

March 4, 2026

The regular meeting of the Everett City Council was called to order at 6:30 p.m., March 4, 2026, by President Schwab.

Upon roll call, it was found that Mayor Franklin and Council Members Zarlingo, Tuohy, Bader, Weir, Rhyne and President Schwab were present. Council Member Burbano was excused.

Council Member Rhyne led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Council Member Bader recited the land acknowledgement.

MAYOR

Mayor Franklin advised that she is presenting the State of the City tomorrow at the Historic Everett Theater and a community edition on Saturday at 10 a.m. in the Olympic View Ballroom at the Walter E. Hall Golf Course. She advised will miss the next two council meetings for various events and she will be leaving this meeting early.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The minutes of the February 25, 2026, meeting were approved.

PUBLIC COMMENT

The council received one (1) written comment and the following members of the public spoke: Liz Vogeli, Jen Chong Jewell, Travis Pardo, Terri Amburgy, and John Peeples.

COUNCIL

Council Member Zarlingo reported on his attendance at the Snohomish County Tomorrow meeting, Puget Sound Regional Council's Economic Development District Board meeting, and the opening of the Tapped Public House at Waterfront Place.

Council Member Tuohy thanked Council Member Zarlingo for the update on emergency housing.

Council Member Bader reported on his attendance at the Transportation Advisory Committee and the Puget Sound Regional Council's Growth Management Board meeting.

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Vice President Rhyne thanked Mayor Franklin for her Mayoral Directive regarding Immigration Enforcement.

ADMINISTRATION UPDATE

Government Affairs Director Jennifer Gregerson provided a legislative update, a Charter Review Commission update, and a County Charter Commission update.

Mayor Franklin left the meeting at 6:59 p.m.

CITY ATTORNEY

City Attorney David Hall requested a 15-minute executive session, pursuant to RCW 42.30.140(4) with no expected Council action to follow.

CONSENT ITEMS:

Moved by Council Member Tuohy, seconded by Council Member Bader, to approve the following consent items:

RESOLUTION - CLAIMS

To adopt Resolution No. 8277 authorizing claims against the City of Everett in the amount of \$3,775,979.69 for the period of February 14, 2026 through February 20, 2026.

RESOLUTION – 2012 FORD F-550 WITH ENPACK SURPLUS

To adopt Resolution No. 8278 declaring a 2012 Ford F-550 with Enpak, J0116 & M0074, surplus and authorizing its sale at public auction.

RESOLUTION – 2023 FORD F-750 HOODLIFT TRUCK SURPLUS

To adopt Resolution No. 8279 declaring a 2023 Ford F-750 Hooklift Truck, J0186, surplus and authorizing sale at public auction.

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BID AWARD – VEHICLE UPFIT AND SERVICE BODIES

To award Invitation for Bid #2025-092 Vehicle Upfit and Services Bodies and authorize the Mayor to sign the services agreement, as substantially provided, with Allied Body Works, Inc., not to exceed \$2,000,000 per year, including Washington state tax.

RESOLUTION – 2026 HUMAN NEEDS FUND

To adopt Resolution No. 8280 and authorize the Mayor to award and execute agreements for 2026 Human Needs Fund allocations.

AGREEMENT AMENDED – SAFE STREETS AND ROADS FOR ALL SAFETY ACTION PLAN

To authorize the Mayor to sign Amendment No. 1 with Kimley Horn and Associates for the “Safe Streets and Roads for All” Safety Plan.

Roll was called with all council members voting yes, except Council Member Burbano who was excused.

Motion carried.

PROPOSED ACTION ITEMS:

COUNCIL BILL 2602-06

SECOND READING:

AN ORDINANCE amending Ordinance 4084-25, entitled “Thornton A. Sullivan Park Floating Dock Repairs,” Fund 354, Program 100, to accumulate all costs for the project

COUNCIL BILL 2602-07

SECOND READING:

AN ORDINANCE creating a Special Improvement Project, entitled “WFP Water Standpipe Replacement,” Fund 336, Program 052

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COUNCIL BILL 2602-08

SECOND READING:

AN ORDINANCE creating a new chapter of the Everett Municipal Code relating to Endangerment with a Controlled Substance

ACTION ITEMS:

COUNCIL BILL 2602-09

THIRD AND FINAL READING:

AN ORDINANCE creating a Special Improvement Project, entitled “2026 Pavement Maintenance Overlay,” Fund 303, Program 138, to accumulate all costs for the improvement

Moved by Council Member Bader, seconded by Council Member Zarlingo, that this is declared to be the third and final reading of Council Bill 2602-09.

The following members of the public spoke: Tyler Rourke.

The Deputy City Clerk was directed to call roll for the final disposition of the ordinance.

AYES: Zarlingo, Tuohy, Weir, Rhyne, Bader, Schwab
NAYES: None
ABSENT: Burbano

Ordinance 4162-26 adopted.

CALL FOR BIDS – 2026 PAVEMENT MAINTENANCE OVERLAY PROJECT

Moved by Council Member Zarlingo, seconded by Council Member Tuohy, to authorize the call for bids for the 2026 Pavement Maintenance Overlay Project.

Roll was called with all council members voting yes, except Council Member Burbano who was excused.

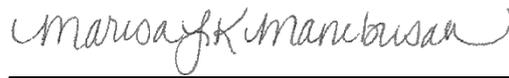
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Motion carried.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Council recessed to the Executive Session at 7:09 p.m. The Executive Session began at 7:11 p.m. and ended at 7:26 p.m. Council reconvened at 7:26 p.m.

The City Council meeting adjourned at 7:26 p.m.



Deputy City Clerk

Read and approved.



Council President

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