

Transportation & Public Works Committee Meeting

Minutes

September 14, 2023 5:30 – 6:30 PM ** Hybrid Meeting **

Commenced: Adjourned:

Members:	<u>Present</u>	<u>Excused</u>	<u>Unexcused</u>
CM Kwon, Chair	X		
Mayor Simpson	Χ		
CM Takele Gobena	X		

Other Councilmembers participating:

Staff Coordinators: Florendo Cabudol, City Engineer

Other Staff Present: Mason Giem, PW Programs Coordinator; Gwen Voelpel, Deputy City Manager; Cindy Corsilles, Sr. Assistant City Attorney; Zack Shields, Sr. Planner;

1. Call to Order	Chair Kwon called the meeting to order at 5:31 PM.
2. Public Comment	No public comments
3. Review of the Minutes	August 10 2023 T&PW Minutes were approved
4. King County Solid Waste Fixed Annual Charge	Discussion/Action
	(Logan Harvey, Recology King County was present)
	Mason Giem, Public Works Programs Coordinator presented this item.
	The Fixed Annual Charge from King County Solid Waste was approved in March of 2022 by King County to begin in 2024.

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	Staff is seeking to amend the current solid waste contract with Recology King County to allow for the application of the fixed annual charge for all residential and commercial customers of Recology in SeaTac starting in January 2024. (This translates to an estimated monthly increase of \$1.78 for a single family household (32 gallon) and \$523 per 40 CY trash haul).
	A question from the Committee was answered by staff that there is no choice whether we accept the fixed annual charge or not. It is imposed by King County for all users of their solid waste facilities.
	The Committee unanimously agreed to forward this item to full council for presentation with a recommendation to approve.
5. Department Updates	Florendo Cabudol, City Engineer, presented the department update for the Committee:
	Staffing update: Kamal Mahmoud, Engineering Manager, has resigned due to family issues. Brenton Cook, Senior Civil Engineer, has been appointed as Acting Engineering Manager.
	The Fall Recycle Event is planned for November 18.
	34 th Ave South, S 160 th to S 166 th , is in its final stages. The retaining wall that has received complaints, will be remedied.
	River Ridge Elementary Sidewalk is also close to completion.
	Projects in design include, South 204 th Street Improvements 34 th Avenue South, S 166 th to S 176 th , working on conceptual design. 2024 Overlays – Des Moines Memorial Drive, S 188 th to S 192 nd , and 16 th Ave S flood control.
6. Adjourn	Chair Kwon adjourned the meeting at 5:49 PM.