

Whatcom County Council Committee of the Whole-Executive Session

**COUNTY COURTHOUSE
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Minutes - Draft Minutes

VIRTUAL MEETING - VIEW ONLINE

Tuesday, May 5, 2020

12:30 PM

Virtual Meeting

COUNCILMEMBERS

Rud Browne
Barry Buchanan
Tyler Byrd
Todd Donovan
Ben Elenbaas
Carol Frazey
Kathy Kershner

CLERK OF THE COUNCIL

Dana Brown-Davis, C.M.C.

Call To Order

Council Chair Barry Buchanan called the meeting to order at 12:30 p.m. in a virtual meeting.

Roll Call

Present: 7 - Rud Browne, Barry Buchanan, Tyler Byrd, Todd Donovan, Carol Frazey, Ben Elenbaas and Kathy Kershner

Absent: None

Committee Discussion

Attorney Present: None.

Buchanan stated that discussion of agenda item one may take place in executive session pursuant to RCW 42.30.140(4)(a). Executive session will conclude no later than 1 p.m. If the meeting extends beyond the stated conclusion time, he will step out of the meeting to make a public announcement.

Donovan moved to go into executive session until no later than 1 p.m. to discuss the agenda items pursuant to the RCW citations as announced by the Council Chair. The motion was seconded.

The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 7 - Browne, Buchanan, Byrd, Donovan, Elenbaas, Frazey and Kershner

Nay: 0

1. [AB2020-201](#) Update on negotiations and planning strategy discussion regarding collective bargaining [Discussion of this item may take place in executive session (closed to public) pursuant to RCW 42.30.140(4)(a)]

This agenda item was DISCUSSED.

Other Business

Adjournment

At 1 p.m., Dana Brown-Davis, Clerk of the Council, announced that the executive session would extend to no later than 1:30 p.m.

At 1:28 p.m., Dana Brown-Davis, Clerk of the Council, announced that the executive session would extend to no later than 2 p.m.

The meeting adjourned at 1:55 p.m.

ATTEST:

WHATCOM COUNTY COUNCIL
WHATCOM COUNTY, WA

Dana Brown-Davis, Council Clerk

Barry Buchanan, Council Chair

Kristi Felbinger, Minutes Transcription