SEATTLE CITY COUNCIL

Legislative Summary

Res 31801

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Title: A RESOLUTION calling for review of current methods for collecting data on Native Communities, and potential strategies for improving such data collection, and exploration of the need for capacity-building for organizations seeking to assist Native Communities.

Notes:

	Date
Filed with City Clerk:	3/2/2018
Mayor's Signature:	3/2/2018
Vetoed by Mayor:	
Veto Overridden:	
Veto Sustained:	

Sponsors: Juarez

Attachments:

Drafter: jodee.schwinn@seattle.gov

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Ver-sion:	Acting Body:	Date:	Action:	Sent To:	Due Date:	Return Date:	Result:
1	City Clerk	02/14/2018	sent for review	Council President's Office			
	Action Text: The Resolution (Res) was sent for review. to the Council President's Office						
	Notes:						
1	Council President's Office	02/15/2018	sent for review	Civic Development, Public Assets, and Native Communities Committee			
	Action Text: The Resolution (Res) was sent for review. to the Civic Development, Public Assets, and Native Communities Committee						
	Notes:						

1	Full Council	02/20/2018	referred	Civic Development, Public Assets, and Native Communities Committee	

Action Text: The Resolution (Res) was referred. to the Civic Development, Public Assets, and Native Communities Committee

Notes:

1	Civic Development, Public Assets, and Native Communities Committee	02/21/2018	adopt		Pass

Action Text: The Committee recommends that Full Council adopt the Resolution (Res).

Notes:

In Favor: 3 Chair Juarez, Member González , Mosqueda

Opposed: 0

1	Full Council	02/26/2018	adopted		Pass

Action Text: The Resolution (Res) was adopted by the following vote, and the President signed the Resolution:

In Favor: 7 Councilmember González , Council President Harrell, Councilmember Herbold, Councilmember Johnson, Councilmember Juarez, Councilmember O'Brien, Councilmember Sawant

Opposed: 0

1	City Clerk	02/28/2018	submitted for Mayor's signature	Mayor
1	Mayor	03/02/2018	Signed	
1	Mayor	03/02/2018	returned	City Clerk
1	City Clerk	03/02/2018	attested by City Clerk	

Action Text: The Resolution (Res) was attested by City Clerk.

Notes:

Text of Legislative File Res 31801

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CITY OF SEATTLE

RESOLUTION 31801

A RESOLUTION calling for review of current methods for collecting data on Native Communities, and potential strategies for improving such data collection, and exploration of the need for capacity-building for organizations seeking to assist Native Communities.

WHEREAS, over 150 years ago, Chief Seattle and the Coast Salish peoples governed the Puget Sound region; and

WHEREAS, Chief Seattle's legacy of environmental protection, and indigenous people's rights, established the foundation for the City of Seattle's modern-day government; and

WHEREAS, the City of Seattle is home today to a large and growing population of American Indians and Alaskan Natives ("Native Communities"); and

WHEREAS, Native Communities face disproportionate levels of homelessness, poverty, and adverse health conditions; and

WHEREAS, the City Council recognizes that Native Communities deserve the dedicated attention of City policymakers to begin addressing these significant social issues, and in response, during the creation of Council committees for 2018, included Native Communities in the title of the Civic Development, Public Assets, and Native Communities Committee; and

WHEREAS, the Civic Development, Public Assets, and Native Communities Committee will work with local community partners and service providers to raise awareness of and explore solutions to local issues affecting Native Communities, including: housing affordability, health and mental health conditions, access to justice, youth services, tribal engagement, and historic preservation; and

WHEREAS, enhancing the collection of data on Native Communities has been recognized as a key issue to be examined, as data are critical to identifying and more effectively addressing many of the issues faced by Native Communities; and

WHEREAS, Resolution 31613, adopted by the Council in September 2015, requested that a Demographic Data Task Force be formed to develop recommendations and strategies for improving the collection of demographic data, including standardizing the disaggregation of demographic data across City departments for communities for which more specific racial data categories are important; and

WHEREAS, the Demographic Data Task Force issued recommendations on data collection and dissemination that are being implemented, but further review of the collection of data for Native Communities is warranted to determine if there are further efforts needed to fill identified gaps; and

WHEREAS, there may also be a need for capacity-building for organizations seeking to assist Native Communities to implement solutions to local issues; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SEATTLE, THE MAYOR CONCURRING, THAT:

Section 1. The Seattle City Council's Civic Development, Public Assets, and Native Communities Committee will work with the appropriate City and County executive departments, community partners, and service providers to:

A. Review current methods for collecting, disseminating, and using data on American Indians and Alaskan Natives ("Native Communities"); and identify strategies for

improving the collection of data if gaps exist. These data will be used to more effectively understand and address issues facing Native Communities; and

B. Explore whether additional capacity-building assistance is needed to help organizations seeking to assist Native Communities to implement solutions to local issues.

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Adopted by the City Council the 26th day of February, 2018, and signed by me in open session in authentication of its adoption this 26th day of February, 2018.

President _____ of the City Council

The Mayor concurred the 2nd day of March, 2018.

Jenny A. Durkan, Mayor

Filed by me this 2nd day of MARCH, 2018.

Monica Martinez Simmons, City Clerk

(Seal)

STATE OF WASHINGTON -- KING COUNTY

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11-21-19

Subscribed and sworn to before me on

03/23/2018

Notary public for the State of Washington,
residing in Seattle

State of Washington, King County

City of Seattle

The full text of the following legislation, passed by the City Council on February 26, 2018, and published below by title only, will be mailed upon request, or can be accessed at http://seattle.legistar.com. For information on upcoming meetings of the Seattle City Council, please visit http://www.seattle.gov/council/calendar.

Resolution 31793

A RESOLUTION addressing a proposed liquefied natural gas facility in Tacoma, and urging the Puget Sound Clean Air Agency to improve tribal consultation procedures and collaborate with regional mayors, leaders, and tribes to address the growing impact of climate change.

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