



Notice of Public Hearing

From City of Olympia <news@olympiawa.gov>

Date Mon 6/30/2025 10:04 AM

To Kari Pitharoulis <kpitharo@ci.olympia.wa.us>



City News & Information

Media Release



Notice of Public Hearing

Notice is hereby given that the City of Olympia, Washington (the "City") will hold an open public hearing for the purpose of hearing comments from the public regarding a plan of finance for the issuance by the City of one or more series of tax-exempt obligations (the "Bonds"), to finance capital improvements to the Hands On Children's Museum (the "Museum"), as described below. The Bonds may be issued in one or more series from time to time and may include series of refunding obligations.

The public hearing will be held on July 8, 2025, starting at 6:00 p.m. Pacific time or as soon thereafter as possible, and can be attended virtually or in-person at City Hall, 610 4th Ave East, Olympia, WA. The hearing will be held in

Council Chambers. To attend via Zoom, use the link below. Comments will be accepted in writing, in person, or via Zoom – all are equally acceptable.

Virtual Hearing (Zoom webinar):

https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_DGlvnpHEQfSEMYL4mM2lOQ

Staff Contact: Debbie Sullivan, Assistant City Manager, 360.753.8499

The City may designate all or a portion of the Bonds as “qualified 501(c)(3) bonds” under Section 145 the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the “Code”). Proceeds will be used to finance the design, construction, development and improvement of an expansion of the Museum, capitalize interest on the Bonds, and to pay the costs of issuing the Bonds (the “Project”), located at 414 Jefferson St NE, Olympia, Washington 98501. The Project will be owned by the City and primarily managed and operated by the Hands On Children’s Museum, a Washington nonprofit corporation. The maximum principal amount of Bonds expected to be issued for the Project within the next three years is \$25,000,000 (in one or more series).

Comments will be heard from all interested parties attending the hearing. Written comments prior to the hearing may be directed to the City at 401 Union Street, Suite 1600, Seattle, Washington, 98101, Attention: Deanna Gregory, Pacifica Law Group.

If you require special accommodations for this meeting, please contact Susan Grisham by 10:00 a.m., 48 hours in advance of the meeting, or earlier if possible; phone: 360.753.8244; e-mail: sgrisham@ci.olympia.wa.us. For hearing impaired, please contact us by dialing the Washington State Relay Service at 7-1-1 or 1-800-833-6384. The City is committed to the non-discriminatory treatment of all persons in the delivery of services and resources.

This Notice is being published on June 30, 2025 in accordance with Section 147(f) of the Code.

Contact

Debbie Sullivan, Assistant City Manager
City of Olympia
360.753.8499
dsulliva@ci.olympia.wa.us



[View this email in your browser](#)

Copyright © 2025 City of Olympia, All rights reserved.
You are receiving this email because you opted in via our website.

Our mailing address is:

City of Olympia
601 4th Ave E
Olympia, WA 98501

[Add us to your address book](#)

Want to change how you receive these emails?
You can [update your preferences](#) or [unsubscribe from this list](#).