

Planning & Economic Development Committee Minutes

Thursday, September 21, 2023 4:00 PM - 5:30 PM * Hybrid Meeting *

Commence: 4:07 pm

Adjourn: 5:38 pm

Committee Members:

Present Excused Unexcused

Mohamed Egal, Chair

Jake Simpson, Mayor

Peter Kwon, Councilmember

Other Councilmembers: None

Staff & Presenters: Deputy City Manager Gwen Voepel, CED Director Evan Maxim, Economic Development Manager Aleksandr Yeremeyev, Assistant City Attorney Ha Dao, Admin Asst 3 Barb Mailo, Claire V. Goodwin, SKHHP Executive Manager; Rich Shockley, SKHHP Director/Certified Business Advisor; Andrew Powers, SKHHP Business Advisor

1. Call to Order	Chair Egal called the meeting to order at 4:07 pm and roll call.
2. Public Comments	 Written comments: None Remote comments: None In-person comments: None
3. Minutes of 8/17/2023 regular meeting	Review and Approve Meeting minutes approved by Councilmember Kwon, Mayor Simpson, and Chair Egal
	Minutes Passed: 3-0
South King County Housing and Homelessness Partners (SKHHP)	Informational Briefing / Guidance Introduced by Director Maxim and presented by Claire Goodwin.
	 Discussion commenced with Mayor Simpson, Claire Goodwin, CM Kwon, Director Maxim, and Chair Egal. Chair Egal approved of SKHHP. Mayor Simpson agreed with staff recommendations and approved of SKHHP. Councilmember Kwon would like more information and a budget report and recommends further discussion.

	 2 – Yes (Chair Egal & Mayor Simpson) 1 – Need more information (Councilmember Kwon)
Small Business Development Center Briefing	Informational Briefing Introduced by Economic Development Manager Aleksandr Yeremeyev. Presented by Rich Shockley and Andrew Powers. (5:29 pm) Chair Egal recommended to extend meeting time by 20 minutes. Mayor Simpson motioned to extend the meeting time. Seconded by Councilmember Kwon. Discussion commenced with Councilmember Kwon, Shockley, Mayor Simpson, Chair Egal, and Yeremeyev.
6. Adjourn	Chair Egal adjourned the meeting at 5:38 pm.