

RESOLUTION NO. M-2635

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OLYMPIA, WASHINGTON, RELATING TO THE APPOINTMENT OF PERSONS TO PREPARE VOTERS' PAMPHLET STATEMENTS FOR AND AGAINST THE CITIZENS' INITIATIVE BALLOT PROPOSITION TO ADOPT AN ORDINANCE TO ESTABLISH A WORKERS' BILL OF RIGHTS FOR LABOR STANDARDS CONCERNING WORK SCHEDULING, A MINIMUM WAGE IN THE CITY, A SAFE WORKPLACE ENVIRONMENT, AND OTHER LABOR REGULATIONS, SCHEDULED TO APPEAR BEFORE VOTERS AT THE NOVEMBER 4, 2025, GENERAL ELECTION

**WHEREAS**, the City Council of the City of Olympia, Washington (the "City") has determined that it is in the interest of the City and its residents to submit a citizens' initiative proposition to the voters at the General Election on November 4, 2025, concerning an ordinance to establish a workers' bill of rights for labor standards concerning work scheduling, a minimum wage in the City of Olympia, a safe workplace environment, and other labor regulations; and

**WHEREAS**, RCW 29A.32.280 provides for the preparation of statements for and against each local ballot measure by committees of not more than three persons each, comprised of persons known to favor or oppose the ballot proposition;

**NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OLYMPIA, WASHINGTON, DOES HEREBY RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:**

**Section 1.** In accordance with RCW 29A.32.280, the arguments advocating approval of the ballot proposition concerning an ordinance to establish a workers' bill of rights for labor standards concerning work scheduling, a minimum wage in the City of Olympia, a safe workplace environment, and other labor regulations shall be prepared by the following persons, who shall comprise the "Statement For" committee:

**"Statement For" Committee:**

**Name**

1. Jenny Balentine
2. Adam Hardaway
3. Kent Markley

**Section 2.** In accordance with RCW 29A.32.280, the arguments advocating disapproval of the ballot proposition concerning an ordinance to establish a workers' bill of rights for labor standards concerning work scheduling, a minimum wage in the City of Olympia, a safe workplace environment, and other labor regulations shall be prepared by the following persons, who shall comprise the "Statement Against" committee:

**"Statement Against" Committee:**

Name

1. Ruthann Goularte
2. Mindy Roberts
3. Cheryl Selby

**ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OLYMPIA, WASHINGTON, AT A REGULAR  
OPEN PUBLIC MEETING this 4th day of August, 2025.**

  
MAYOR

**ATTEST:**

Sean Krier  
CITY CLERK

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

Mark Barber  
CITY ATTORNEY