



City of Tacoma City Council Minutes

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March 23, 2021

6:00 PM

VIRTUAL FORUM

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Woodards called the Virtual Forum to order at 7:12 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Present: 9 - Beale, Blocker, Hines, Hunter, McCarthy, Thoms, Ushka, Walker and Mayor Woodards

All Council Members participated virtually.

COMMUNITY MEMBER COMMENTS

Community Member Comments began at 7:13 p.m.

The City Clerk's Office received four written comments for Community Member Comments, regarding employee hazard pay, COVID-19 vaccinations, and the Pierce County Sheriff.

Speaking before the City Council:

1. Laurie Arnold, regarding Resolution No. 40763, Pierce County Council's request for an independent investigation regarding the Pierce County Sheriff.
2. Lyssa, regarding employee hazard pay.
3. Alexa Folsom-Hill, regarding the Pierce County Sheriff and the City Charter.
4. Nicholas Bronda, regarding employee hazard pay.
5. Ben Ferguson, regarding Ordinance No. 28747.
6. Chris Bauer, regarding employee hazard pay, Manuel Ellis, and all victims of hate.
7. Michael W. Jr., regarding employee hazard pay.
8. Jamika Scott, regarding an accident on Park Avenue, Manuel Ellis, and the Pierce County Sheriff.

9. Dee Sonntag, regarding Pierce County Council's request for an independent investigation regarding the Pierce County Sheriff, and Manuel Ellis.

Community Member Comments ended at 7:31 p.m.

OTHER ITEMS OF INTEREST

Council Member Thoms expressed appreciation for the Tacoma Fire Department for their service at a fire over the weekend.

ADJOURNMENT

On proper motion, the Virtual Forum was adjourned at 7:32 p.m.

Victoria R. Woodards, Mayor

Doris Sorum, City Clerk