

**MEETING MINUTES**  
**City of Spokane**  
**2023 City Council Legislative Forum/Session Preview**  
**December 8, 2022**

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**Call to Order:** 11:06 a.m.

Recording of the meeting may be viewed here at <https://vimeo.com/spokanecitycouncil>.

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**Attendance:**

Council Members Present: Council President Beggs, Council Members Kinnear, Stratton, Cathcart, Bingle and Zappone

Council Members Absent: Council Member Wilkerson

Other Elected Officials/Presenters: Spokane Mayor Nadine Woodward; State Senator Andy Billig; State Senator Mike Padden; State Representative-Elect Suzanne Schmidt; State Representative-Elect Leonard Christian; Spokane Valley Council Member Ben Wick; Luke Esser, City of Spokane Lobbyist.

**Agenda Items:**

1. Legislator Remarks

➤ Presenters:

Senator Andy Billig, Senator Mike Padden, Representative-Elect Suzanne Schmidt, Representative-Elect Leonard Christian.

➤ Action taken:

No action taken. Presentation and discussion only.

2. City Legislative Agenda Presentations

➤ Presenters:

Council President Beggs; Council Member Stratton; Council Member Zappone; Council Member Bingle; Chris Averyt, City of Spokane; Mayor Woodward; Council Member Wick.

➤ Action taken:

No action taken. Presentation and discussion only.

**Executive Session:** 20 minutes (12:05 p.m. – 12:25 p.m.)

Attorneys Present:

Lynden Smithson, City of Spokane; Mary Muramatsu, City of Spokane; Sam Faggiano, City of Spokane

**Extensions:**

12:25 p.m. – extended to 12:45 p.m.

12:45 p.m. – extended to 1:00 p.m.

1:00 p.m. – ended executive session

**Adjournment:**

The meeting adjourned at 1:00 p.m.

Minutes prepared and submitted for publication in the December 14, 2022, issue of the Official Gazette.

*Hannahlee Allers*

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Hannahlee Allers  
Council Office Director

Approved by City Council on January 9, 2023.

*Breean L. Beggs*

Breean L. Beggs (Jan 16, 2023 14:49 PST)

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Breean Beggs  
City Council President

Attest:

*Terri Pfister*

Terri Pfister (Feb 10, 2023 11:33 PST)

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Terri L. Pfister  
City Clerk











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