

REGULAR MEETING MINUTES
City of Spokane Salary Review Commission
City Hall, Council Chambers
808 W Spokane Falls Blvd.
August 28, 2026

Call to Order: 3:01 p.m.

Meeting Recording: <https://vimeo.com/1222215150>

Attendance:

Commission members present: Commissioners Reed Jessen, Jens Larson, Lee Taylor, and Beau Madsen. Commissioner Dycelia Weiss joined later via Webex.

Staff members present: Chris Wright (Policy Advisor, City Council) and Virginia Ramos (Legislative Assistant). Adam McDaniel, Policy Advisor to Mayor, joined via Webex.

Public Comment: None

Agenda Items:

1. Review of August 28 agenda.
 - Motion by Commissioner Larson to approve agenda, seconded by Commissioner Taylor. Motion carried 4-0.
2. Review of minutes from August 14, 20026 meetings.
 - Motion by Commissioner Larson, seconded by Commissioner Taylor, to approve minutes of August 14, 2026 meeting. Motion carried 4-0.
3. Discussion ensued regarding consideration and form of final resolution and decision.
 - Commissioner Jessen asked whether there was any public comment. No members of the public were present and no public comment was received.
 - Commissioner Jessen read and summarized his dissenting opinion.
 - Further discussion ensued as to finalization of the Commission's decision and delivery to the City Clerk by staff.
 - Motion by Commissioner Taylor, seconded by Commissioner Larson, to adopt resolution 2026-0001 as drafted, and to include Commissioner Jessen's dissenting opinion as Exhibit B, and authorizing staff to make

corrections to the appendix of final report. Motion carried 3-2, with Commissioners Larson, Madsen, and Taylor voting “Aye,” and Commissioners Jessen and Weiss noting “No.”

4. Motion to adjourn made by Commissioner Taylor and seconded by Commissioner Weiss. Motion carried 5-0.

Executive Session:

None

Adjournment:

The meeting was declared adjourned at 3:16 p.m.

Minutes prepared by Council Policy Advisor Chris Wright.

Chris Wright
Policy Advisor, City Council