



**Snohomish County Council**  
**Finance, Budget and Administration Committee**  
**Meeting Minutes**

Megan Dunn, Committee Chair  
Nate Nehring, Committee Vice-Chair  
Committee Members: Sam Low, Jared Mead, Strom Peterson

Jim Martin, Senior Legislative Analyst  
Paula Rhyne, Legislative Aide  
Cheri Danner, Assistant Clerk of the Council

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**Tuesday, May 14, 2024**

**10:00 AM**

**Jackson Board Room - 8th Floor  
Robert J. Drewel Building  
& Remote Meeting**

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**PRESENT:**

Committee Chair Dunn  
Committee Vice-Chair Nehring  
Committee Member Low (*not present*)  
Committee Member Mead  
Committee Member Peterson  
Nathan Kennedy, Director, Finance Department  
Ken Klein, Executive Director, Executive's Office  
Jim Martin, Council Staff  
Lisa Hickey, Assistant Clerk of the Council

**CALL TO ORDER**

Committee Chair Dunn called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m.

**ROLL CALL**

The clerk called the roll and stated that four members were present.

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

Fidencia Velasco, resident of Everett, spoke about Ordinance 24-040.

## ACTION ITEMS

Deb Bell, Sr. Legislative Analyst, provided a staff report for the following item:

1. Ordinance 24-040, relating to construction projects - - Apprentice and Priority Hire Program; amending Chapter 3.05 SCC [2024-0946](#)

Nathan Kennedy, Finance Director and Ken Klein, Executive Director, responded to questions regarding work load and resources.

**ACTION:** Move to Administrative Matters, General Legislative Session May 15th to set time and date for public hearing.

Jim Martin, Sr. Legislative Analyst, provided a staff report for the following items:

2. Motion 24-194, authorizing the Snohomish County Executive to sign Amendment No. 1 with Gordon, Thomas Honeywell Governmental Affairs (GTH) to provide Professional State Governmental Affairs Relations, Lobbying, and Related Services for Snohomish County [2024-0183](#)

Committee Vice-Chair Nehring requested information on timetables and Mr. Martin indicated he will research the matter and respond accordingly.

**ACTION:** Move Proposed Substitute Motion to Consent Agenda, General Legislative Session May 22nd for consideration.

3. Motion 24-211, approving the apportionment of 2023 Public Utility District Privilege Taxes [2024-0886](#)

**ACTION:** Move to Consent Agenda, General Legislative Session May 22nd for consideration.

4. Motion 24-196, approving a budget transfer in Grant Fund 130 for funds received from the Washington State Department of Commerce [2024-0793](#)

**ACTION:** Move to Consent Agenda, General Legislative Session May 15th for consideration.

Meeting adjourned at 10:29 a.m.

*[Clerk Note: Minutes prepared by Cheri Danner, Asst. Clerk of the Council]*