



# City of Tacoma

## City Council Agenda

733 Market Street Tacoma, WA 98402

Conference Room 16

June 17, 2014

2:30 PM

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### SPECIAL MEETING

**CALL TO ORDER**

**ROLL CALL**

**FLAG SALUTE**

**MOMENT OF SILENCE**

### REGULAR AGENDA

#### Proposed Amendments to the City Charter as submitted by the Charter Review Committee

- 1. 14-0493** City of Tacoma Proposed Charter Amendment No. \_\_ adding gender neutral language, and deleting obsolete provisions and language.

Ayes: \_\_\_ Nays: \_\_\_ Absent: \_\_\_ Abstaining: \_\_\_

**Attachments:** [Gender neutral language](#)
- 2. 14-0494** City of Tacoma Proposed Charter Amendment No. \_\_ aligning anti-discrimination provisions with City and state law.

Ayes: \_\_\_ Nays: \_\_\_ Absent: \_\_\_ Abstaining: \_\_\_

**Attachments:** [Anti-discrimination provisions](#)
- 3. 14-0495** City of Tacoma Proposed Charter Amendment No. \_\_ aligning election provisions with state law.

Ayes: \_\_\_ Nays: \_\_\_ Absent: \_\_\_ Abstaining: \_\_\_

**Attachments:** [Election provisions](#)

4. **14-0496** City of Tacoma Proposed Charter Amendment No. \_\_ concerning the effective date of emergency ordinances.  
Ayes: \_\_\_ Nays: \_\_\_ Absent: \_\_\_ Abstaining: \_\_\_  
**Attachments:** [Effective date of emergency ordinances](#)
5. **14-0497** City of Tacoma Proposed Charter Amendment No. \_\_ establishing a salary commission to determine Mayor and Council salaries.  
Ayes: \_\_\_ Nays: \_\_\_ Absent: \_\_\_ Abstaining: \_\_\_  
**Attachments:** [Establishing a salary commission](#)
6. **14-0498** City of Tacoma Proposed Charter Amendment No. \_\_ concerning City Council powers and duties relative to the Public Utility Board.  
Ayes: \_\_\_ Nays: \_\_\_ Absent: \_\_\_ Abstaining: \_\_\_  
**Attachments:** [City Council powers relative to the Public Utility Board](#)
7. **14-0499** City of Tacoma Proposed Charter Amendment No. \_\_ concerning Mayor and City Council term limits.  
Ayes: \_\_\_ Nays: \_\_\_ Absent: \_\_\_ Abstaining: \_\_\_  
**Attachments:** [Term Limits](#)
8. **14-0500** City of Tacoma Proposed Charter Amendment No. \_\_ adopting a new article, "Powers and Responsibilities of the People."  
Ayes: \_\_\_ Nays: \_\_\_ Absent: \_\_\_ Abstaining: \_\_\_  
**Attachments:** [Powers and Responsibilities of the People](#)
9. **14-0502** City of Tacoma Proposed Charter Amendment No. \_\_ deleting the prohibition of new cemeteries, mausoleums, or crematories.  
Ayes: \_\_\_ Nays: \_\_\_ Absent: \_\_\_ Abstaining: \_\_\_  
**Attachments:** [Deleting prohibition of new cemeteries](#)
10. **14-0503** City of Tacoma Proposed Charter Amendment No. \_\_ adding requirements for Landmarks Preservation Commission, Neighborhood Councils and Business Districts.  
Ayes: \_\_\_ Nays: \_\_\_ Absent: \_\_\_ Abstaining: \_\_\_  
**Attachments:** [Adding requirements for LPC, NC, and BD](#)
11. **14-0504** City of Tacoma Proposed Charter Amendment No. \_\_ requiring financial interest disclosures from certain officers and employees.  
Ayes: \_\_\_ Nays: \_\_\_ Absent: \_\_\_ Abstaining: \_\_\_  
**Attachments:** [Requiring financial interest disclosures](#)

12. 14-0505 City of Tacoma Proposed Charter Amendment No. \_\_ concerning public employee participation in residential conservation, infrastructure and environmental programs.  
Ayes: \_\_\_ Nays: \_\_\_ Absent: \_\_\_ Abstaining: \_\_\_  
**Attachments:** [Public employee participation in programs](#)
13. 14-0506 City of Tacoma Proposed Charter Amendment No. \_\_ deleting residency and certain citizenship requirements for City employment.  
Ayes: \_\_\_ Nays: \_\_\_ Absent: \_\_\_ Abstaining: \_\_\_  
**Attachments:** [Deleting residency and certain citizenship requirements](#)
14. 14-0507 City of Tacoma Proposed Charter Amendment No. \_\_ expanding City Council authority to hire, appoint and confirm staff.  
Ayes: \_\_\_ Nays: \_\_\_ Absent: \_\_\_ Abstaining: \_\_\_  
**Attachments:** [City Council authority to hire, appoint and confirm staff](#)
15. 14-0508 City of Tacoma Proposed Charter Amendment No. \_\_ creating a Citizen Commission on Redistricting.  
Ayes: \_\_\_ Nays: \_\_\_ Absent: \_\_\_ Abstaining: \_\_\_  
**Attachments:** [Creating a Citizen Commission on Redistricting](#)
16. 14-0510 City of Tacoma Proposed Charter Amendment No. \_\_ changing the government form from Council-Manager to Mayor-Council-Chief Administrative Officer.  
Ayes: \_\_\_ Nays: \_\_\_ Absent: \_\_\_ Abstaining: \_\_\_  
**Attachments:** [Changing form of government to Mayor-Council-Chief Administrative Officer](#)

### **Proposed Amendments to the City Charter as submitted by City Departments**

17. 14-0501 City of Tacoma Proposed Charter Amendment No. \_\_ allowing the City to charge for certain employment tests.  
Ayes: \_\_\_ Nays: \_\_\_ Absent: \_\_\_ Abstaining: \_\_\_  
**Attachments:** [Charge for certain employment tests](#)

### **Proposed Amendments to the City Charter as submitted by the Mayor and City Council**

18. 14-0509 City of Tacoma Proposed Charter Amendment No. \_\_ adopting a program for publicly financed campaigns.  
Ayes: \_\_\_ Nays: \_\_\_ Absent: \_\_\_ Abstaining: \_\_\_  
**Attachments:** [Publicly financed campaigns](#)

19. 14-0512 City of Tacoma Proposed Charter Amendment No. \_\_ concerning Mayor and City Council term limits.

Ayes: \_\_\_\_\_ Nays: \_\_\_\_\_ Absent: \_\_\_\_\_ Abstaining: \_\_\_\_\_

Attachments: [Term Limits](#)

## **PUBLIC COMMENT**

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