City of Tacoma
City Council Agenda
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April 3, 2020
2:00 PM
SPECIAL MEETING

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Woodards called the special meeting to order at 2:00 p.m.

ROLL CALL

8 present, 1 absent (Thoms).

All Council Members participated telephonically.

Council Member Thoms arrived at 2:01 p.m.

BRIEFING ITEMS

20-0273 Final approval of the submission of a letter on behalf of the City Council to Governor Inslee to expand the emergency order to cover residential evictions, commercial business evictions, and waiving resulting fees and penalties.

Council Member Thoms arrived here, at 2:01 p.m.

Deputy Mayor Blocker moved to approve the submission of the letter on behalf of the City Council to Governor Inslee. Seconded by Council Member Thoms.

Voice vote was taken and carried. The motion was declared adopted.

Ayes: 9   Nays: 0   Absent: 0   Abstaining: 0
Final approval of a Statement from the City Council on Anti-Discrimination and COVID-19.

Deputy Mayor Blocker moved to approve the statement from the City Council on Anti-Discrimination and COVID-19. Seconded by Council Member Thoms. Voice vote was taken and carried. The motion was declared adopted.

Ayes: 9  Nays: 0 Absent: 0  Abstaining: 0

Update on the status and impact of the COVID-19 virus and the City’s response including:
- Update on the City of Tacoma’s financial status;
- Update on how provisions of the Federal CARES Act will be administered;
- Update on communications from ICE regarding the Northwest Ice Processing Center; and
- Update on the City of Tacoma’s rental assistance program.

An update was provided by City staff on the status and impact of the COVID-19 virus and the City’s response to the emergency.

ADJOURNMENT
The special meeting was adjourned at 3:41 p.m.