

Director Dawson noted that the Legislative Committee was established at the June Board meeting. The person that has been staffing legislative items was Senior Policy Analyst Ellie Wilson-Jones. Director Dawson noted that if there are major legislative items to tackle we will want to consider retaining outside assistance. Amy Ockerlander, Duvall, suggested that cities may not have the capacity to take on major items to support and it might be good for SCA to just select a few priorities to focus on. Nancy Backus, Auburn, commented that priorities will likely be similar to those in recent years. Director Dawson said that SCA will review city legislative agendas for commonalities.

Director Dawson gave an update on the Greater Seattle Partners group. Nancy Backus serves on the board of this group and they have also put together a mid-level leadership board. Director Dawson reported that SCA helped negotiate for Sound Side Alliance to have a seat on this board. Director Dawson asked board members to provide feedback on other groups SCA should be advocating for to have a seat.

Dawson noted that it is a good accomplishment that Comcast has reached out wanting to partner with SCA and being asked to sign on to the Comcast letter. President Walen noted that that SCA Partner Forums are a great accomplishment and setting meetings with the SCA Board and King County Councilmembers. Hank Margeson noted that obtaining an alternate seat on the 4Culture Task Force is an accomplishment.

11) Upcoming Events

- a. SCA Partner Forum – Cybersecurity for Cities – Wednesday, August 1, 2018 – 4:30 PM – 6:00 PM
Mercer Island Community Center
- b. SCA Networking Dinner – Wednesday, September 5, 2018 – 5:30 PM – 8:00 PM Bellevue

12) For the good of the order

President Walen asked if anyone had anything to add for the good of the order.

13) Adjourn

President Walen adjourned the meeting at 12:10 PM.