



# City of Tacoma City Council Minutes

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**January 25, 2022**

**6:00 PM**

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## VIRTUAL FORUM

### CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Woodards called the Virtual Forum to order at 6:16 p.m.

### ROLL CALL

**Present:** 9 - Blocker, Bushnell, Daniels, Hines, McCarthy, Rumbaugh, Ushka, Walker and Mayor Woodards

All Council Members participated virtually.

### COMMUNITY MEMBER COMMENTS

Community Member Comments began at 6:17 p.m.

The City Clerk's Office received two written comments for Community Member Comments, regarding the Home in Tacoma Project and preservation of oak trees in South Tacoma.

Speaking before the City Council:

1. Devin Rydel Kelly, regarding crime, a private property landlord, and Tacoma Safe.
2. Holly Rydel Kelly, regarding crime, homelessness, and the City budget.
3. Laurel Sexton, regarding crime and homeless encampments.
4. Tara, regarding homelessness and trash in the City.
5. April Smith, regarding homeless encampments.
6. Kathy Lawhon, regarding COVID-19.
7. David Galazin, regarding homelessness and Tacoma Safe.
8. Cathy Pick, regarding Ordinance No. 28756, related to unlawful use of public property; homelessness; and homeless encampments.
9. Sally Perkins, regarding the Tacoma Police Department Chief and the community safety plan.
10. Kit Burns, regarding the Advanced Metering Infrastructure Project.

Council Member Hines addressed a comment regarding the Advanced Metering Infrastructure Project.

Deputy Mayor Ushka addressed a comment regarding trash in the City.

Community Member Comments ended at 6:38 p.m.

### **OTHER ITEMS OF INTEREST**

There were no other items of interest.

### **ADJOURNMENT**

On proper motion, the Virtual Forum was adjourned at 6:39 p.m.

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Victoria R. Woodards, Mayor

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Doris Sorum", written over a horizontal line.

Doris Sorum, City Clerk