

Ordinance No. 124741

Council Bill No. 118325

AN ORDINANCE relating to unsheltered homelessness; lifting a budget proviso imposed on Finance General's Reserves Budget Control Level; changing appropriations to various departments and budget control levels, and from various funds in the Budget; making cash transfers between various City funds; and ratifying and confirming certain prior acts.

Related Legislation File: _____

Date Introduced and Referred:	To: (committee):
Date Re-referred:	To: (committee):
Date Re-referred:	To: (committee):
Date of Final Action:	Date Presented to Mayor:
Date Signed by Mayor:	Date Returned to City Clerk:
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Date Veto Sustained:	Date Returned Without Signature:

The City of Seattle – Legislative Department

Council Bill/Ordinance sponsored by: _____

Committee Action:

Date	Recommendation	Vote

This file is complete and ready for presentation to Full Council. _____

Full Council Action:

Date	Decision	Vote



SEATTLE CITY COUNCIL

Legislative Summary

CB 118325

Record No.: CB 118325

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Date

Notes:

Filed with City Clerk:

Mayor's Signature:

Sponsors: Clark

Vetoed by Mayor:

Veto Overridden:

Veto Sustained:

Attachments:

Drafter: jodee.schwinn@seattle.gov

Filing Requirements/Dept Action:

History of Legislative File

Legal Notice Published:

☐ Yes

☐ No

Ver- sion:	Acting Body:	Date:	Action:	Sent To:	Due Date:	Return Date:	Result:
1	Committee on Housing Affordability, Human Services, and Economic Resiliency	03/19/2015	pass as amended				Pass
	Action Text: The Committee recommends that Full Council pass as amended the Council Bill (CB).						
	Notes:						
			In Favor: 2	Chair Clark, Vice Chair Rasmussen			
			Opposed: 0				
2	Full Council	03/30/2015	passed				Pass
	Action Text: The Council Bill (CB) was passed by the following vote and the President signed the Bill:						
	Notes:						
			In Favor: 9	Councilmember Bagshaw, Council President Burgess, Councilmember Clark, Councilmember Godden, Councilmember Harrell, Councilmember Licata, Councilmember O'Brien, Councilmember Rasmussen, Councilmember Sawant			

Opposed: 0

- 2 City Clerk 04/01/2015 submitted for Mayor
Mayor's signature
Action Text: The Council Bill (CB) was submitted for Mayor's signature. to the Mayor
Notes:
- 2 Mayor 04/06/2015 Signed
Action Text: The Council Bill (CB) was Signed.
Notes:
- 2 Mayor 04/06/2015 returned to Clerk City Clerk
Action Text: The Council Bill (CB) was returned to Clerk. to the City Clerk
Notes:
- 2 City Clerk 04/06/2015 attested by City
Clerk
Action Text: The Ordinance (Ord) was attested by City Clerk.
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CITY OF SEATTLE

ORDINANCE 124741

COUNCIL BILL 118325

AN ORDINANCE relating to unsheltered homelessness; lifting a budget proviso imposed on Finance General's Reserves Budget Control Level; changing appropriations to various departments and budget control levels, and from various funds in the Budget; making cash transfers between various City funds; and ratifying and confirming certain prior acts.

WHEREAS, the 2015 Adopted City Budget includes \$200,000 GSF in 2015 for reducing unsheltered individual and family homelessness in the City of Seattle;

WHEREAS, the City Council placed a budget proviso on funds such that the Executive and the Human Services Department cannot expend funds until the Mayor's Task Force on Unsheltered Homelessness makes its recommendations to reduce unsheltered homelessness in Seattle;

WHEREAS, the Mayor's Task Force on Unsheltered Homelessness made its recommendations to the Mayor on December 14, 2014 and reported on the same to the City Council Committee on Housing Affordability, Human Services, and Economic Resiliency on December 18, 2014;

WHEREAS, the Council intends to measure the success of transitional encampments in temporarily sheltering people until they can secure housing in comparison with indoor shelter, and the Council expects that the rate at which people move from sheltering in transitional encampments to housing should be within 15% of the rate at which people move from indoor shelter to housing; and

WHEREAS, the Council recognizes that the appropriate amount and type of support to secure some form of permanent housing will vary among the individuals and families experiencing homelessness. The Council intends that case management funded by the City of Seattle should be focused on achieving success in securing housing along with other client needs. The Council finds that case managers serving as "navigators" who help homeless persons work through various barriers to housing is a proven and successful approach, and expects that City-funded case managers working with encampment residents will work in this capacity; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF SEATTLE AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The restrictions imposed by the following budget proviso that limit spending on the following item are removed because the conditions in the proviso have been satisfied and they are no longer restrictions for any purpose, including those in Subsection 1 of Ordinance 124648.

Item	Department	2014 Green Sheet	Proviso	Budget Control Level
1.1	Finance General (FG)	60-1-A-1	"Of the appropriation in the 2015 budget for Finance General's Reserves BCL, \$200,000 is appropriated solely for reducing unsheltered individual and family homelessness in Seattle, consistent with best practices and with a regional approach to increasing shelter capacity, and may be spent for no other purpose. Furthermore, none of the money appropriated may be spent until authorized by future ordinance. Council anticipates that such authority will not be granted until the Mayor's Task Force on Unsheltered Homelessness makes its recommendations to reduce unsheltered homelessness in Seattle"	Reserves (00100-2Qd00)

Section 2. The appropriations for the following items in the 2015 Budget are modified as follows:

Item	Fund	Department	Budget Control Level	Amount
2.1	General Subfund-(00100)	City Budget Office	Reserves (00100-2QD00)	(\$200,000)
	Human Services Operating	Human Services Department	Community Support and Assistance (16200-H30ET)	\$200,000

	Fund- (16200)			
Total				\$0.00

Section 3. To support the appropriation made in section 2 above, cash is transferred as shown in the following table:

Item	Fund	Amount Transferred
3.1	General Subfund (00100)	\$200,000 transferred out
	Human Services Operating Fund (16200)	\$200,000 transferred in

Section 4. The City Council acknowledges the Mayor's preliminary estimate of spending of the \$200,000 appropriated solely for reducing unsheltered individual and family homelessness in Seattle in the following manner:

1. \$70,000 for additional shelter beds located in the King County Administration Building;
2. \$60,000 for additional shelter beds for youth; and
3. \$70,000 for case management for homeless persons residing in transitional encampments.

Section 5. The City Council intends that transitional encampments serve to shelter people temporarily until they can secure housing. To monitor the success in transitioning encampment residents to housing, the Council directs the Human Services Department to report annually to the Council on all permitted transitional encampments in Seattle beginning one year from the date the first encampment permitted as an interim use according to Section 23.42.056. The annual reports shall include at least the following information that is described a monthly basis:

1. The number of adults and minors occupying all encampments;
2. The number encampment occupants accepting or declining offers for human or social services;

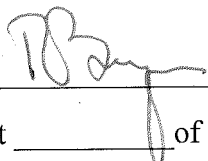
3. Where the occupants previously lived and where they are expected to go after leaving an encampment; and

4. The number of persons moving from transitional encampments to housing.

Section 6. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force 30 days after its approval by the Mayor, but if not approved and returned by the Mayor within ten days after presentation, it shall take effect as provided by Seattle Municipal Code Section 1.04.020.

Section 7. Any act consistent with the authority of this ordinance taken prior to its effective date is ratified and confirmed.

Passed by the City Council the 30th day of March, 2014, and signed by me in open session in authentication of its passage this 30th day of March, 2015.



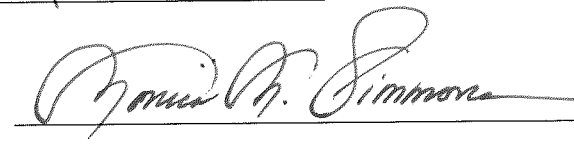
President _____ of the City Council

Approved by me this 6th day of April, 2015.



Edward B. Murray, Mayor

Filed by me this 6th day of April, 2015.



Monica Martinez Simmons, City Clerk

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BILL SUMMARY & FISCAL NOTE

Department:	Contact Person/Phone:	Executive Contact/Phone:
City Budget Office	Lisa Mueller 684-5339	Lisa Mueller 684-5339

1. BILL SUMMARY

Legislation Title: AN ORDINANCE relating to unsheltered homelessness; lifting a budget proviso imposed on Finance General's Reserves Budget Control Level; changing appropriations to various departments and budget control levels, and from various funds in the Budget; making cash transfers between various City funds; and ratifying and confirming certain prior acts.

Summary and background of the Legislation: This legislation lifts the proviso on the \$200,000 that the Council added with green sheet 60-1-A-1 in the 2015 Adopted Budget to address unsheltered homelessness. The Mayor's Task Force on Unsheltered Homelessness completed its work in December and members of the task force presented recommendations to the Mayor on December 15, 2014. This legislation lifts the proviso on the funding, transfers budget authority to the Human Services Department (HSD), and includes a cash transfer from Finance General to HSD. The \$200,000 will be used to expand the shelter at the King County Administration Building, add 15 shelter beds for homeless youth, and fund case management for encampments.

3. SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

X This legislation has direct financial implications.

Budget program(s) affected:				
Estimated \$ Appropriation change:	General Fund \$		Other \$	
	2015	2016	2015	2016
	\$200,000			
Estimated \$ Revenue change:	Revenue to General Fund		Revenue to Other Funds	
	2015	2016	2015	2016
Positions affected:	No. of Positions		Total FTE Change	
	2015	2016	2015	2016
Other departments affected:				

3.a. Appropriations

 X This legislation adds, changes, or deletes appropriations.

Fund Name and number	Dept	Budget Control Level Name/##	2015 Appropriation Change	2016 Estimated Appropriation Change
Finance General	City Budget Office	Reserves (00100-2Qd00)	(\$200,000)	
Human Services Operating Fund	Human Services Department	Community Support and Assistance (16200-H30ET)	\$200,000	
TOTAL			\$0.00	

Appropriations Notes:

3.b. Revenues/Reimbursements

 X This legislation adds, changes, or deletes revenues or reimbursements.

Anticipated Revenue/Reimbursement Resulting from this Legislation:

Fund Name and Number	Dept	Revenue Source	2015 Revenue	2016 Estimated Revenue
Human Services Operating Fund (16200)	Human Services Department	General Subfund (00100)	\$200,000	
TOTAL				

Revenue/Reimbursement Notes:

3.c. Positions

 This legislation adds, changes, or deletes positions.

Total Regular Positions Created, Modified, or Abrogated through this Legislation, Including FTE Impact:

Position # for Existing Positions	Position Title & Department*	Fund Name & #	Program & BCL	PT/FT	2015 Positions	2015 FTE	Does it sunset? (If yes, explain below in Position Notes)

TOTAL							

* List each position separately

Position Notes:

4. OTHER IMPLICATIONS

- a) **Does the legislation have indirect or long-term financial impacts to the City of Seattle that are not reflected in the above?**
No.
- b) **Is there financial cost or other impacts of not implementing the legislation?**
No.
- c) **Does this legislation affect any departments besides the originating department?**
This legislation affects HSD. The budget authority is transferred from Reserves to HSD.
- d) **Is a public hearing required for this legislation?**
No.
- e) **Is publication of notice with *The Daily Journal of Commerce* and/or *The Seattle Times* required for this legislation?**
No.
- f) **Does this legislation affect a piece of property?**
No.
- g) **Please describe any perceived implication for the principles of the Race and Social Justice Initiative. Does this legislation impact vulnerable or historically disadvantaged communities?**
While people of color now comprise 35% of the general population in King County, nearly double that proportion (67%) of people living in emergency shelter and transitional housing are people of color. This legislation allows the Department to achieve results for the most vulnerable citizens in Seattle, including those impacted by homelessness/housing instability; the data shows that people of color are disproportionately represented in services for the homeless.
- h) **If this legislation includes a new initiative or a major programmatic expansion: What are the long-term and measurable goals of the program? Please describe how this legislation would help achieve the program's desired goals.**
The immediate goals of this legislation are to expand shelter bed capacity, and provide funding for case management for encampments.
- i) **Other Issues:** N/A
List attachments below: None

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CITY OF SEATTLE, CLERKS OFFICE

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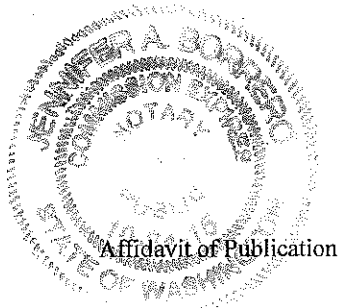
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Affidavit of Publication

04/23/2015

Subscribed and sworn to before me on

Notary public for the State of Washington,
residing in Seattle

State of Washington, King County

City of Seattle

Title Only Ordinances

The full text of the following legislation, passed by the City Council on March 30, 2015, and published below by title only, will be mailed upon request, or can be accessed at <http://clerk.seattle.gov>. For information on upcoming meetings of the Seattle City Council, please visit <http://www.seattle.gov/council/calendar>.

Contact: Office of the City Clerk at (206) 684-8344.

ORDINANCE NO. 124739

AN ORDINANCE appropriating money to pay certain audited claims and ordering the payment thereof.

ORDINANCE NO. 124740

AN ORDINANCE relating to the City Light Department; amending Ordinance 123256 to clarify the role of and support for the City Light Review Panel.

ORDINANCE NO. 124741

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ORDINANCE NO. 124742

AN ORDINANCE relating to incentivizing regional partners to develop homeless shelters; lifting a budget proviso imposed on Finance General's Reserves Budget Control Level; changing appropriations to various departments and budget control levels, and from various funds in the Budget; making cash transfers between various City funds; and amending Ordinance 124648, which adopted the 2015 Budget, including the 2015-2020 Capital Improvement Program.

ORDINANCE NO. 124743

AN ORDINANCE relating to the City Light Department; accepting various easements for overhead and underground electrical rights in King County, Washington; placing said easements under the jurisdiction of the City Light Department; and ratifying and confirming certain prior acts.

Date of publication in the Seattle Daily Journal of Commerce, April 23, 2015.

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