



DENVER CITY COUNCIL

Governance and Intergovernmental Relations

Minutes

Tuesday, June 30, 2026, 10:30 AM

Chair: Amanda Sawyer, Vice-Chair: Paul Kashmann

Members: Kevin Flynn, Stacie Gilmore, Serena Gonzales-Gutierrez, Amanda Sandoval, Jamie Torres

Staff: Anne Wallace

Attendance

Present 9 - Flynn, Gilmore, Gonzales-Gutierrez, Kashmann, Sawyer, Alvidrez, Lewis, Romero
Campbell, Watson
Absent 2 - Sandoval, Torres

Action Items

26-0970

A bill for an ordinance submitting to a vote of the qualified and registered electors of the City and County of Denver at a special municipal election to be held in conjunction with the general election of November 3, 2026, a proposed public franchise agreement with the Public Service Company of Colorado, DBA Xcel Energy, for a term through December 31, 2046.

A motion offered by Council member Flynn, duly seconded by Vice Chair Kashmann, that Council Bills 26-0970, 26-0973, and 26-0974 be approved for filing in a block, carried by the following vote:

Aye: 5 - Flynn, Gilmore, Gonzales-Gutierrez, Kashmann, Sawyer

Nay: 0

Absent: 2 - Sandoval, Torres

26-0973

A bill for an ordinance approving the Denver Energy Partnership Agreement with the Public Service Company of Colorado, DBA Xcel Energy, for a term through December 31, 2046, to progress commitments to sustainable, reliable, and affordable energy and joint energy leadership in Denver.

A motion offered by Council member Flynn, duly seconded by Vice Chair Kashmann, that Council Bills 26-0970, 26-0973, and 26-0974 be approved for filing in a block, carried by the following vote:

Aye: 5 - Flynn, Gilmore, Gonzales-Gutierrez, Kashmann, Sawyer

Nay: 0

Absent: 2 - Sandoval, Torres

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[26-0974](#) A bill for an ordinance approving a proposed Operating Agreement with Public Service Company of Colorado, an Xcel Energy company (Xcel Energy) for utility services at Denver International Airport, in Council District 11.

A motion offered by Council member Flynn, duly seconded by Vice Chair Kashmann, that Council Bills 26-0970, 26-0973, and 26-0974 be approved for filing in a block, carried by the following vote:

Aye: 5 - Flynn, Gilmore, Gonzales-Gutierrez, Kashmann, Sawyer

Nay: 0

Absent: 2 - Sandoval, Torres

[26-0864](#) For an ordinance submitting to a vote of the qualified and registered electors of the City and County of Denver at a special municipal election to be conducted at the same time and in conjunction with the general election on November 3, 2026, a proposed amendment to the Charter of the City and County of Denver to adjust the City and County's budget and appropriation process.

A motion offered by Council member Gilmore, duly seconded by Council member Gonzales-Gutierrez, that Council Bills 26-0864 and 26-0867 be approved for filing in a block, carried by the following vote:

Aye: 4 - Gilmore, Gonzales-Gutierrez, Kashmann, Sawyer

Nay: 1 - Flynn

Absent: 2 - Sandoval, Torres

[26-0867](#) For an ordinance amending Article II of Chapter 20 of the Denver Revised Municipal Code by adding procedures for the Mayor and City Council to consider and address changes in the City's budget and requiring a community engagement process for budget planning in a two-year budget term.

A motion offered by Council member Gilmore, duly seconded by Council member Gonzales-Gutierrez, that Council Bills 26-0864 and 26-0867 be approved for filing in a block, carried by the following vote:

Aye: 4 - Gilmore, Gonzales-Gutierrez, Kashmann, Sawyer

Nay: 1 - Flynn

Absent: 2 - Sandoval, Torres

Consent Items

[26-0935](#) Approves the Mayor's reappointment to the Denver Community

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Corrections Board. Approves the Mayor's reappointment of Blake Renner to the Denver Community Corrections Board for a term from 6-30-2026 through 6-30-2030 or until a successor is duly appointed, citywide.

Council Bill 26-0935 was approved by consent.

[26-0936](#)

Approves the Mayor's appointment to the Denver Community Corrections Board. Approves the Mayor's appointment of Jennifer Lobato to the Denver Community Corrections Board for a term from 6-30-2026 through 6-30-2030 or until a successor is duly appointed, citywide.

Council Bill 26-0936 was approved by consent.

[26-0937](#)

Approves the Mayor's appointment to the Denver Community Corrections Board. Approves the Mayor's appointment of Monique Hudley-Taylor to the Denver Community Corrections Board for a term from 6-30-2026 through 6-30-2030 or until a successor is duly appointed, citywide.

Council Bill 26-0937 was approved by consent.

[26-0938](#)

Approves the Mayor's appointment to the Denver Community Corrections Board. Approves the Mayor's appointment of Nicole Monroe to the Denver Community Corrections Board for a term from 6-30-2026 through 6-30-2030 or until a successor is duly appointed, citywide.

Council Resolution 26-0938 was approved by consent.

[26-0939](#)

Approves the Mayor's reappointment to the Denver Community Corrections Board. Approves the Mayor's reappointment of Scott Mangino to the Denver Community Corrections Board for a term from 6-30-2026 through 6-30-2030 or until a successor is duly appointed, citywide.

Council Bill 26-0939 was approved by consent.

[26-0940](#)

Approves the Mayor's appointment to the Denver American Indian Commission (DAIC). Approves the Mayor's appointment of Starlene Naranjo to the Denver American Indian Commission for a term from 7-03-2026 through 7-03-2029 or until a successor is duly appointed, citywide.

Council Resolution 26-0940 was approved by consent.

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[26-0941](#)

Amends a contract with LINEBARGER GOGGAN BLAIR & SAMPSON, LLP to twelve months for a new end date of 8-31-2027 to provide professional legal services and to serve as legal counsel to the City for collecting debts owed associated with parking and photo citation enforcement and litigation. No change to contract capacity, citywide (ATTNY-202160108/ATTNY-202684405-03).

Council Resolution 26-0941 was approved by consent.