goodwin" on line 1. The motion carried.

This matter was Recommended Do Pass Substitute Consent - Expedite

Yes: 5 - Balducci, Barón, Dembowski, Mosqueda and Perry

4. [Proposed Motion No. 2025-0355](#)

A MOTION confirming the appointment of _____ to the citizens' elections oversight committee as a representative of the Vietnamese-speaking community.

Sponsors: Perry

The Chair announced that Proposed Motion 2025-0355 was deferred.

This matter was Deferred

5. [Proposed Motion No. 2025-0351](#)

A MOTION reappointing Kymber Waltmunson to the position of King County auditor.

Sponsors: Perry

Stephanie Cirkovich, Chief of Staff, briefed the Committee and answered questions.

Kymber Waltmunson made remarks and answered questions.

The Chair moved the meeting into Executive Session to evaluate the qualifications of an applicant for public employment pursuant to RCW 42.30.110(g) at 11:51 a.m. for approximately 10 minutes, to 12:01 p.m.

The Chair extended the Executive Session at 12:01 p.m. for approximately 5 minutes, to 12:06 p.m.

The Chair reconvened the meeting at 12:06 p.m.

A motion was made by Councilmember Barón that this Motion be Passed Out of Committee Without a Recommendation. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 5 - Balducci, Barón, Dembowski, Mosqueda and Perry

6. [Proposed Motion No. 2025-0352](#)

A MOTION reappointing Tamer Abouzeid as the director of the office of law enforcement oversight.

Sponsors: Perry

Stephanie Cirkovich, Chief of Staff, briefed the Committee and answered questions.

Tamer Abouzeid made remarks and answered questions.

The Chair moved the meeting into Executive Session to evaluate the qualifications of an applicant for public employment pursuant to RCW 42.30.110(g) at 3:41 p.m. for approximately 7 minutes, until 3:48 p.m.

The Chair extended the Executive Session at 3:48 p.m. for approximately 3 minutes, until 3:51 p.m.

The Chair reconvened the meeting at 3:51 p.m.

A motion was made by Councilmember Barón that this Motion be Passed Out of Committee Without a Recommendation. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 5 - Balducci, Barón, Dembowski, Mosqueda and Perry

Briefings

7. **Human Resources Update**

No update was given.

8. **Chief of Staff Update**

Stephanie Cirkovich, Chief of Staff, gave an update.

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 3:55 p.m.

Approved this _____ day of _____

Clerk's Signature