



Seattle
Womens Commission

Seattle Women's Commission Meeting Agenda

Monday, October 20 2025 at 5:30 p.m.

Meeting Location:

The meeting will be hosted in person and online.

- To attend in person, visit Seattle City Hall at 600 4th Avenue, Seattle WA 98104 in Room L280. For disability parking access and other accessibility information, visit [City Hall Visitor Information page](#).
- To attend online, [join on Webex](#).
 - Meeting number/access code: 187 612 4467
 - Password: SxyK4rD34WQ
- To attend by phone, dial (206) 207-1700. Enter the meeting number 187 612 4467.

Commissioners:

- Co-chairs: E. Barr, N. Evanoff, T. Mills, W. Nakamura
- Members:
- Notetaker: M. Rivera (new minutes [template](#))

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Agenda

Call to Order - 5:30

Land and Labor Acknowledgment (M. Rivera)

"We are currently occupying the unceded lands of many First Peoples: Coast Salish people, Muckleshoot, Suquamish, Stillaguamish, and Duwamish. We acknowledge and thank local First Nations for their centuries of land stewardship that long predates the arrival of European settlers. We remind you to be aware of the spaces you occupy locally, that these lands were stolen from First People in the name of white settler colonialism and that you seek ways to continue your education and give back to local Indigenous communities", from Duwamish Tribe's website.

"We must acknowledge that much of what we know of this country today, including its culture, economic growth, and development throughout history and across time, has been made possible by the labor of enslaved Africans and their descendants who suffered the horror of the transatlantic trafficking of their people, chattel slavery, and Jim Crow. We are indebted to their labor and their sacrifice, and we must acknowledge the tremors of that violence throughout the generations and the resulting impact that can still be felt and witnessed today." Dr. Terah "TJ" Stewart.

Introductions/Roll Call

- Approve September Meeting Minutes
- Approve October Meeting Agenda

Public Comment - 5:40

Items of Business - 5:45

Subcommittee Updates

- Reproductive Health
- Gender-Based Violence
- Housing Access
- Communications

Grants & Fundraising (A. DeFisher)

Co-Chair Updates (E. Barr)

- Volunteer role and position description preview
- SWC Annual Retreat reminder for early 2026

Open Discussion

- 2024-2025 Work Plan: [SWC 2024 Focus Areas](#)
- Work Plan Tracker: [SWC Initiatives](#)+ [2025 Workplan Tracker](#)

Seattle Office for Civil Rights Updates - 6:45 (M. Idowu)

Schedule of Upcoming Meetings and Events - 6:55

- SWC Presents: We Are the Ones We've Been Waiting For, a community art show available through October 31 at Vermillion Gallery.
- SOCR Commissions Annual Gathering - October 25
- Giving Flowers DVAM event with MODVSA - October 28 at City Hall

Adjourned - 7:00