



## RESOLUTION NO. 41748

1 BY REQUEST OF MAYOR WOODARDS

2 A RESOLUTION relating to City Council meetings; revising the approved  
3 cancellation of regular City Council meetings and study sessions in 2025, by  
4 ratifying the cancellation of the April 8, 2025, study session and reinstating  
5 the November 4, 2025, study session, and the November 12, 2025, meeting  
6 and study session.

7 WHEREAS, pursuant to City Charter Section 2.8, as amended by a vote of  
8 the people during the general election on November 5, 2024, entitled Procedure of  
9 the Council, the City Council shall hold at least 70 regular meetings each calendar  
10 year which includes Council meetings and study sessions, and

11 WHEREAS, the City Council discussed options for cancelled City Council  
12 meetings and study sessions in 2025 at the December 10, 2024, study session, and  
13 approved the cancellation of the following meetings and study sessions at the  
14 December 17, 2025, meeting, per Resolution No. 41589:

- 15 • Tuesday, January 21
- 16 • Tuesday, February 18
- 17 • Tuesday, March 11
- 18 • Tuesday, May 27
- 19 • Tuesday, September 2
- 20 • Tuesday, September 23
- 21 • Tuesday, November 4
- 22 • Wednesday, November 12
- 23 • Tuesday, November 25
- 24 • Tuesday, December 23
- 25 • Tuesday, December 30

26 and,

WHEREAS most of the dates selected fall one day before or after a legal  
holiday, and



WHEREAS, per Rule 1A of the Rules of Procedure of the Council of the City of Tacoma entitled Regular Meetings, if a legal holiday is on a Tuesday, the regular meeting shall be held on the next business day, and

WHEREAS in 2025, the City of Tacoma observes Veterans' Day on Tuesday, November 11, 2025, and would hold the regular meetings of that week on Wednesday, November 12, 2025, and

WHEREAS to remain responsive to community needs and ensure Council participation in significant local events, the City Council discussed revising cancellations at the August 19, 2025, study session, and adjustments to the Council meeting schedule have been made to amend the approved cancellations as shown below:

- Tuesday, January 21
- Tuesday, February 18
- Tuesday, March 11
- Tuesday, April 8 (study session only)
- Tuesday, May 27
- Tuesday, September 2
- Tuesday, September 23
- Tuesday, November 4 (meeting only)
- Tuesday, November 25
- Tuesday, December 23
- Tuesday, December 30

and

WHEREAS these changes allow Council Members to be present and engaged in key community activities, while also maintaining an adequate number of business meetings particularly through holiday months to ensure timely action on city matters; Now, Therefore,



BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the approved cancellations of regular City Council meetings and study sessions in 2025 are hereby revised by ratifying the cancellation of the April 8, 2025, study session and reinstating the November 4, 2025, study session, and the November 12, 2025, meeting and study session.

Adopted \_\_\_\_\_

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Mayor

Attest:

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City Clerk

Approved as to form:

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City Attorney