



WEEKLY REPORT TO THE CITY COUNCIL

April 30, 2026

Members of the City Council
City of Tacoma, Washington

Dear Mayor and Council Members:

ITEMS OF INTEREST

1. Council Member Scott provides the attached Council Action Memorandum for a Resolution authorizing a Council Contingency Fund expenditure of **\$10,000 to sponsor the Tacoma Film Task Force**.
2. Director of the Center of Strategic Priorities Jacques Colon provides the attached **2025 Affordable Housing Action Strategy Data Report**.
3. Arts & Cultural Vitality 2025 Annual Report: **The Arts & Cultural Vitality Division is excited to share their [2025 Annual Report](#), which highlights the incredible work of our local artists, organizations, and programs**—spanning Community Arts Projects and Tacoma Artists Initiative Program (TAIP) funded events, public art projects, Tacoma Creates programming, Spaceworks initiatives, and Tacoma Arts Month. Each page reflects the collaborative energy that fuels Tacoma’s vibrant cultural ecosystem, supported by the City’s investment in the cultural sector.
4. Arts & Cultural Vitality Strategic Plan Survey: **The Arts & Cultural Vitality Division is currently refreshing our strategic plan for the first time in a decade and would like your input. Please take our short, anonymous [survey](#) to help us understand how well our programs and services are meeting community needs**, how we can deepen equity and access, how we can communicate better, what to prioritize moving forward, and how people are experiencing Tacoma’s cultural landscape.
5. **City-funded Temporary and Emergency Shelter Performance**: The City posts weekly information about its Temporary and Emergency Shelter locations including current census, number of available beds, and exits to housing. **This information can be found at: <https://cms.tacoma.gov/ncs/weeklydataupdate.pdf> and is updated weekly.**

Pierce County Human Services also uses the Homeless Management Information System to report daily availability throughout Pierce County. This information can be found at: <https://www.piercecountywa.gov/8220/Homeless-Emergency-Shelter-Availability> and shows the available beds open at shelters and is updated Monday - Friday by 10:00 a.m.

6. **Encampment Outreach:** For the week of **April 20 - 24, 2026**, the HEAL team visited **12 locations**. This resulted in **43 (13 new, and 30 repeat)** individuals contacted and referred to community services; 3 individuals accepted shelter placement and HEAL will continue to work with the additional 14 individuals to find available shelter beds that best meet the individual's needs. This information can be found at: [HEAL Team Engagement Dashboard | Tacoma Open Data](#).

7. Neighborhood and Community Services (NCS) 2027-2028 Competitive Funding Process: **The Neighborhood & Community Services Department plans to release an application for 2027-28 contract funding on May 6, 2026.** The application period will close on June 9, 2026. Funding may come from the following sources: General Fund, Mental Health & Substance Use Disorder (MHSUD) sales tax, Criminal Justice sales tax, Affordable Housing (House Bill 1590), Justice Assistance Grant (JAG), Community Development Block Grant (CDBG), and Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG) funds. NCS will seek to fund programs that align with [Council priorities](#) and [NCS department goals](#). A review panel, including Commissioners from the Human Services Commission, will review and rate applications and make recommendations for how to allocate the available funds. **All funding recommendations (including the programs not required to compete below) will be subject to Council approval of the 27-28 biennial budget.**

Due to ongoing commitments and critical nature of services, currently funded programs in the areas below will not be required to compete for 2027-2028 funding:

- City initiatives and inter-local agreements (Crystal Judson Family Justice Center, Tacoma-Pierce County Health Department, Mental Health Co-Responder, Tacoma Public Schools Whole Child, Therapeutic Mental Health Court)
- Senior Services (Parks Tacoma, Senior Transportation)
- Young Adult Shelter (Valeo Vocation)

(Currently funded providers not required to compete have been notified)

Applications will be accepted for the following funding areas:

- Building Resilience Against Youth Violence & Exploitation (BRAYVE)
- Community Violence Response
- Domestic Violence and Intimate Partner Violence Prevention
- Equitable Food Access
- Health & Health Care: Behavioral Health Services
- Housing
- Inclement Weather Response
- Sheltering
- Stability Site Operator

NCS and Purchasing staff will host three pre-proposal meetings for interested applicants. **Those meetings are currently planned for May 7, 2026, May 20, 2026, and May 26, 2026.**

Funding recommendations are scheduled to be presented to Community, Vitality and Safety Committee meeting (CVS) on September 24, 2026, and all contracts requiring Contracts & Award Board and City Council approval are planned to be presented to Council in November. Contracts will be effective between January 1, 2027, and December 31, 2028.

8. City Manager's Office Constituent Relations Analyst Karyssa Mathison provides the attached **Constituent Intake Report**.
9. Please see the attached City of Tacoma **Weekly Meeting Schedule**.
10. Tacoma Police Chief Jackson provides the attached **Weekly Crime Report for the week ending on April 26, 2026**.
11. Amy Clancy, Media and Communications Director shares the **"Good News"** below.
 - Wednesday, April 26, 2026, was Earth Day! From our tall mountains to beautiful waterways, we celebrated the beauty of our planet and how lucky we are to enjoy it in such abundance here in Tacoma. You can join your fellow Earthlings on Saturday, May 2, 2026, at the **Sustainability Expo** to learn about environmental sustainability and explore a vibrant mix of vendors and family-friendly activities. Event details can be found at: <https://www.tacoma.uw.edu/southsoundsustainabilityexpo>.
 - The City of Tacoma is looking for six volunteers to fill positions on the **Equity in Contracting Advisory Committee!** This group is responsible for monitoring compliance and providing advice to the Equity in Contracting Program Manager on performance and effectiveness. Learn more and apply by May 18, 2026, at: tacoma.gov/cbc.
 - **SHOUT OUT TO OUR TACOMA POLICE DEPARTMENT EXPLORERS!** From April 10 - 12, 2026, the Tacoma Police Explorer Program sent six of our Explorers to compete in the King County Patrol Day Challenge—a three-day event focused on real-world law enforcement scenarios. Explorers took part in hands-on mock scenes including building searches, crisis intervention, domestic disputes, collision investigations, and even an obstacle course. They also had the opportunity to learn from specialized demonstrations like Forensics, DUI processing, and K9 operations. **The event brought together over 50 Explorer participants from approximately 10 agencies across Washington, all part of the [Washington Law Enforcement Exploring Advisors](#) program—an organization dedicated to providing meaningful, career-focused experiences for youth interested in law enforcement.** We're proud of our Explorers for representing Tacoma and continuing to build their skills, teamwork, and leadership. **Learn more about our Tacoma Police Department Explorers program here:** [https://tacoma.gov/.../community-support-engagement.../...](https://tacoma.gov/.../community-support-engagement.../)

- **Wednesday, April 22, 2026, was a proud day for the Tacoma Police Department as Chief Jackson officially swore in our three newest officers: Officer O'Connor, Officer Scheeler, and Officer Trapp.** Each of these officers recently graduated from the Washington State Criminal Justice Training Commission academy and will now begin the next phase of their training here at TPD as they prepare to serve our community. Their families were in attendance to witness this milestone, a reminder of the strong support behind each of these new officers as they begin their service. Moments like these reflect not just an individual achievement, but a shared commitment and sacrifice made by those who stand beside them every step of the way. Please join us in welcoming Officers O'Connor, Scheeler, and Trapp to TPD. We're proud to have them join our team and look forward to the difference they'll make in our community.
- **Burning Tips/Information from the Tacoma Fire Department:** We're starting to see more spring-like days, and if you're planning to dust off your chimineas, fire bowls, and fire pits, make sure you're burning safely! We're here to guide you through **Tacoma's rules on burning. fire pits, chimineas, or fire bowls:**
 - Use only clean and natural firewood, charcoal, manufactured fire logs or liquified petroleum gas.
 - Keep portable fire devices at least 15' away from any structures.
 - Make sure an adult is always tending to the fire.
 - Keep a fire extinguisher or charged hose handy.
 - Handle ashes safely.
 - Ashes can stay hot for hours or days.
 - Dispose of them in a metal container away from anything that could burn.
 - It is illegal to burn yard waste, garbage, cardboard, paper, building materials, dead animals, and anything that could release hazardous materials into the air.

For burn ban information, visit: <https://tacoma.gov/.../departm.../fire/burn-ban-information/>.
- During the April 21, 2026, City Council Meeting, **April was recognized as Fair Housing Month and Occupational Therapy Month.** Fair Housing Month: We know quality of life and access to opportunity is directly tied to where people live. That's why we support fair housing laws that make our community stronger. **Let's work together for a Tacoma that is free from housing discrimination.** Occupational Therapy Month: Occupational therapy helps people live life to their fullest after an illness or injury. We're thankful for the occupational therapists in our community that selflessly promote the health and productivity of those who need their services.

- For this week's Tacoma Fire Department [#ThrowbackThursday](#), we pulled this unedited article from The Tacoma News Tribune from this day in 1934 for you. "Page 14 in Tacoma pictorial history has to do with the fire department. The [first photo] was taken after the memorial day parade in 1887. The photographer posed Alert Company No. 2 in Commerce street north of 9th and the lineup reads as follows: Captain Charles McAtee, Dave Perry, Jim Cunningham, Frank Keene, Butt Hichat, Pete Stringer, Frank Hopkins, Jack Conley, Charles Russell, Tom Giplet, Jue Zugner, Ed Stane, Charles Lang, and Tom Woods. "In 1890, or thereabouts, Tacoma purchased two new machines, Ahrens, of which the city was very proud. The [second] picture shows one of them all decorated in front of the Villard hotel on A near 9th. Jesse Ryssell is the driver. A man whose first name was Matt was the fireman. The roses were presented to the Alert Company by Charles T. Uhlman, meat dealer, councilman, political leader and sportsman. The horses were the famous team of blacks, Jake Kilrain and John L. Sullivan." *Image and article courtesy of The News Tribune, Tacoma Public Library Northwest Room. April 23, 1934.*

STUDY SESSION / WORK SESSION

12. The City Council Study Session of Tuesday, May 5, 2026, will be conducted as a hybrid meeting.

This meeting can be attended in-person at the Tacoma Municipal Building, Council Chambers, located at 747 Market Street on the 1st floor or be heard by dialing (253) 215 – 8782 or through Zoom at: www.zoom.us/j/89496171192 and entering the meeting ID 894 9617 1192; passcode 896569 when prompted. This meeting will be broadcast on TV Tacoma.

Discussion items will include: (1) **2025 Climate Action Plan Progress Report**; (2) **Automated Enforcement Expansion Briefing**; (3) **Historic Preservation Update**; (4) **Other Items of Interest – Council Consideration Request and Council Action Memorandums**; (5) **Committee Reports**; (6) **Agenda Review & City Manager’s Weekly Report**; (7) **Executive Session – Potential Litigation**.

On our first agenda item, staff will provide an **overview of the 2025 Climate Action Plan Progress Report**. Each year, updates are provided to Council and the community on citywide climate actions and targets in order to track them for transparency and to gauge progress. Staff will share highlights and achievements from 2025, as well as identify potential areas for further focus.

On our second agenda item, Public Works staff will provide an **informational briefing on the expansion of the Automated Enforcement Program**, including the methodology for identifying camera locations, proposed outreach, and installation schedule.

On our third agenda item, staff from Planning and Development Services will provide an update to the City Council on the past year of activities for the **Historic Preservation Program and Landmarks Preservation Commission**.

Under other items of interest, the following items will be discussed:

- **Council Action Memorandum:** A Resolution Reaffirming Tacoma's Commitment to Immigrants and Refugees and Directing Ongoing State and Federal Advocacy. [Council Member Sadalge]
- **Council Action Memorandum:** An Ordinance – Relating to the Unauthorized Use of Public Property for Civil Immigration Enforcement. [Council Member Diaz]
- **Council Consideration Request** – A Resolution Affirming the Potential for High-Investment Corridors to Serve as Drivers of Economic Growth and Development. [Council Member Scott]

13. The updated **Tentative City Council Forecast and Consolidated Standing Committee Calendars** are attached for your information.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

- Come join Tacoma Mayor Anders Ibsen at his weekly community office hours, upcoming dates listed below:
 - **Thyme Well Spent Café** – 5608 South Park Ave, Tacoma WA 98408, Wednesday, May 6, 2026, 2:30 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.
 - **McDuff's Café**, 1400 North Highlands Parkway, Tacoma WA 98406, Wednesday, May 13, 2026, 10:30 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.
 - **Bigfoot Pizza & Bar**, 1308 North I Street, Tacoma WA 98403, May 20, 2026, 6:00 p.m. – 7:15 p.m.
- **City of Destiny Awards will take place at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, May 6, 2026, at the Tacoma Dome Exhibition Hall, 2727 East D Street.** This free community celebration recognizes Tacoma's outstanding volunteers, leaders, and organizations whose service and dedication have made a lasting impact across the community
- **Grit City Connect:** The City of Tacoma is teaming up with [Parks Tacoma](#), [Tacoma Public Schools](#), and the [Port of Tacoma](#) to bring a major networking event to the contracting community on May 12, 2026! Sign up to attend Grit City Connect, which is in-person at the STAR Center, 3873 S 66th Street, 8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. To learn about upcoming project and procurement needs and engage with public agency staff and technical assistance providers.

In service,



Hyun Kim
City Manager



TO: Hyun Kim, City Manager
FROM: Council Member Jamika Scott and Christina Caan, Policy Analyst
COPY: City Council and City Clerk
SUBJECT: Resolution – Council contingency fund request to sponsor the Tacoma Film Task Force
DATE: April 29, 2026

SUMMARY AND PURPOSE

A resolution authorizing a Council contingency fund expenditure of \$10,000 to sponsor the Tacoma Film Task Force.

COUNCIL SPONSORS

Council Member Jamika Scott, Council Member Latasha Palmer, Council Member Olgy Diaz, and Deputy Mayor Bushnell

Council Contingency Fund Request: We ask for your support for a Council contingency fund expenditure of \$10,000 to sponsor the Tacoma Film Task Force (FTF), organized and convened by the Grand Cinema. The FTF would work to help organize the film community and develop a set of recommendations for the City Council that are focused on enhancing and expanding the film industry in Tacoma.

- The Grand Cinema is committed to inclusive community collaboration and would aim to enlist a diverse membership that includes individuals with a broad range of perspectives and experience in the film industry. At least one student seat would also be included to help engage the film communities at local universities.
- The Grand Cinema has a wealth of experience managing programs and public discussions aimed at building community and sharing knowledge, including the Tacoma Film Camp, 253 Short Film Competition, and the Tacoma Film Festival.¹ The Grand Cinema is the only non-profit cinema in Pierce County and has been working to enhance cultural vitality through quality film and educational programming since 1997.²

Filmmaking can be a powerful economic development tool for cities. From commercials to feature films, the film industry can foster a range of jobs, local businesses engagement, and tourism. While the film industry in Tacoma has energy and momentum, along with a talented and passionate filmmaking community, it continues to attract only a handful of film projects. A FTF would help to better organize the film community and could evaluate options for helping the local film industry expand and advance closer collaboration with businesses and community members.

- In 2025, Seattle’s Office of Economic Development coordinated 360 film permits and reported that more than 4,000 local cast and crew had been hired to work on film projects.³ The small town of Forks, Washington, saw a massive jump in tourism—from 10,000 people a year to more than 70,000—due to the popularity of the Twilight film series, sparking robust revenue gains for local food, retail, and accommodation services.⁴
- Tacoma provides fantastic locations for filming, including both sophisticated and gritty environments often within a short distance, and has key infrastructure that the film industry requires, such as large hotels and convenient parking. However, Tacoma issued only 11 permits for filming in 2025.

¹ [The Grand Cinema: Special Events](#)

² [The Grand Cinema: Mission and History](#)

³ [2025 Film Permit Data Seattle - Full Deck.pdf](#)

⁴ [Why ‘Twilight’ has become immortal in this former Washington state logging town - OPB](#)



The scope of work for the FTF would include developing proposals and recommendations for topics such as:

- Providing feedback on updating the Motion Picture Municipal Code;
- Providing feedback on streamlined film permit regulations to ensure the process for filmmaking in Tacoma is easy, accessible, and transparent;
- Developing a list of location and industry assets to help promote the city for filmmakers and attract new projects;
- Providing recommendations for updating the Tacoma Public Library's visual media lab;
- Providing advice on a potential series of speaker events or incubator efforts to connect filmmakers and support skill building;
- Building a contact list of people involved in the film industry, including connections to local universities; and
- Connecting the film industry with local businesses; and
- Providing other general recommendations for expanding the film industry in Tacoma.

The City of Tacoma's funding for the FTF would help advance key priorities identified in the 2035 Strategic Plan, including building a thriving, resilient, and strong economy with good jobs.⁵ In addition, the FTF's work would contribute to supporting the City's Community and Economic Development (CED) Strategic Plan.⁶ The CED Strategic Plan makes specific mention of supporting and expanding Tacoma's entrepreneurial ecosystem and developing emerging industries, which aligns well with the aims of the FTF.

FUNDING REQUESTED: \$10,000

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

Council Member Jamika Scott has engaged in conversations with local community members involved in various aspects of film and hosted a community roundtable on the state of the film industry in Tacoma. Community members have stressed that the film industry in Tacoma has energy and momentum, along with impressive talent. They also shared strong support for a FTF and finding ways to build and celebrate local talent and content. Council Member Scott also met with the Grand Cinema to discuss the vision and logistics for the FTF.

2025 STRATEGIC PRIORITIES

Equity and Accessibility: The Grand Cinema is committed to extending opportunities to community, volunteers, patrons, and staff regardless of race, sex, age, orientation, gender identity, religion, veteran or marital status, national origin, ethnicity, culture, socio-economic class, ability, or professional status.⁷ The Grand Cinema would work to include a diverse range of voices from the film making community to serve on the FTF.

Civic Engagement: *Equity Index Score:* Moderate Opportunity

Increase the percentage of residents who believe they are able to have a positive impact on the community and express trust in the public institutions in Tacoma.

Livability: *Equity Index Score:* Moderate Opportunity

Increase positive public perception of safety and overall quality of life.

⁵ [Tacoma Strategic Plan | City of Tacoma](#)

⁶ [2026-2030 community and economic development strategic plan \(1\).pdf](#)

⁷ [The Grand Cinema: Mission and History](#)



ALTERNATIVES

Alternative	Positive Impacts	Negative Impacts
Do not support the Film Task Force.	Council would preserve the full amount of contingency funding for other priorities.	The film community and industry in Tacoma would continue to face difficulties organizing and overcoming barriers to attracting a robust number of film projects.
Support the Film Task Force at a higher amount.	The Grand Cinema could expand the scope of work and resources for the Film Task Force.	The Grand Cinema has not requested additional funds and providing a higher amount would further deplete contingency funds for other City Council priorities.

EVALUATIONS AND FOLLOW UP

The FTF would share their recommendations and advice with the public and the City Council as available. The Grand Cinema would apply for Tacoma Creates or Special Event Funding to maintain the program in future years if desired.

SPONSOR RECOMMENDATION

Sponsors recommend providing \$10,000 in Council contingency funds to sponsor the Tacoma Film Task Force.

FISCAL IMPACT

Fund Number & Name	COST OBJECT (CC/WBS/ORDER)	Cost Element	Total Amount
1. 1030 – Council Contingency Fund	660000		\$10,000
TOTAL			\$10,000

What Funding is being used to support the expense?

Council Contingency Funds

Are the expenditures and revenues planned and budgeted in this biennium’s current budget?

The Council Contingency Fund provides an established amount of funding each year for unbudgeted Council sponsored initiatives.

Are there financial costs or other impacts of not implementing the legislation?

NO

Will the legislation have an ongoing/recurring fiscal impact?

NO

Will the legislation change the City’s FTE/personnel counts?

NO

Contingency Commitments 2026

Resolution Number	Funding Amount
Resolution 41859	
Oasis Center	\$30,000.00
Council Contingency Fund request of \$30,000 to fund the Oasis Youth Center's HIV and STI self-testing for LGBTQ+ youth ages 14 and older in Pierce County.	
Resolution 41864	
True Vine Community Church of God in Christ	\$25,000.00
Council Contingency Fund request of \$25,000 to sponsor the 5th Annual Citywide Block Party.	
Resolution 41881	
Northwest Immigrant Rights Project 2026 Gala Sponsorship	\$15,000.00
A Council Contingency Fund expenditure of \$15,000 to sponsor the Northwest Immigration Rights Project's 2026 Gala and make a public declaration of solidarity with Northwest Immigrant Rights Project's values	
To Council May 5, 2026	
Tacoma Film Task Force Sponsorship	\$10,000.00
Council contingency fund expenditure of \$10,000 to sponsor the Tacoma Film Task Force.	
Starting Balance	\$259,328.56
Allocated Funding	\$80,000.00
Remaining Balance	\$179,328.56



Affordable Housing Action Strategy 2025 Data Report

403

Affordable housing units constructed in 2025

101

Low-income homes preserved in 2025

17,369

Low-income Tacoma households served with **\$11,639,134.53** in 2025

661

Tacoma shelter residents exited to housing in 2025

1,964

since 2019

378

since 2019

88,348

Low-income Tacoma households served with **\$54,968,818.43** since 2019

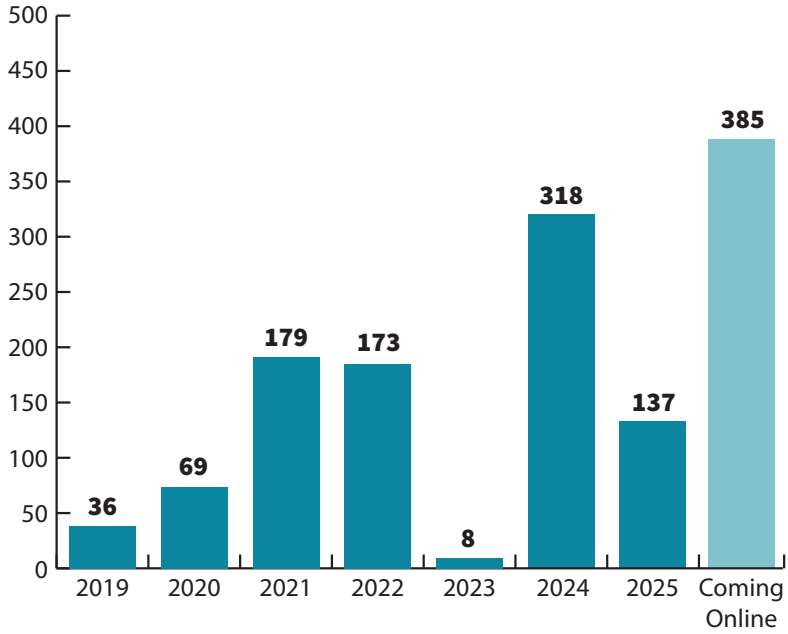
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since 2020

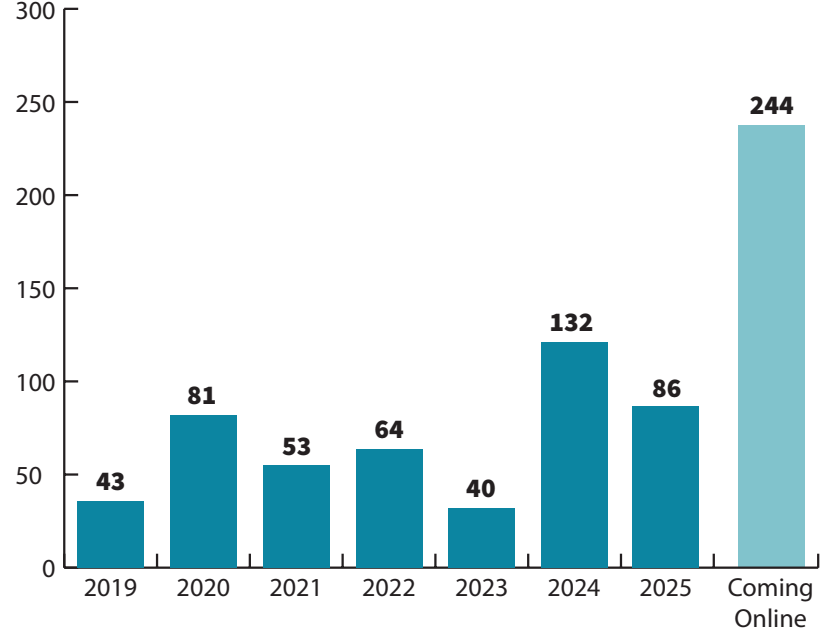


Objective 1: Create More Homes for More People

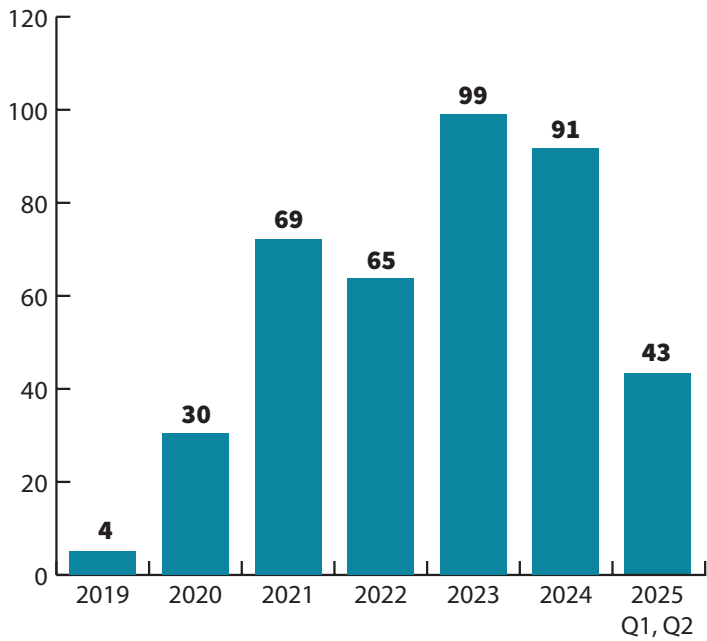
City Funded Affordable Housing Units



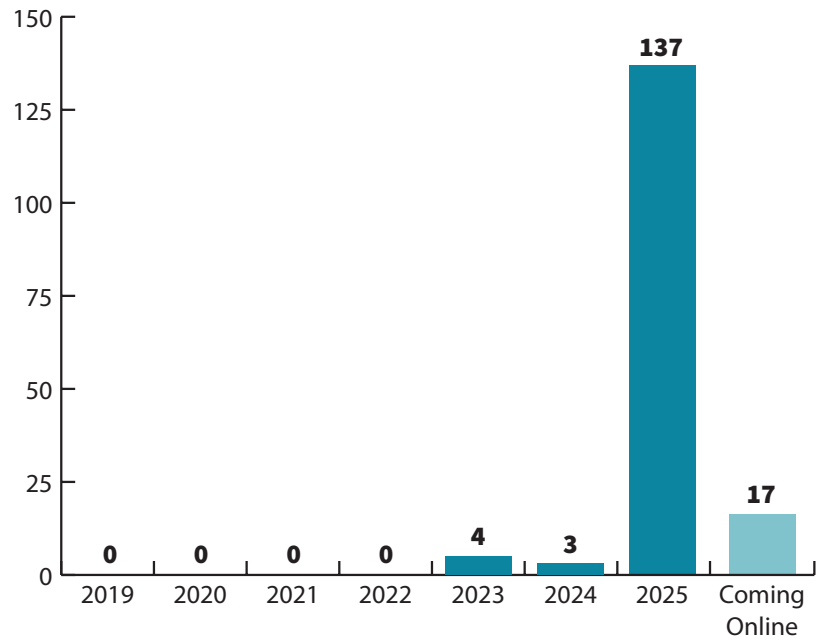
Multifamily Tax Exemption



Accessory Dwelling Units

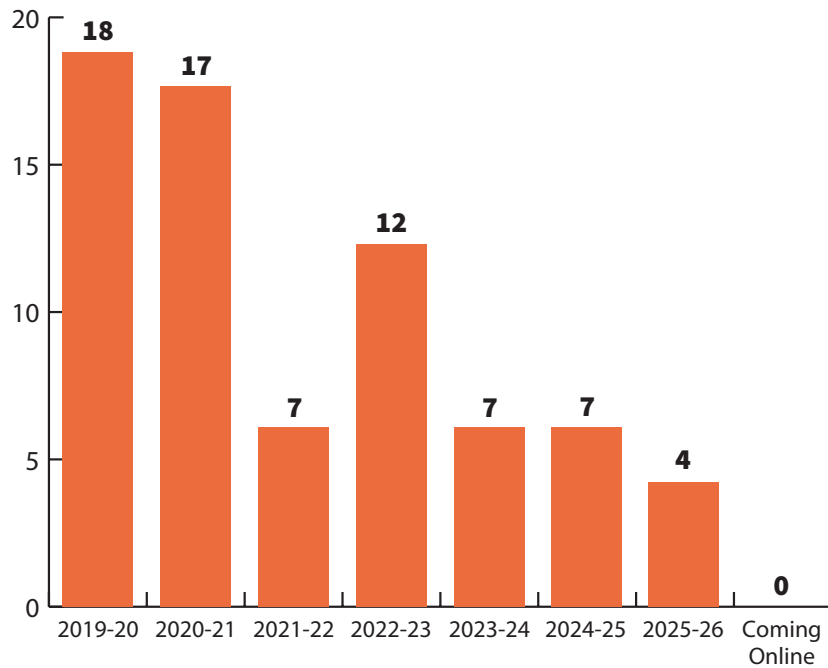


Inclusionary Zoning and Private Upzones

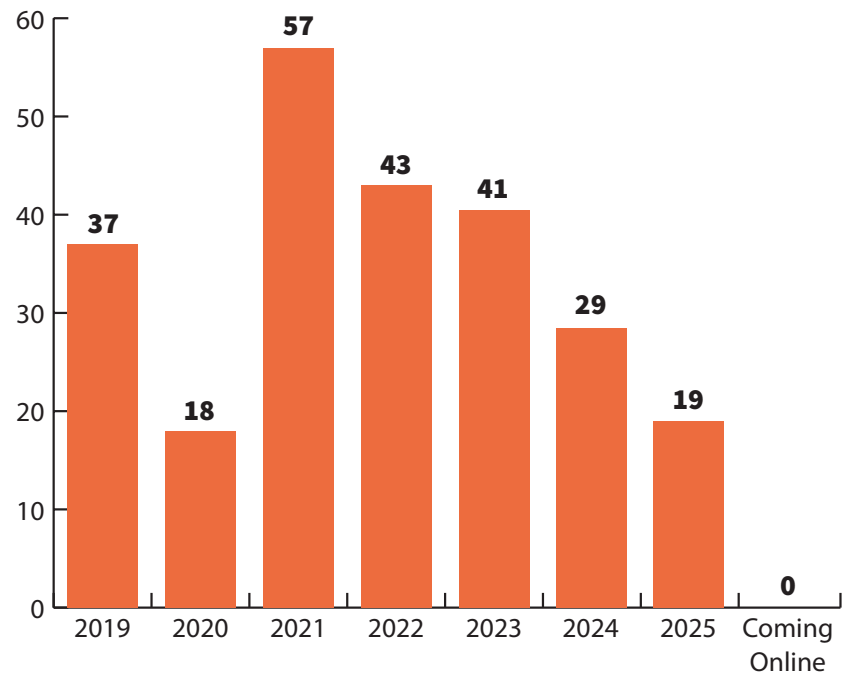


Objective 2: Keep Housing Affordable and in Good Repair

Single Family Rehab Projects



Rebuilding Together South Sound Home Repair Projects Funded



Preservation of Existing Multifamily Affordable Housing
78 completed in 2025

Objective 3: Help People Stay in Their Homes and Communities

**NUMBER OF PEOPLE SERVED
 AND TOTAL DOLLARS BY
 PROGRAM 2019 - 2025**

Housing Assistance Services

Year	Households	Total amount
2019	1,518	\$493,277.00
2020	653	\$344,079.00
2021	1,308	\$683,167.00
2022	1,338	\$683,167.00
2023	1,300	\$1,059,397.69
2024	916	\$1,644,489.51
2025	1,125	\$795,915.80

Rental Assistance Program

Year	Households	Total amount
2020	638	\$902,000
2021	761	\$5,027,146
2022	488	\$3,143,837
2023	72	\$569,706
2024		<i>ended in 2023</i>

TPU Bill Credit Assistance Plan

Year	Households	Total amount
2019	1,656	\$172,893.00
2020	1,512	\$188,853.00
2021	1,537	\$123,858.00
2022	1,972	\$220,338.00
2023	5,465	\$1,282,163.20
2024	7,808	\$2,973,481.40
2025	9,990	\$4,086,325.60

TPU Discount Rate Program

Year	Households	Total amount
2019	6,134	\$2,167,060.86
2020	5,497	\$2,052,224.26
2021	5,373	\$1,405,481.89
2022	5,623	\$2,603,729.30
2023	5,801	\$2,691,007.00
2024	5,734	\$2,850,412.69
2025	5,606	\$3,013,822.66

Environmental Services Bill Credit Assistance Plan

Year	Households	Total amount
2021	524	\$45,497.00
2022	717	\$64,934.00
2023	1,624	\$272,952.00
2024	2,071	\$487,410.00
2025	2,755	\$691,075.00

Environmental Services Discount Rate Program

Year	Households	Total amount
2021	2,069	\$952,357.00
2022	2,125	\$1,020,807.00
2023	2,235	\$1,101,319.00
2024	2,421	\$1,264,381.00
2025	2,495	\$1,447,182.00

**Majority of households receive both TPU and ES assistance*

Landlord-Tenant Program

Year	Households
2019	1,346
2020	1,353
2021	983
2022	909
2023	1,003
2024	887
2025	615

Tenant Relocation Fund

Year	Households	Total amount
2019	0	\$0
2020	6	\$6,000
2021	0	\$0
2022	25	\$25,000
2023	0	\$0
2024	1	\$1,000
2025	0	\$0

Down-payment Assistance Program

Year	Households	Total amount
2019	5	\$100,000
2020	0	\$0
2021	1	\$20,000
2022	0	\$0
2023	4	\$50,000
2024	0	\$0
2025	23	\$1,605,000

Mortgage and Foreclosure Assistance

Year	Households	Dollars Allocated
2021	70	\$334,026.01
2022	30	\$203,185.83
2023	29	\$247,188.82
		<i>ended in 2024</i>

Objective 4: Reduce Barriers for People Who Often Encounter Them

Homeless Emergency Sheltering System

Year	Clients served	Exits to permanent housing
2020	4,805	694
2021	3,152	568
2022	3,106	549
2023	2,759	696
2024	3,911	811
2025	3,219	661
TOTAL	20,952	3,979



Tacoma City Council Constituent Intake Website Data Report: April 2026

Total Request Submissions

574

Total Submissions

Request Submissions

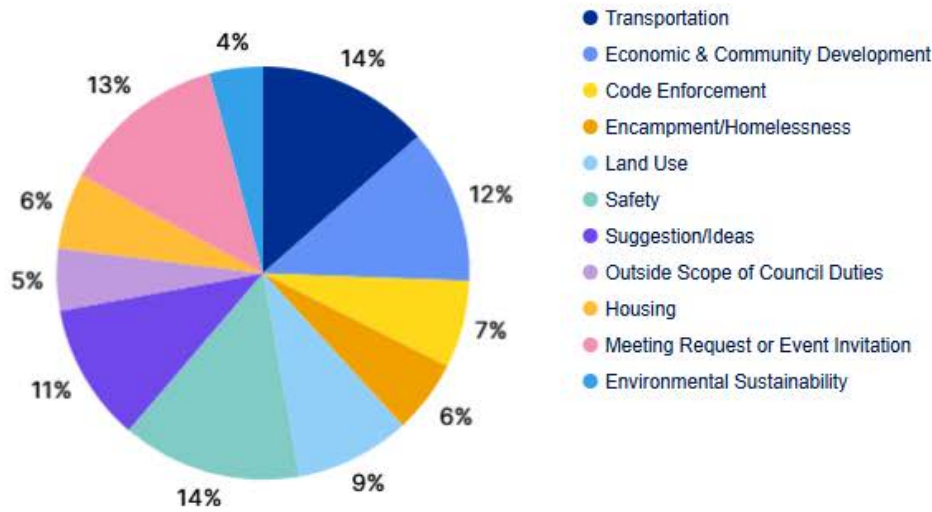
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+1 or more council members included

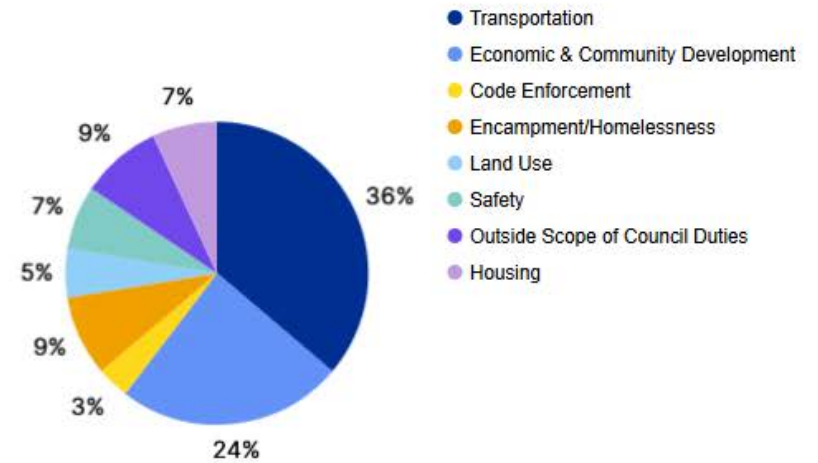
Contact: Karyssa Mathison,
Constituent Relations Analyst
kmathison@tacoma.gov

Topic Codes

Summary



Last 14 Days



Submission Summary

Submissions by Month



Submissions by Council District





MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 4, 2026 THROUGH MAY 8, 2026

TIME	MEETING	LOCATION
MONDAY, MAY 4, 2026		
5:30 PM	Tacoma Creates Advisory Board	747 Market St., Municipal Bldg., Conf. Rm. 248 Join Zoom Meeting at: https://zoom.us/j/97000956979 Telephonic: Dial 253-215-8782 Meeting ID: 970 0095 6979 Passcode: 675391 Contact Lisa Jaret at 253-591-5161
6:00 PM	Commission on Elected Salaries	747 Market St., Municipal Bldg., Conf. Rm. 243 Join Zoom Meeting at: https://zoom.us/j/98591418685 Telephonic: Dial 253-215-8782 Meeting ID: 985 9141 8685 Passcode: 105898
TUESDAY, MAY 5, 2026		
9:00 AM	Hearing Examiner's Hearing*	747 Market St., Municipal Bldg., Council Chambers Visit https://tacoma.gov/hearingexaminer
9:00 AM	Police Pension/Disability Board	3628 S. 35th St., Public Utilities Bldg., ABN-Ground Floor, Retirement Conf. Rm. Join Zoom Meeting at: https://zoom.us/j/86309639383 Telephonic: Dial 253-215-8782 Meeting ID: 863 0963 9383 Passcode: 521502 Contact Cheri Campbell at 253-502-8700
10:00 AM	Government Performance and Finance Committee	747 Market St., Municipal Bldg., Conf. Rm. 248 Join Zoom Meeting at: https://zoom.us/j/84416690206 Telephonic: Dial 253-215-8782 Meeting ID: 844 1669 0206 Passcode: 614650 Contact City Clerk's Office at 253-591-5505
11:15 AM	Bid Opening**	3628 S. 35th St., Public Utilities Bldg., ABN-M1 Join Zoom Meeting at: https://zoom.us/j/88402680573 Telephonic: Dial 253-215-8782 Meeting ID: 884 0268 0573 Passcode: 070737 Contact Lisa Yost at 253-502-8468
NOON	City Council Study Session	747 Market St., Municipal Bldg., Council Chambers Join Zoom Meeting at: https://zoom.us/j/89496171192 Telephonic: Dial 253-215-8782 Meeting ID: 894 9617 1192 Passcode: 896569 Contact Rosheida Myers at 253-591-5134
5:00 PM	City Council Meeting	747 Market St., Municipal Bldg., Council Chambers Join Zoom Meeting at: https://zoom.us/j/84834233126 Telephonic: Dial 253-215-8782 Meeting ID: 848 3423 3126 Passcode: 349099 Contact City Clerk's Office at 253-591-5505
WEDNESDAY, MAY 6, 2026		
5:00 PM	Planning Commission	747 Market St., Municipal Bldg., Council Chambers Join Zoom Meeting at: https://zoom.us/j/84416624153 Telephonic: Dial 253-215-8782 Meeting ID: 844 1662 4153 Contact Stephen Atkinson at 253-905-4146

THURSDAY, MAY 7, 2026

9:00 AM	Hearing Examiner's Hearing*	747 Market St., Municipal Bldg., Council Chambers Visit https://tacoma.gov/hearingexaminer
10:00 AM	Fire Pension/Disability Board	3628 S. 35th St., Public Utilities Bldg., ABN-Ground Floor, Retirement Conf. Rm. Join Zoom Meeting at: https://zoom.us/j/88629750418 Telephonic: Dial 253-215-8782 Meeting ID: 886 2975 0418 Passcode: 169592 Contact Cheri Campbell at 253-502-8700
5:00 PM	Civil Service Board Meeting and Study Session	747 Market St., Municipal Bldg., Council Chambers Join Zoom Meeting at: https://zoom.us/j/85371075182 Telephonic: Dial 253-215-8782 Meeting ID: 853 7107 5182 Passcode: 657068 Contact Wendy Hobson at 253-591-2059

FRIDAY, MAY 8, 2026

8:00 AM	Joint Municipal Action Committee Quarterly Meeting	747 Market St., Municipal Bldg., Conf. Rm. 248 Join Zoom Meeting at: https://zoom.us/j/84064886981 Telephonic: Dial 253-215-8782 Meeting ID: 840 6488 6981
10:00 AM	Operational Strategy and Administrative Committee	747 Market St., Municipal Bldg., Conf. Rm. 243 Join Zoom Meeting at: https://zoom.us/j/91923690364 Telephonic: Dial 253-215-8782 Meeting ID: 919 2369 0364 Passcode: 614650



Meeting sites are accessible to people with disabilities. People with disabilities requiring special accommodations should contact the appropriate department(s) 48 hours prior to the meeting time.

* Hearing Examiner's Hearings and Local Improvement District Meetings meet on an as-needed basis. Contact the Hearing Examiner's Office at 253-591-5195 to confirm whether a meeting will be held this week. Hearings may be held at various times throughout the day.

** Bid Opening will be held on an as-needed basis. Contact the Finance Procurement and Payables Office at 253-502-8468 or www.tacomapurchasing.org to confirm whether Bid Opening will be held.



Citywide Weekly Briefing for 20 April 2026 to 26 April 2026

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	26-Apr-2025	26-Apr-2026	26-Apr-2025	26-Apr-2026	26-Apr-2025	26-Apr-2026			
Persons	86	70	343	282	1305	1285	18.6% ▼	17.8% ▼	1.5% ▼
Assault	77	67	305	259	1165	1146	13.0% ▼	15.1% ▼	1.6% ▼
Homicide <i>(doesn't include Negligent/Justifiable)</i>	1	1	3	1	9	6	0.0%	66.7% ▼	33.3% ▼
Kidnapping/Abduction	2	0	6	6	23	42	100.0% ▼	0.0%	82.6% ▲
Sex Offenses, Forcible	6	2	29	16	108	90	66.7% ▼	44.8% ▼	16.7% ▼
Property	263	205	1145	855	4629	3849	22.1% ▼	25.3% ▼	16.9% ▼
Arson	0	1	7	3	25	28	NC	57.1% ▼	12.0% ▲
Burglary/Breaking and Entering	26	26	111	88	402	372	0.0%	20.7% ▼	7.5% ▼
Counterfeiting/Forgery	1	0	4	0	19	12	100.0% ▼	100.0% ▼	36.8% ▼
Destruction/Damage/Vandalism of Property	81	62	333	251	1256	1095	23.5% ▼	24.6% ▼	12.8% ▼
Fraud	5	9	43	50	187	183	80.0% ▲	16.3% ▲	2.1% ▼
Larceny/Theft	105	66	472	314	2015	1555	37.1% ▼	33.5% ▼	22.8% ▼
Motor Vehicle Theft	30	29	132	102	555	431	3.3% ▼	22.7% ▼	22.3% ▼
Robbery	6	6	21	27	78	84	0.0%	28.6% ▲	7.7% ▲
Stolen Property	6	4	16	12	63	57	33.3% ▼	25.0% ▼	9.5% ▼
Society	25	23	81	103	318	423	8.0% ▼	27.2% ▲	33.0% ▲
Drug/Narcotic	17	15	48	64	201	289	11.8% ▼	33.3% ▲	43.8% ▲
Pornography/Obscene Material	0	2	0	4	10	8	NC	NC	20.0% ▼
Prostitution	3	0	5	0	8	7	100.0% ▼	100.0% ▼	12.5% ▼
Weapon Law Violations	5	6	28	35	99	119	20.0% ▲	25.0% ▲	20.2% ▲
Citywide Totals	374	298	1569	1240	6252	5557	20.3% ▼	21.0% ▼	11.1% ▼

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Last 7 Days

Notes:

- There was 1 Homicide offense during the last 7 days.
- 76.1% (51/67) of the Assaults were coded Simple Assault.
- There were 45 DV-related offenses.
- 57.8% (26/45) of the DV-related offenses were Persons.
- 38.8% (26/67) of the Assaults were DV-related.
- DV-related Offenses: 64 ↘ 45
- There were no Gang-Related offense(s) during the last 7 days.
- Theft from Motor Vehicle: 48 ↘ 22

Top 5 Locations - Compared to last year

- 4502 S Steele St: 8 ↘ 5
- 1402 Tacoma Ave S: 0 ↗ 5
- 233 St Helens Ave: 0 ↗ 4
- 1801 S 15th St: 6 ↘ 4
- 2424 S 41st St: 0 ↗ 4

Top 5 Offense Locations - Compared to last year

- Single Family Residence: 71 ↘ 51
- Street/Right Of Way: 56 ↘ 50
- Apartment: 48 ↗ 50
- Parking Lot: 69 ↘ 42
- Sidewalk: 4 ↗ 11



Sector 1 Weekly Briefing for 20 April 2026 to 26 April 2026

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	26-Apr-2025	26-Apr-2026	26-Apr-2025	26-Apr-2026	26-Apr-2025	26-Apr-2026			
Persons	16	19	84	73	327	333	18.8%▲	13.1%▼	1.8%▲
Assault	13	17	71	68	285	296	30.8%▲	4.2%▼	3.9%▲
Homicide <i>(doesn't include Negligent/Justifiable)</i>	0	1	0	1	4	3	NC	NC	25.0%▼
Kidnapping/Abduction	1	0	2	1	8	9	100.0%▼	50.0%▼	12.5%▲
Sex Offenses, Forcible	2	1	11	3	30	25	50.0%▼	72.7%▼	16.7%▼
Property	106	49	359	231	1393	1059	53.8%▼	35.7%▼	24.0%▼
Arson	0	1	1	2	7	14	NC	100.0%▲	100.0%▲
Burglary/Breaking and Entering	8	8	32	28	105	101	0.0%	12.5%▼	3.8%▼
Counterfeiting/Forgery	0	0	0	0	1	4	0.0%	0.0%	300.0%▲
Destruction/Damage/Vandalism of Property	41	16	129	78	475	323	61.0%▼	39.5%▼	32.0%▼
Fraud	2	2	16	10	46	39	0.0%	37.5%▼	15.2%▼
Larceny/Theft	37	11	130	70	530	381	70.3%▼	46.2%▼	28.1%▼
Motor Vehicle Theft	11	10	35	34	179	145	9.1%▼	2.9%▼	19.0%▼
Robbery	4	0	8	5	22	20	100.0%▼	37.5%▼	9.1%▼
Stolen Property	2	1	6	3	20	20	50.0%▼	50.0%▼	0.0%
Society	7	4	18	30	62	135	42.9%▼	66.7%▲	117.7%▲
Drug/Narcotic	2	4	6	23	33	106	100.0%▲	283.3%▲	221.2%▲
Pornography/Obscene Material	0	0	0	0	2	0	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%▼
Prostitution	3	0	4	0	4	3	100.0%▼	100.0%▼	25.0%▼
Weapon Law Violations	2	0	8	7	23	26	100.0%▼	12.5%▼	13.0%▲
Sector Totals	129	72	461	334	1782	1527	44.2%▼	27.5%▼	14.3%▼

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Last 7 Days

Notes:

- There was 1 Homicide offense during the last 7 days.
- 82.4% (14/17) of the Assaults were coded Simple Assault.
- There were 15 DV-related offenses.
- 46.7% (7/15) of the DV-related offenses were Persons.
- 41.2% (7/17) of the Assaults were DV-related.
- DV-related Offenses: 18 ↘ 15
- There were no Gang-Related offense(s) during the last 7 days.
- Theft from Motor Vehicle: 24 ↘ 4

Top 5 Locations - Compared to last year

- 1402 Tacoma Ave S: 0 ↗ 5
- 1801 S 15th St: 6 ↘ 4
- 902 S L St: 0 ↗ 2
- 1142 Fawcett Ave: 0 ↗ 2
- 1302 Puyallup Ave: 1 ↗ 2
- 1411 Yakima Ave: 1 ↗ 2
- 2702 E D St: 0 ↗ 2
- There were 8 additional locations with 2.

Top 5 Offense Locations - Compared to last year

- Apartment: 24 ↘ 19
- Street/Right Of Way: 26 ↘ 15
- Apartment Office, Storage, Etc.: 1 ↗ 6
- Parking Lot: 30 ↘ 5
- Sidewalk: 0 ↗ 4
- Park: 0 ↗ 4



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	26-Apr-2025	26-Apr-2026	26-Apr-2025	26-Apr-2026	26-Apr-2025	26-Apr-2026			
Persons	24	15	87	55	321	272	37.5% ▼	36.8% ▼	15.3% ▼
Assault	23	14	77	48	279	243	39.1% ▼	37.7% ▼	12.9% ▼
Homicide <i>(doesn't include Negligent/Justifiable)</i>	0	0	1	0	2	1	0.0%	100.0% ▼	50.0% ▼
Kidnapping/Abduction	0	0	1	2	6	8	0.0%	100.0% ▲	33.3% ▲
Sex Offenses, Forcible	1	1	8	5	34	20	0.0%	37.5% ▼	41.2% ▼
Property	63	64	271	249	1111	1048	1.6% ▲	8.1% ▼	5.7% ▼
Arson	0	0	2	1	4	7	0.0%	50.0% ▼	75.0% ▲
Burglary/Breaking and Entering	9	5	28	20	100	105	44.4% ▼	28.6% ▼	5.0% ▲
Counterfeiting/Forgery	0	0	1	0	4	2	0.0%	100.0% ▼	50.0% ▼
Destruction/Damage/Vandalism of Property	18	20	74	70	296	309	11.1% ▲	5.4% ▼	4.4% ▲
Fraud	0	4	6	23	45	57	NC	283.3% ▲	26.7% ▲
Larceny/Theft	28	23	118	93	488	429	17.9% ▼	21.2% ▼	12.1% ▼
Motor Vehicle Theft	8	9	38	30	144	107	12.5% ▲	21.1% ▼	25.7% ▼
Robbery	0	2	3	8	17	16	NC	166.7% ▲	5.9% ▼
Stolen Property	0	1	0	2	5	9	NC	NC	80.0% ▲
Society	1	3	4	8	26	37	200.0% ▲	100.0% ▲	42.3% ▲
Drug/Narcotic	0	0	2	1	8	16	0.0%	50.0% ▼	100.0% ▲
Pornography/Obscene Material	0	1	0	2	2	2	NC	NC	0.0%
Prostitution	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Weapon Law Violations	1	2	2	5	16	19	100.0% ▲	150.0% ▲	18.8% ▲
Sector Totals	88	82	362	312	1458	1357	6.8% ▼	13.8% ▼	6.9% ▼

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Last 7 Days

<p>Notes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> There were no Homicide offense(s) during the last 7 days. 85.7% (12/14) of the Assaults were coded Simple Assault. There were 5 DV-related offenses. 60.0% (3/5) of the DV-related offenses were Persons. 21.4% (3/14) of the Assaults were DV-related. DV-related Offenses: 17 ↘ 5 There were no Gang-Related offense(s) during the last 7 days. Theft from Motor Vehicle: 13 ↘ 10 	<p>Top 5 Locations - Compared to last year</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 233 St Helens Ave: 0 ↗ 4 1901 S Union Ave: 0 ↗ 3 2108 N Puget Sound Ave: 0 ↗ 3 4702 S 12th St: 0 ↗ 2 2801 N Narrows Dr: 0 ↗ 2 6th Ave & S J St: 0 ↗ 2 3320 S 23rd St: 0 ↗ 2 There were 14 additional locations with 2. 	<p>Top 5 Offense Locations - Compared to last year</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Parking Lot: 16 ↗ 17 Street/Right Of Way: 6 ↗ 13 Apartment: 15 ↘ 11 Single Family Residence: 17 ↘ 9 Garage (Residential): 1 ↗ 6
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Sector 3 Weekly Briefing for 20 April 2026 to 26 April 2026

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	26-Apr-2025	26-Apr-2026	26-Apr-2025	26-Apr-2026	26-Apr-2025	26-Apr-2026			
Persons	18	18	75	75	289	312	0.0%	0.0%	8.0%▲
Assault	16	18	66	70	263	274	12.5%▲	6.1%▲	4.2%▲
Homicide (doesn't include Negligent/Justifiable)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Kidnapping/Abduction	0	0	1	1	4	13	0.0%	0.0%	225.0%▲
Sex Offenses, Forcible	2	0	8	4	22	24	100.0%▼	50.0%▼	9.1%▲
Property	43	53	248	205	1120	851	23.3%▲	17.3%▼	24.0%▼
Arson	0	0	1	0	6	1	0.0%	100.0%▼	83.3%▼
Burglary/Breaking and Entering	3	7	22	20	95	67	133.3%▲	9.1%▼	29.5%▼
Counterfeiting/Forgery	1	0	1	0	7	6	100.0%▼	100.0%▼	14.3%▼
Destruction/Damage/Vandalism of Property	10	15	63	52	253	209	50.0%▲	17.5%▼	17.4%▼
Fraud	2	1	10	9	47	40	50.0%▼	10.0%▼	14.9%▼
Larceny/Theft	21	20	118	95	573	403	4.8%▼	19.5%▼	29.7%▼
Motor Vehicle Theft	4	4	24	16	108	84	0.0%	33.3%▼	22.2%▼
Robbery	0	3	5	6	14	24	NC	20.0%▲	71.4%▲
Stolen Property	0	1	1	3	11	10	NC	200.0%▲	9.1%▼
Society	2	8	14	29	81	110	300.0%▲	107.1%▲	35.8%▲
Drug/Narcotic	2	4	9	16	55	72	100.0%▲	77.8%▲	30.9%▲
Pornography/Obscene Material	0	1	0	1	6	4	NC	NC	33.3%▼
Prostitution	0	0	0	0	1	2	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%▲
Weapon Law Violations	0	3	5	12	19	32	NC	140.0%▲	68.4%▲
Sector Totals	63	79	337	309	1490	1273	25.4%▲	8.3%▼	14.6%▼

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Last 7 Days

<p>Notes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> There were no Homicide offense(s) during the last 7 days. 77.8% (14/18) of the Assaults were coded Simple Assault. There were 17 DV-related offenses. 64.7% (11/17) of the DV-related offenses were Persons. 61.1% (11/18) of the Assaults were DV-related. DV-related Offenses: 11 ↗ 17 There were no Gang-Related offense(s) during the last 7 days. Theft from Motor Vehicle: 6 ↘ 4 	<p>Top 5 Locations - Compared to last year</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 4502 S Steele St: 8 ↘ 5 2424 S 41St St: 0 ↗ 4 4304 South Tacoma Way: 0 ↗ 3 3121 S 38th St: 1 ↗ 3 4720 S Pine St: 0 ↗ 3 	<p>Top 5 Offense Locations - Compared to last year</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Apartment: 3 ↗ 16 Parking Lot: 14 ↗ 15 Single Family Residence: 10 ↗ 14 Street/Right Of Way: 4 ↗ 11 Sidewalk: 0 ↗ 4
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Sector 4 Weekly Briefing for 20 April 2026 to 26 April 2026

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	26-Apr-2025	26-Apr-2026	26-Apr-2025	26-Apr-2026	26-Apr-2025	26-Apr-2026			
Persons	28	18	97	79	368	368	35.7% ▼	18.6% ▼	0.0%
Assault	25	18	91	73	338	333	28.0% ▼	19.8% ▼	1.5% ▼
Homicide <i>(doesn't include Negligent/Justifiable)</i>	1	0	2	0	3	2	100.0% ▼	100.0% ▼	33.3% ▼
Kidnapping/Abduction	1	0	2	2	5	12	100.0% ▼	0.0%	140.0% ▲
Sex Offenses, Forcible	1	0	2	4	22	21	100.0% ▼	100.0% ▲	4.5% ▼
Property	51	39	267	170	1005	891	23.5% ▼	36.3% ▼	11.3% ▼
Arson	0	0	3	0	8	6	0.0%	100.0% ▼	25.0% ▼
Burglary/Breaking and Entering	6	6	29	20	102	99	0.0%	31.0% ▼	2.9% ▼
Counterfeiting/Forgery	0	0	2	0	7	0	0.0%	100.0% ▼	100.0% ▼
Destruction/Damage/Vandalism of Property	12	11	67	51	232	254	8.3% ▼	23.9% ▼	9.5% ▲
Fraud	1	2	11	8	49	47	100.0% ▲	27.3% ▼	4.1% ▼
Larceny/Theft	19	12	106	56	424	342	36.8% ▼	47.2% ▼	19.3% ▼
Motor Vehicle Theft	7	6	35	22	124	95	14.3% ▼	37.1% ▼	23.4% ▼
Robbery	2	1	5	8	25	24	50.0% ▼	60.0% ▲	4.0% ▼
Stolen Property	4	1	9	4	27	18	75.0% ▼	55.6% ▼	33.3% ▼
Society	15	8	45	36	149	141	46.7% ▼	20.0% ▼	5.4% ▼
Drug/Narcotic	13	7	31	24	105	95	46.2% ▼	22.6% ▼	9.5% ▼
Pornography/Obscene Material	0	0	0	1	0	2	0.0%	NC	NC
Prostitution	0	0	1	0	3	2	0.0%	100.0% ▼	33.3% ▼
Weapon Law Violations	2	1	13	11	41	42	50.0% ▼	15.4% ▼	2.4% ▲
Sector Totals	94	65	409	285	1522	1400	30.9% ▼	30.3% ▼	8.0% ▼

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Last 7 Days

Notes:

- There were no Homicide offense(s) during the last 7 days.
- 61.1% (11/18) of the Assaults were coded Simple Assault.
- There were 8 DV-related offenses.
- 62.5% (5/8) of the DV-related offenses were Persons.
- 27.8% (5/18) of the Assaults were DV-related.
- DV-related Offenses: 18 ↘ 8
- There were no Gang-Related offense(s) during the last 7 days.
- Theft from Motor Vehicle: 5 ↘ 4

Top 5 Locations - Compared to last year

- 1103 E 64th St: 0 ↗ 2
- 5911 S Thompson Ave: 0 ↗ 2
- 1728 E 60th St: 0 ↗ 2
- 230 S 80th St: 0 ↗ 2
- 616 S 35th St: 0 ↗ 2
- 1624 E 32nd St: 0 ↗ 2
- 7601 E D St: 0 ↗ 2
- There were 6 additional locations with 2.

Top 5 Offense Locations - Compared to last year

- Single Family Residence: 31 ↘ 26
- Street/Right Of Way: 20 ↘ 11
- Parking Lot: 9 ↘ 5
- Apartment: 6 ↘ 4
- Private Vehicle: 3 ↔ 3
- Sidewalk: 2 ↗ 3



City of Tacoma

City Council Action Memorandum

TO: Hyun Kim, Interim City Manager
FROM: Council Member Olgy Diaz and Senior Council Policy Analyst Lynda Foster
COPY: City Clerk and City Council
SUBJECT: **Ordinance – Relating to the unauthorized use of public property for civil immigration enforcement – May 5, 2026**
DATE: April 29, 2026

SUMMARY AND PURPOSE:

An ordinance amending Chapter 8.19 (Use of Public Property) of the Municipal Code, relating to unauthorized use of public property for civil immigration enforcement, to limit use of municipal property for civil immigration enforcement purposes.

COUNCIL SPONSORS:

Deputy Mayor Joe Bushnell and Council Members Olgy Diaz, Sarah Rumbaugh, and Sandesh Sadalge.

BACKGROUND:

In furtherance of the City’s strategic priorities the City has invested substantial resources to develop, maintain and provide public access to municipal property for the use and enjoyment of the public, to provide and administer public programs and City services, to support and foster economic development and recreation, and to perform the day-to-day operations and business of the City. Municipal property is a critical access point relied upon by all residents and visitors, and preserving their safety, accessibility, and operational continuity is a matter of practical necessity and fiscal responsibility. To protect public safety, the City strives to foster trust and cooperation between the City, including its police department, and its immigrant communities by encouraging immigrants to report crime and speak to the police without fear of being arrested or detained by, or reported to, federal immigration authorities. If the City were to assist with the enforcement of federal immigration laws, including permitting the use of municipal property to assist in that enforcement, it would unquestionably discourage that critical cooperation and involvement and would undermine public safety and the functionality of municipal property and services.

The City has the power and authority as proprietary owner to preserve property under its control for the use and purpose to which it is lawfully dedicated, and to determine what activities upon its property that are not lawfully mandated under state or federal law are permissible and impermissible, and to prohibit those activities that are impermissible. The City Council finds that property owned or controlled by the City should not be used without the permission or consent of the City of Tacoma by agents of the federal government, including but not limited to agents of ICE and CBP, for civil immigration enforcement purposes, and that a policy prohibiting such use is a proper exercise of the City of Tacoma’s power as proprietary owner of such municipal property and a proper exercise of its police power for the public safety, health, and general welfare and for the continuance, delivery and maintenance of business and governance operations of the City.

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT/ CUSTOMER RESEARCH:

The City has heard from residents of their fear of using municipal property and services because they worry that they may be exposed to Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) and Customs and Border Patrol (CBP) immigration enforcement action. The City has also heard from residents and local business owners that the fear of ICE and CBP civil immigration enforcement actions causes disruption of economic activity, undermines community cohesion, and erodes trust in law enforcement, and that ICE civil immigration enforcement.



2025 STRATEGIC PRIORITIES:

Equity and Accessibility: (Mandatory)

Tacoma’s 2035 calls out specific goals around community safety, jobs and the economy, transportation and mobility, and placemaking and experiences.

Economy/Workforce: Equity Index Score: Moderate Opportunity

Increase the number of Tacoma households that have livable wage jobs within proximity to the city.
Increase positive public perception related to the Tacoma economy.

Livability: Equity Index Score: Moderate Opportunity

Increase positive public perception of safety and overall quality of life.
Improve access and proximity by residents to diverse income levels and race/ethnicity to community facilities, services, infrastructure, and employment.

Explain how your legislation will affect the selected indicator(s).

Substantial evidence from major cities across the country demonstrates that civil immigration enforcement activities disrupt and interfere with public access to and use of municipal property and services for the purposes for which they are intended, and creates public health and safety risks, and drains local public resources. In furtherance of the City’s strategic priorities the City has invested substantial resources to develop, maintain and provide public access to municipal property for the use and enjoyment of the public, to provide and administer public programs and City services, to support and foster economic development and recreation, and to perform the day-to-day operations and business of the City. Municipal property is a critical access point relied upon by all residents and visitors, and preserving their safety, accessibility, and operational continuity is a matter of practical necessity and fiscal responsibility.

ALTERNATIVES:

Alternative(s)	Positive Impact(s)	Negative Impact(s)
1. Take no action	Preserve City resources for other priorities	Would not be responding to urgent community need

EVALUATION AND FOLLOW UP:

The City Manager should keep the City Council apprised of implementation of this policy, including installation of signs on municipal property. The immigration resources web page should be updated to include information about this policy and how private property owners, tenants and leaseholders can be a Stand Together Tacoma partner.

SPONSOR RECOMMENDATION:

Sponsors recommend passing this Ordinance and limiting the use of municipal property for civil immigration purposes.

FISCAL IMPACT:

No fiscal impact to adopting the code/language change. This policy will require staff time to create signage templates and materials. Impacts will be incorporated into ongoing workload and managed within the Adopted



2025-2026 Biennial Budget amounts. Further resourcing needs should be reviewed as part of the 2027-2028 biennium budget development process.

Fund Number & Name	COST OBJECT (CC/WBS/ORDER)	Cost Element	Total Amount
1. N/A			
2.			
TOTAL			

What Funding is being used to support the expense?

N/A

Are the expenditures and revenues planned and budgeted in this biennium's current budget?

YES

Are there financial costs or other impacts of not implementing the legislation?

No

Will the legislation have an ongoing/recurring fiscal impact?

No

Will the legislation change the City's FTE/personnel counts?

No

ATTACHMENTS:

N/A



City of Tacoma

City Council Action Memorandum

TO: Hyun Kim, City Manager
FROM: Council Member Sandesh Sadalge and Senior Council Policy Analyst Lynda Foster
COPY: City Clerk and City Council
SUBJECT: **Resolution – Reaffirming Tacoma's Commitment to Immigrants and Refugees and Directing Ongoing State and Federal Advocacy– May 5, 2026**
DATE: April 29, 2026

SUMMARY AND PURPOSE:

A resolution condemning the broader pattern of overzealous, unjust, and dangerous enforcement actions carried out during recent federal immigration enforcement actions, reaffirming Tacoma's longstanding opposition to private, for-profit detention centers, supporting oversight of the U.S. Department of Homeland Security and operations at the Northwest ICE Processing Center, calling on the Congress of the United States to take steps to ensure federal immigration enforcement agencies operate under clear standards that protect public safety, respect constitutional rights and provide real accountability when those standards are violated, and calling on state leaders to take further actions to reaffirm the underlying principles of the Keep Washington Working Act.

COUNCIL SPONSORS:

Council Members Olgly Diaz, Latasha Palmer, Sandesh Sadalge, and Kristina Walker.

BACKGROUND:

Communities across the country have witnessed an alarming escalation in federal immigration enforcement tactics by U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) and U.S. Customs and Border Protection, marked by increasingly aggressive operations and a broad expansion of detention practices, including reports of prolonged, opaque, and potentially unjust detainment conditions, that undermine safety, erode due process, and threaten core civil liberties. These concerns have been brought into sharp and painful focus by the January 2026 fatal shootings in Minneapolis of U.S. citizens Alex Pretti and Renée Nicole Good during encounters with federal agents, two lives lost in incidents that have deeply shaken communities, sparked grief and outrage across the nation, and prompted urgent calls for transparency, accountability, and independent investigation into the use of force by the United States Department of Homeland Security and its enforcement agencies, including ICE and U.S. Customs and Border Protection. The fatal events in Minneapolis, and the widespread public concern that followed, contributed to a national debate over federal immigration enforcement practices, ultimately leading to a legislative impasse in Congress and a partial shutdown of the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) beginning February 14, 2026, after lawmakers failed to reach agreement on incorporating meaningful civil rights protections into continued funding.

The Tacoma City Council recognizes that this funding lapse is not an isolated disruption, but a reflection of deeper structural challenges within DHS, where insufficient accountability and oversight have strained trust between federal agencies and the communities they serve, underscoring the urgent need for durable reforms that prioritize transparency, safety, and civil rights. Since the City Council does not have the legal authority to prevent ICE from entering our City, or the ability to unilaterally close or directly oversee the NWIPC, the City Council is strongly supporting State and Federal efforts to provide necessary guardrails and protections against the increasingly alarming activities of ICE and the U.S. Customs and Border Protection.

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT/ CUSTOMER RESEARCH:

In 2025, while developing Resolution 41627, sponsors met with a broad range of stakeholders to discuss and request feedback on this policy and topics of importance to the immigration and refugee community, including the Commission for Immigrant



and Refugee Affairs, the Tacoma Healing Awareness Committee, the Tacoma Refugee Choir, One America, Advocates for Immigrants in Detention Northwest (AIDNW), Golden Bamboo Walking Group, the Eastside Neighborhood Advisory Council of Tacoma, the South End Neighborhood Council, and other local elected leaders. Over the last year community members have continued to advocate for support of immigrant rights, and specifically support of individuals detained by the U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) and held at the NWIPC.

In 2026, community has continued to call on the City Council to seek ways to support immigrants in the region. The Tacoma City Council actively engaged with the Washington State Legislature during the 2026 legislative session to advocate for policies that protect immigrant rights and promote community safety and trust. Council also directed the City manager to create a web page to share resources for immigrants, community members, and businesses related to immigration issues impacting residents of the City, including background on the City Council legislation in support of the City's immigrant and refugee community and the City's advocacy to restrict the use of for-profit detention centers; and directing the City Manager to create outreach materials and share this information with affected community members.

2025 STRATEGIC PRIORITIES:

Equity and Accessibility: *(Mandatory)*

Approximately 7% of the US population, or 22.8 million people, are non-citizens. In 2017, nearly 260,000 people sought asylum, or protection from persecution, within the United States. As of 2022, over 12 percent of Tacoma's population was born outside the United States, and nearly 20 percent speak a language other than English at home. Today, immigrant communities are under threat of mass deportations. Anyone without secure immigration status may be subject to enforcement efforts. People who were ordered deported in the past and people who have had contact with the criminal legal system are at particular risk. These immigrant populations experience unique risks to health, including pre-migratory trauma, unsafe and stressful migration experiences, and post-migration discrimination. Human rights abuses can occur across this spectrum of the immigrant experience. In addition, these health behaviors and outcomes ripple throughout the communities to which immigrants belong.

Civic Engagement: *Equity Index Score: Moderate Opportunity*

Increase the number of residents who participate civically through volunteering and voting.

Increase the percentage of residents who believe they are able to have a positive impact on the community and express trust in the public institutions in Tacoma.

Livability: *Equity Index Score: Moderate Opportunity*

Improve health outcomes and reduce disparities, in alignment with the community health needs assessment and CHIP, for all Tacoma residents

Increase positive public perception of safety and overall quality of life.

Explain how your legislation will affect the selected indicator(s).

This resolution directs continued efforts for state and federal advocacy, building on longstanding work the City has lead on for over a decade. This builds on the success of the 2026 legislative session, where the City worked in collaboration with regional partners and state policymakers to advance legislation addressing immigrant worker protections; prohibitions on law enforcement at any level of government wearing masks; strengthened data privacy and personal safety protections for all Washington residents; enhanced reporting requirements and law enforcement responses to incidents at private detention facilities; and requirements for documenting and reporting interactions between state and local law enforcement and federal immigration authorities. The resolution directs next actions to preserve health, safety, and welfare of the people who live and visit our City and



this deep concern extends to those who are detained in the Northwest ICE Processing Center (NWIPC).

ALTERNATIVES:

Alternative(s)	Positive Impact(s)	Negative Impact(s)
1. Take no action	Supports a more positive relationship with federal administration	Does not address urgent community needs and calls to action from community.

EVALUATION AND FOLLOW UP:

The City Manager is directed to send a copy of this resolution to the members of Washington's congressional delegation representing the City of Tacoma, which includes both U.S. Senators and U.S. Representatives from the sixth and tenth congressional districts, the Washington State Governor and Attorney General, and the Washington State legislative delegation representing the 27th, 28th, and 29th Legislative Districts.

STAFF/SPONSOR RECOMMENDATION:

Sponsors recommend adopting this resolution and clearly stating the City's policy priorities on this issue.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Fund Number & Name	COST OBJECT (CC/WBS/ORDER)	Cost Element	Total Amount
1. N/A			
2.			
TOTAL			

What Funding is being used to support the expense?

N/A

Are the expenditures and revenues planned and budgeted in this biennium's current budget?

N/A

Are there financial costs or other impacts of not implementing the legislation?

No

Will the legislation have an ongoing/recurring fiscal impact?

No

Will the legislation change the City's FTE/personnel counts?

No

ATTACHMENTS:

List attachments using bullet points.



**CITY OF TACOMA, WASHINGTON
OFFICE OF THE CITY COUNCIL
COUNCIL CONSIDERATION REQUEST**

TO: Mayor & City Council
FROM: Council Member Jamika Scott and Christina Caan, Policy Analyst
COPIES TO: Hyun Kim, City Manager; Chris Bacha, City Attorney
SUBJECT: **Resolution – Affirming the potential for high-investment corridors to serve as drivers of economic growth and development; recognizing the importance of community safety along high-investment corridors; and directing the City Manager to prioritize cross-departmental, problem-driven solutions using existing resources to address community safety concerns on high-investment corridors.**

DATE: April 29, 2026

We ask for your support for a resolution affirming the potential for high-investment corridors to serve as drivers of economic growth and development; recognizing the importance of community safety along high-investment corridors; and directing the City Manager to prioritize cross-departmental, problem-driven solutions using existing resources to address community safety concerns on high-investment corridors.

LEGISLATIVE INTENT

Background: In the past decade, Tacoma has seen robust public and private investments in new transit, housing, infrastructure, and businesses. These investments are often clustered together along discrete corridors that span several blocks in Mixed-Use Centers. These types of high-investment corridors are vital for Tacoma’s economic growth because they can attract considerable community use and have the potential to help spread development to surrounding areas.

- Examples of high-investment corridors include Martin Luther King (MLK) Street, from 9th Street to Earnest Brazil Street; 6th Avenue from S Mildred Street to S Jackson Avenue; S 38th Street from S G Street to Yakima Avenue; and N Proctor Street from N 27th Street to N 24th Street.

While some of Tacoma’s high-investment corridors are thriving, others are at risk of stagnation or even decline due to ongoing community safety concerns. For example, the MLK corridor should be well-positioned for significant community use—it has large new apartment buildings, new transit access, new businesses, new art installations, and more. Plus, this corridor is within walking distance of numerous office buildings and large medical facilities, has ample parking, and is located by a large public park. However, community safety concerns are limiting the number of people who engage with the corridor. Without focused problem-driven intervention to enhance community safety, Tacoma will struggle to harness this high-investment corridor to drive economic growth and spread development in the area.

- Community safety concerns are impacting the success the MLK corridor in a variety of way. For example, businesses on the corridor are experiencing financial strain, vacant properties

are struggling to quickly attract new leases, and development has been slow to spread to additional areas on and around the corridor.

- Community safety concerns on the MLK corridor arise not just due to crime in the broader Hilltop area, but also because of environmental conditions on the corridor itself, such as extensive visible graffiti and litter; widespread dog waste on sidewalks; overgrown landscaping; open-air drug use; vacant and boarded up storefronts; poisonous rat traps proliferating by store entry points; and an underutilized parking lot that is dimly lit.¹

Resolution: This resolution would affirm the potential for high-investment corridors to serve as drivers of economic growth and development; recognize the importance of community safety along high-investment corridors; and direct the City Manager to prioritize cross-departmental, problem-driven solutions using existing resources to address community safety concerns on high-investment corridors.

- ***Advancing the goals of the City's Comprehensive Plan:*** Enhancing community use of high-investment corridors fits well with the City's Comprehensive Plan, which identifies Mixed-Use Centers as the focus for future population growth, employment growth, and new development.² Mixed-Use Centers also serve as the core of the City's long-term growth strategy.
- ***Identifying high-investment corridors:*** Such locations should be defined as an area that includes less than eight contiguous blocks located in designated Mixed-Use Centers in the City's Comprehensive Plan. The corridor must have received large-scale public or private investment within the past decade aimed at enhancing infrastructure, transit, housing, and/or new business or non-profit activity.
- ***Recognizing impacts from low community use:*** Corridors experiencing low community use due to community safety concerns tend to show signs of businesses that are closing or on the verge of closing due to high safety costs and fewer customers; attractive properties that face delays in quickly securing new leases; and persistent low occupancy rates for new housing. Such corridors are also likely to be struggling to spread economic development outward.
- ***Understanding community safety:*** Community safety is more than just the absence of crime.³ Community perceptions of safety are also shaped by environmental conditions, such as the presence of litter, trash, and graffiti or whether there is sufficient street lighting, well-maintained landscaping, and facilities that appear welcoming. The City's broad understanding of community safety suggests that the toolbox for enhancing community safety expands far beyond policing and includes a potential wide variety of services and resources from across multiple City Departments.
- ***Applying cross-departmental, problem-driven solutions:*** Rather than providing only generalized City services and resources, high-investment corridors need targeted action to increase community use. Such efforts should take no more than 90 days and rely on existing City services and resources. Problem-driven solutions should also aim to draw on lessons from Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design when possible, as well as the momentum of current cross-departmental efforts.⁴

¹ [Community Safety Action Strategy | City of Tacoma](#)

² [Tacoma's One Tacoma: Comprehensive Plan | City of Tacoma](#)

³ [Community Safety Action Strategy | City of Tacoma](#)

⁴ [Building and Site Design for Crime Prevention — Tacoma Permits](#)

- **Getting started:** High-investment corridors in City Council districts that did not participate in the Neighborhood Planning Process and/or Participatory Budgeting should be prioritized for action. This should include the MLK corridor and the 6th Avenue corridor. In addition, the City Manager or City Council Members should aim to continue identifying current or emerging high-investment corridors that are struggling to succeed due to community safety issues.

DESIRED RESOLUTION DATE: May 12, 2026

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

Council Member Jamika Scott has heard from community members who do not visit the MLK corridor alone or with their friends and families due to a perception of unsafe conditions. In addition, Council Member Scott has connected with several local business owners on the MLK corridor who are struggling to stay open due to extra safety costs and low foot traffic. Managers of new apartment buildings both on the MLK corridor and adjacent to it have also shared the challenges they are experiencing finding renters for brand new commercial space and housing units. The Community and Economic Development Department and the City Council’s Economic Development Committee shared valuable input on high-investment corridors and this proposal as well.

- Council Member Scott and City staff conducted a walk-through of the MLK corridor and identified more than twenty specific sources of community safety concerns. In addition, Council Member Scott and City staff collected observational data to provide an initial comparison between foot traffic on the MLK corridor, where community has shared notable community safety concerns, and the Proctor corridor, where there are less community safety concerns. While preliminary, this data showed that the MLK corridor had only half the number of adults and less than one-third the number of children as the Proctor corridor engaging with it, underscoring the potential impact of community safety concerns.

2025 STRATEGIC PRIORITIES

Equity and Accessibility: High-investment corridors that have few community safety concerns, such as the Proctor corridor, have proven to be capable of attracting substantial community use. In turn, such corridors are seeing continued new development and popular new businesses, as well as new leases for properties being secured relatively quickly. The City could help increase community use and engagement with more of Tacoma’s high-investment corridors by taking action to address community safety concerns when needed. Doing so would help ensure high-investment corridors in Mixed-Use Centers citywide have an opportunity to thrive.

Economy/Workforce: *Equity Index Score:* Moderate Opportunity
Increase positive public perception related to the Tacoma economy.

Civic Engagement: *Equity Index Score:* Moderate Opportunity
Increase the percentage of residents who believe they are able to have a positive impact on the community and express trust in the public institutions in Tacoma.

Livability: *Equity Index Score:* Moderate Opportunity
Increase positive public perception of safety and overall quality of life.

ALTERNATIVES

Alternative	Positive Impacts	Negative Impacts
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Do not deploy cross-departmental, problem-driven solutions to address community safety concerns on high-investment corridors.	General City services and resources would continue to be deployed.	Community use and engagement with high-investments corridors may continue to be low, or decrease further, limiting the ability of these locations to help drive broader economic development.
Support the vitality of high-investment corridors with dedicated City funding for new services and resources.	Community safety concerns could be more rapidly addressed on high-investment corridors.	The City is in a budget deficit and providing new funding to address community safety concerns would result in a reduction of other vital services and resources.

EVALUATIONS AND FOLLOW UP

The City Manager should provide City Council with a yearly update on relevant cross-departmental, problem-driven solutions taken to enhance community safety on high-investment corridors.

SPONSOR RECOMMENDATION

Sponsors recommend advancing this resolution to a vote of the City Council.

FISCAL IMPACT

No new funding is requested. Existing staff and resources should be utilized for community safety improvements.

If you have a question related to the Council contingency fund request, please contact Christina Caan, Policy Analyst, at (253) 219-0679 or ccaan@tacoma.gov.




SUBMITTED FOR COUNCIL CONSIDERATION BY:

_____ Council Member Jamika Scott

SUPPORTING COUNCIL MEMBERS SIGNATURES

1. _____  _____ POS# __Deputy Mayor/5__

2. _____  _____ POS# __1__

Mayor Initials: Anders Ibsen

Date	Meeting	Subject	Department	Background
May 5, 2026	Study Session (Hybrid Council Chambers / Dial-in 12:00 p.m.)	Climate Action Plan	Office of Strategic Priorities - Kristin Lynett	Staff will provide an overview of the 2025 Climate Action Plan Progress Report. Each year, updates are provided to Council and the community on citywide climate actions and targets in order to track them for transparency and to gauge progress. Staff will share highlights and achievements from 2025, as well as identify potential areas for further focus.
		Automated Enforcement Expansion Briefing		Public Works staff will provide an information briefing on the expansion of the Automated Enforcement Program, including the methodology for identifying camera locations, proposed outreach, and installation schedule
		Historic Preservation Update	Planning and Development Services - Reuben McKnight	Staff will provide an update to the City Council on the past year of activities for the Historic Preservation Program and Landmarks Preservation Commission.
	City Council Meeting (hybrid Council Chambers /dial-in 5:00 PM)	Executive Session - Potential Litigation		
May 12, 2026	Study Session (Hybrid Council Chambers / Dial-in 12:00 p.m.)	Critical Areas Ordinance Update	Planning and Development Services - Robin Bolster-Grant	Staff will provide an overview of the proposed updates to the City's Critical Areas Ordinance (CAO) following the Planning Commission's recommendation.
		Roadmap to Recovery	City Manger Kim	City Manager Kim will discuss the Roadmap to Recovery - a coordinated effort to ensure long-term sustainability and improve our approach to public service.
	City Council Meeting (hybrid Council Chambers /dial-in 5:00 PM)			
May 19, 2026	Study Session (Hybrid Council Chambers / Dial-in 12:00 p.m.)	2026 Amendment to the One Tacoma Comprehensive Plan and Land Use Regulatory Code Public Hearing Prep	Planning and Development Services - Stephen Atkinson, Interim Long Range Planning Assistant Division Manager	Staff will provide information in preparation for a public hearing scheduled for the City Council meeting on May 19, 2026, pertaining to the 2026 Amendment to the One Tacoma Comprehensive Plan and Land Use Regulatory Code.
		Alternative Response Program Update	Allyson Griffith	Staff will provide an update on the Alternative Response Program.
	City Council Meeting (hybrid Council Chambers /dial-in 5:00 PM)			
May 26, 2026	Cancelled Cancelled			

Community Vitality and Safety Committee

Community Vitality and Safety Committee			
Members (Chair) CM Rumbaugh, (Vice Chair) CM Scott; CM Palmer, and CM Walker; Alternate: CM Diaz Staff Executive Liaison: Toni Esparza Coordinator: Arsenio Roddy-Little		Meetings 2nd and 4th Thursdays 4:30pm Zoom and TMB 248	CBC Assignments <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Commission on Disabilities • Commission on Immigrant & Refugee Affairs • Community Redevelopment Authority • Community's Police Advisory Committee • Housing Authority • Human Rights Commission • Human Services Commission • Public Library Board
Date	Topic	Presenter(s)	Description
May 14	International Property Maintenance Code (IPMC) follow up	Mindee Weber, Planning and Development Services	Planning and Development Services will return to the Community Vitality and Safety Committee to continue discussion of the City's property maintenance enforcement modernization project, including technology improvements and potential updates to the enforcement framework. Staff will seek policy direction on enforcement posture, including compliance timelines, penalty structure, and escalation for repeat violations.
May 28	Improving Outcomes with Court-Appointed Advocates	Council Member Sarah Rumbaugh and Nancy Shattuck, MPA. Empowering Voices Today	An in depth look at how court-appointed advocates improve outcomes for victims in domestic violence cases.

Economic Development Committee

<p align="center">Members (Chair) CM Diaz, (Vice Chair) DM Bushnell, CM Palmer, and CM Scott; Alternate: CM Rumbaugh</p> <p align="center">Staff Executive Liaison: Debbie Bingham; Coordinator: Anna Le</p>	<p align="center">Meetings 2nd, 4th, and 5th Tuesdays 10:00am Zoom and TMB 248</p>	<p align="center">CBC Assignments</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Arts Commission • City Events and Recognition Committee • Equity in Contracting Advisory Committee • Convention Center Public Facilities District • Tacoma Creates Advisory Board
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Date	Topic	Presenter(s)	Description
May 12	Community and Economic Development Quarterly Update	Debbie Bingham, Interim Director, Community and Economic Development	Debbie Bingham and staff will give an informational update on the Community and Economic Development strategy and high-level metrics for quarter 1, 2026.
	Arts and Cultural Vitality Strategic Plan Refresh	Rebecca Solverson, Division Manager, Community and Economic Development	Staff will give a status update on the Arts & Cultural Vitality Strategic Plan Refresh, which is currently in progress.
May 26	Canceled	--	--

Government Performance and Finance Committee

Government Performance and Finance Committee			
Members (Chair) CM Hines, (Vice Chair) DM Bushnell, CM Sadalge, and CM Rumbaugh; Alternate: CM Walker Staff Executive Liaison: Andy Cherullo; Coordinator: Chantra Real		Meetings 1st and 3rd Tuesdays 10:00am Zoom and TMB 248	CBC Assignments <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Audit Advisory Board • Board of Ethics • Civil Service Board • Public Utility Board
Date	Topic	Presenter(s)	Description
May 5	Civil Service Board	Chair Hansen	An informational briefing from the Civil Service Board.
May 19	Public Utility Board (PUB) Interviews	Nicole Emery, City Clerk	Interviews to fill vacancies on the Public Utility Board.
	Small Works Roster (SWR) & Job Order Contracting (JOC)	Tad Carlson, Financial Services Manager	Staff from Purchasing to present two public works procurement proposals: a code change to allow use of the statewide small works roster, and to establish a Job Order Contracting program.

Infrastructure, Planning, and Sustainability Committee

<p align="center">Members (Chair) CM Walker, (Vice Chair) CM Sadalge, CM Diaz, and CM Hines; Alternate: DM Bushnell Staff Executive Liaison: Ramiro Chavez; Coordinator: Anna Le</p>		<p align="center">Meetings 2nd and 4th Wednesdays 4:30pm Zoom and TMB 248</p>	<p align="center">CBC Assignments</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Climate and Sustainability Commission • Landmarks Preservation Commission • Planning Commission • Transportation Commission • Urban Design Board
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Date	Topic	Presenter(s)	Description
May 13	North Union Avenue Greenway Historic Place Nomination	Reuben McKnight, Historic Preservation Officer, Planning and Development Services	On March 11, 2026, the Landmarks Preservation Commission voted to recommend to City Council that the median along Union Avenue, between North 9th to North 30th Streets, approximately 18 blocks in length, be added to the Tacoma Register of Historic Places. Since this property is within the Public Right of Way, staff will present the Landmarks Preservation Commission's Findings and Recommendations prior to consideration by the City Council.
	2025-2026 Public Works Capital Improvement Program	Darius Thompson, Assistant Division Manager; Jack Niehuser, Division Manager, Public Works	Provide update of Public Works Capital Program, 2025 accomplishments and highlights, and 2026 notable projects.
	2026 Stormwater Management Manual Update	Mieke Hoppin, Stormwater Management Manual Engineer, Planning and Development Services; Shauna Hansen, Stormwater Management Program Coordinator, Environmental Services	As the City of Tacoma's revision to its Stormwater Management Manual (SWMM) and related stormwater codes is nearing completion, this presentation will provide a status update on the process and review the design requirement changes for new and redevelopment projects. These updates will take effect on July 1, 2026, and meet the WA Department of Ecology requirement to align with their 2024 Stormwater Management Manual for Western Washington.
May 27	Canceled	--	--