



King County

1200 King County
Courthouse
516 Third Avenue
Seattle, WA 98104

Meeting Minutes

Law and Justice Committee

Councilmembers:

Rhonda Lewis, Chair;

Rod Dembowski, Vice-Chair;

Claudia Balducci, Jorge L. Barón, Teresa Mosqueda

Lead Staff: Leah Krekel-Zoppi (206-477-0892)

Co-Lead Erica Newman (206-477-7543)

Committee Clerk: Gabbi Williams (206-477-7470)

9:30 AM

Wednesday, February 4, 2026

Hybrid Meeting

DRAFT MINUTES - REVISED AGENDA

1. **Call to Order**

Chair Lewis called the meeting to order at 9:31 a.m.

2. **Roll Call**

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

3. **Approval of Minutes**

Councilmember Mosqueda moved approval of the minutes of the December 3, 2025 meeting. Seeing no objections, the minutes were approved.

Discussion and Possible Action

4. **Proposed Ordinance No. 2025-0367**

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the King County executive to execute an interlocal agreement with the city of North Bend to provide contract municipal police services by the King County sheriff's office.

Nick Bowman, Council Staff, briefed the committee and answered questions from the members. Mary Miller, Mayor, City of North Bend, also addressed the committee.

Councilmember Barón moved Amendment 1. The Amendment was adopted.

A motion was made by Councilmember Barón that this Ordinance be Recommended Do Pass Substitute Consent. The motion carried by the following vote:

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

Briefing

5. **Briefing No. 2026-B0021**

Superior Court Update

The Honorable Averil Rothrock, Presiding Judge, King County Superior Court, briefed the committee via a PowerPoint presentation and answered questions from the members.

This matter was Presented

6. **Briefing No. 2026-B0020**

Update on Jail Health Service Expansion Efforts

Danotra McBride, Director, Jail Health Division, Public Health—Seattle & King County, Megan Murphy, LICW, Jail Health Services Demonstration Project Manager, Public Health – Seattle & King County, and Joy Carpine-Cazzanti, Council Relations Manager, Public Health—Seattle & King County, briefed the committee via a PowerPoint presentation and answered questions from the members.

This matter was Presented

Other Business

There was no other business to come before the committee.

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 11:24 a.m.

Approved this _____ day of _____

Clerk's Signature