City of SeaTac Special Council Meeting Minutes

July 12, 2022 6:00 PM City Hall Council Chambers

CALL TO ORDER: Mayor Jake Simpson called the SeaTac City Council Special Meeting to order at 4:00 p.m.

COUNCIL PRESENT (remotely): Mayor Jake Simpson, Deputy Mayor (DM) Senayet Negusse, Councilmembers (CM) Peter Kwon, Mohamed Egal, Takele Gobena, and Erin Sitterley. **Absent:** CM Iris Guzmán.

STAFF PRESENT (remotely): City Manager Carl Cole, City Attorney Mary Mirante Bartolo, City Clerk Kristina Gregg, Information Systems (IS) Manager Bart Perman, Deputy City Manager Gwen Voelpel, Government Relations & Communications Manager Kyle Moore, Community & Economic Development (CED) Director Evan Maxim, Economic Development (ED) Manager Aleksandr Yeremeyev

FLAG SALUTE: Mayor Simpson led the Council, audience, and staff in the Pledge of Allegiance.

AGENDA REVIEW:

Virtual Meeting:

- a. Broadcast on SeaTV Government Access Comcast Channel 21
- b. Live-streamed on the City's website https://www.seatacwa.gov/seatvlive.
- c. Remote options for public participation for commenters who followed the provided instructions.

PUBLIC COMMENTS:

Remote Public Comments -

• Clare Gallagher – regarding AB#6033, stating the Port is engaged on this topic.

ACTION ITEMS:

Agenda Bill #6033; A Motion authorizing the City Manager to send a letter on behalf of the City Council to the Port of Seattle (POS) Commission regarding North SeaTac Park (NSTP).

Summary: Through Resolution 22-009, passed May 10, 2022, the SeaTac City Council expressed its desire to pursue feasibility and potential subsequent acquisition of all or portions of NSTP from the POS. It is unclear if the POS Commission is supportive of this effort by the City and this item is intended to be a discussion and possible action, directing the City Manager to send a letter to the POS Commission on behalf of the City Council seeking clarity.

City Manager Cole reviewed the agenda bill summary.

MOVED BY KWON, SECONDED BY NEGUSSE TO PASS AGENDA BILL #6033.*

Council discussion ensued regarding the history of this item and support of this request.

CM Sitterley left at this point in the meeting for a couple of minutes due to technical difficulties.

*MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

EXECUTIVE SESSION: None

ADJOURNED:

MAYOR SIMPSON ADJOURNED THE SPECIAL MEETING OF THE SEATAC CITY COUNCIL AT 4:20 P.M.

Jake Simpson, Mayor

Kristina Gregg City Clerk