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Sincerely,

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### IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF KING

RICHARD WINSLER, an individual

No.

Plaintiff.

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VS.

KING COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND PARKS, a Washington Municipal Corporation, KING COUNTY PARKS, a Washington Municipal Corporation, and CHRISTINE TRUE directory of King County Department of Natural Resources and Parks, a Washington State Resident.

SUMMONS (20 DAY)

Defendants.

#### TO THE DEFENDANT:

A lawsuit has been started against you in the above entitled court by Richard Winsler, plaintiff. Plaintiffs' claim is stated in the written complaint, a copy of which is served upon you with this summons.

In order to defend against this lawsuit, you must respond to the complaint by stating your defense in writing, and by serving a copy upon the person signing this summons within 20 days after the service of this summons, excluding the day of service, or a default judgment may be

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entered against you without notice. A default judgment is one where plaintiff is entitled to what he asks for because you have not responded. If you serve a notice of appearance on the undersigned person, you are entitled to notice before a default judgment may be entered.

You may demand that the plaintiff file this lawsuit with the court. If you do so, the demand must be in writing and must be served upon the person signing this summons. Within 14 days after you serve the demand, the plaintiff must file this lawsuit with the court, or the service on you of this summons and complaint will be void.

If you wish to seek the advice of an attorney in this matter, you should do so promptly so that your written response, if any, may be served on time.

This summons is issued pursuant to Rule 4 of the Superior Court Civil Rules of the State of Washington.

DATED this 14th day of September, 2018.

THE ROSENBERG LAW GROUP, PLLC Attorneys for Plaintiff

<u>/s/ Jeffrey Gates</u> Jeffrey Gates, WSBA #45422

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Complaint for Writ of Mandamus and Damages

COMES NOW Plaintiffs, by and through their attorneys of record, and for cause of action against the Defendant states as follows.

#### I. PARTIES

 Plaintiff – Richard Winsler: Richard Winsler is an individual living in Washington State.

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- 10. According to the King County Parks Marymoor website located at <a href="https://www.kingcounty.gov/services/parks-recreation/parks/parks-and-natural-lands/popular-parks/marymoor.aspx">https://www.kingcounty.gov/services/parks-recreation/parks/parks-and-natural-lands/popular-parks/marymoor.aspx</a>, applications for professional dog walker permit applications are to be submitted to marymoorpark@kingcounty.gov.
- 11. On December 5, 2015, Mr. Winsler emailed a request to <a href="marymoorpark@kingcounty.gov">marymoorpark@kingcounty.gov</a> application for a professional dog walker permit at Marymoor Park.
- 12. On December 7, 2015, Mr. Winsler received an email response to his inquiry that Defendants were not issuing Permits.
- 13. In December of 2016, Mr. Winsler sent a similar email, and received a similar response that the Defendants were not issuing Permits.
- 14. On December 8, 2017, Mr. Winsler sent an email to the Marymoor Park Front Desk requesting an application for a Permit. He sent a follow up email on December 14, 2017.
- 15. On December 21, 2017, Defendants informed Plaintiff Winsler that no applications were being accepted for the year, and that they would not process an application submitted by him. All they would do is provide a sample application and stated that no permit for Mr. Winsler would issue for 2018.
- 16. On several occasions, the Defendants have required Mr. Winsler to leave Marymoor Park because he does not have a permit issued by the Defendants.
- 17. Defendants have filed to follow the requirements and procedure of FES 7-1, which mandate the acceptance of Mr. Winsler's application and the issuance of a permit to conduct his otherwise lawful business activity.
- 18. For over four (4) years, Defendants have refused to issue a permit or allow Mr. Winsler to apply for a permit despite the fact he meets all of the requirements of FES 7-1.

#### IV. FIRST CAUSE OF ACTION: RCW 7.16.160 WRIT OF MANDAMUS

- 19. Plaintiff realleges and incorporates by reference paragraphs 1 through 18 of this Complaint.
- 20. Under FES-1, the King County Parks department is under a clear duty to review applications for, and to issue professional dog walker permits for applications that have met the requirements identified in FES-1. The issuance of a permit is not discretionary and is a ministerial act because FES-1 does not grant the Defendants authority to modify or change the requirements and procedures of the rule.
- 21. Although FES-1 has an appeal process under ¶6.5, the appeal procedures only apply when a permit is revoked, or when a permit application is denied. Because the Defendants have refused to accept Mr. Winsler's application, he is unable to file an appeal since neither of these circumstances apply. Therefore, he has no other adequate remedy because he is unable to file an allowable appeal under FES-1.
- 22. Mr. Winsler has applied for a permit, but the Defendants have in no way acted on his application and in fact, have refused to process his application in the slightest.
- 23. Based on the allegations herein, a peremptory writ of mandamus, or an alternative writ of mandamus requiring the Defendants to show cause should be granted.

#### V. SECOND CAUSE OF ACTION: RCW 7.16.260 JUDGMENT FOR DAMAGES

- 24. Plaintiff realleges and incorporates by reference paragraphs 1 through 24 of this Complaint.
- 25. Defendants have failed to perform their minstrel duties in accordance with FES-1. Their actions are arbitrary and capricious and have caused the Mr. Winsler to suffer damages including costs and attorney fees in bringing this action.
- 26. Mr. Winsler therefore requests an award of damages, including costs and attorney fees as authorized under RCW 7.16.260.

VII. PRAYER FOR RELIEF

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Defendants.

#### I. RELIEF REQUESTED

COME NOW Plaintiff Richard Winsler, by and though his attorney of record, Jeffrey
Gates of Rosenberg Law Group PLLC, and respectfully move the Court for a Writ of Mandamus
that directs the Defendants to issue a Professional Dog Services Concession Permit (herein
"Permit") because he has complied with the requirements outlined in FES 7-1 of the King
County Public Rules and Regulations authorizing the issuance of such permits.

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#### II. FACTS

On August 5, 2011, the King County Department of Natural Resources and Parks enacted Rule FES 7.1 (PR) (Declaration of Richard Winsler in support of Application for Writ of Mandamus (herein "Winsler Decl."), ¶16, Exhibit E. It was enacted under the authority of King County Code "K.C.C") Chapter 4.57 and K.C.C. 7.12.040 to issue licenses or permits for the use of a King County park for a private dog service business. FES 7-1, §6.1. FES 7-1 refers to such licenses or permits as "Permits". FES 7-1, §6.2.

FES 7-1 identifies a step by step procedure for the issuance of a permit. FES 7-1, §7.0. It requires that a Dog Service Business do the following in order to obtain a permit: "Submit application, fee payment for Professional Dog Services Concession Permit to Parks and Recreation Division. (See 6.1 of these rules for application requirements)." *Id*.

Upon completion of the above-mentioned tasks, the Parks and Recreation Division Staff are required to do the following: Review application for completeness. Collect fee, issue receipt. Issue permit. *Id.*,

In 1998 Mr. Winsler began a professional dog walking business known as "Catch Me if You Can" which is now known as WOOF-Dog Adventures, LLC. (Declaration of Richard Winsler in support of Application for Writ of Mandamus (herein "Winsler Decl."), ¶3).

According to the King County Parks Marymoor website located at <a href="https://www.kingcounty.gov/services/parks-recreation/parks/parks-and-natural-lands/popular-parks/marymoor.aspx">https://www.kingcounty.gov/services/parks-recreation/parks/parks-and-natural-lands/popular-parks/marymoor.aspx</a>, applications for professional dog walker permit applications are to be submitted to <a href="maisted-marymoorpark@kingcounty.gov">marymoorpark@kingcounty.gov</a>.

On December 5, 2015, Mr. Winsler emailed a request to <a href="marymoorpark@kingcounty.gov">marymoorpark@kingcounty.gov</a> application for a professional dog walker permit at Marymoor Park. (Winsler Decl., ¶4, Exhibit A).

On December 7, 2015, Mr. Winsler received an email response to his inquiry that Defendants were not issuing Permits. (Winsler Decl., ¶5).

In December of 2016, Mr. Winsler sent a similar email, and received a similar response that the Defendants were not issuing Permits. (Winsler Decl., ¶6)

On December 8, 2017, Mr. Winsler sent an email to the Marymoor Park Front Desk requesting an application for a Permit. He sent a follow up email on December 14, 2017. (Winsler Decl., ¶7).

On December 21, 2017, Defendants informed Plaintiff Winsler that no applications were being accepted for the year, and that they would not process an application submitted by him. All they would do is provide a sample application and stated that no permit for Mr. Winsler would issue for 2018. (Winsler Decl., ¶8, Exhibit B).

On several occasions, the Defendants have required Mr. Winsler to leave Marymoor Park because he does not have a permit issued by the Defendants. (Winsler Decl., ¶13).

Defendants have filed to follow the requirements and procedure of FES 7-1, which mandate the acceptance of Mr. Winsler's application and the issuance of a permit to conduct his otherwise lawful business activity.

For over four (4) years, Defendants have refused to issue a permit or allow Mr. Winsler to apply for a permit despite the fact he meets all of the requirements of FES 7-1. (Winsler Decl., ¶10-12, Exhibits C and D).

#### III. ARGUMENT AND LEGAL AUTHORITY

A Writ of Mandamus shall issue where three elements are met: "(1) the party subject to the writ is under a clear duty to act, RCW 7.16.160; (2) the applicant has no 'plain, speedy and adequate remedy in the ordinary course of law,' RCW 7.16.170; and (3) the applicant is 'beneficially interested.' RCW 7.16.170."

a) Defendants are under a clear duty to act, because the acceptance of a permit application and its issuance are Ministerial, not a Discretionary Acts.

Defendants, by and though FES 7-1, are under a clear duty to both accept an application for a Permit, and to issue a Permit when specific conditions are met.

"In terms of duty, mandamus, if appropriate, tells the respondent what to do, but not how to do it." *Eugster v. City of Spokane*, 118 Wn. App. 383, 76 P.3d 741, (Div. III, 2003)

An ordinance is interpreted "to best advance" the agency's legislative purpose. *State v. C.J.*, 148 Wn. 2d 672, 685, 63 P.3d 765 (2003) (citing *Morris v. Blaker*, 118 Wn.2d 133, 143, 821 P.2d 482 (1992)). Furthermore, language cannot be added to an unambiguous rule even if the department, "intended something else but did not adequately express it." *Kilian v. Atkinson*, 147 Wn.2d 16, 20, 50 P.3d 638 (2002) (citing *Wash. State Coalition for the Homeless v. Dep't of Soc. & Health Servs.*, 133 Wn.2d 894, 904, 949 P.2d 1291 (1997)). The purpose of the King County Parks is that:

The playgrounds, activity centers, pools and other facilities of the division are established by law for public recreation purposes, including, but not limited to, the provision of community services by third parties.

K.C.C. 7.12.020 (emphasis added).

Here, Defendants' standards toward the issuance of a Permit are clearly defined in FES 7-1. The ordinance makes approval of a Permit mandatory if objective, content-neutral facts are established. (See FES 7-1, §6.2). Those facts are as follows:

6.2.1 Payment of current annual Professional Dog Services Concession Permit fee to Parks and Recreation Division each calendar year, and an impact fee which is paid to King County Parks Division or to an approved park stewardship organization such as Serve Our Dog Areas (S.O.D.A.) or; in lieu of cash payment of impact fee, performance of approved, documented park stewardship hours equivalent to the impact fee.

- 6.2.2 Possession of valid insurance coverage. See Appendix 9.1
- 6.2.3 Possession of current Washington State Business License.

6.2.4 Adherence to the "Rules of Conduct for Professional Dog Services Concession Permit Holder," See Appendix 9.2.

FES 7-1, §6.2.1 – 4.

Furthermore, the rule sets forth the sole grounds for the revocation or denial of a Permit or its application. Those grounds are: (1) Concessionaires who engage in Bad Behavior as defined in Section 6.3.1, (2) who fail to comply with Permit terms or the Permit code of conduct, (3) who fail to comply with King County Code Chapter 7.12 (Rules for Park Use), or (4) who commits an act which, if proven, would be a violation of RCW Title 9A. FES 7-1 §6.4. Although the rule does not expressly make issuance of a license mandatory when grounds for denial are not present, it must be so construed. Otherwise, there would be an unconstitutional absence of standards to guide licensing officials. See *Kunz v. New York*, 340 U.S. 290, 293, 71 S.Ct. 312, 314, 95 L.Ed. 280 (1950).

The first step in the process is for the Dog Service Business to "Submit application..."

This is a condition precedent to the payment of any fees. Defendants have refused to accept Plaintiff's application, despite Plaintiff's willingness to pay the fees. (Winsler Decl., ¶10).

Plaintiff has valid insurance coverage. (Winsler Decl., ¶12, Exhibit D). Plaintiff has possession of a current Washington State Business License (Winsler Decl., ¶11, Exhibit C).

Because Plaintiff has complied with the requirements of the Public Rule, the Defendants have no discretion to deny the acceptance and issuance of a Permit. Thus, issuance is a ministerial action which mandamus must compel. See *State ex rel. Klappsa v. Enumclaw*, 73 Wn.2d 451, 453, 439 P.2d 246 (1968); *State ex rel. Craven v. Tacoma*, 63 Wn.2d 23, 27, 385 P.2d 372 (1963); *Teed v. King Cy.*, 36 Wn. App. 635, 643-644, 677 P.2d 179 (1984).

b) Defendants have refused to accept Plaintiff's application for a Permit, Preventing Plaintiff from Filing an Appeal to Defendants and exercising the only plain, speedy and adequate remedy allowed by FES 7-1.

Because Defendants refuse to allow the submission of an application for a Permit, the sole form of redress, that being an appeal as identified in the Public Rule, is unavailable to Plaintiff. Without any alternative avenues, a writ of mandamus must issue.

Broadly, the remedy issue turns on whether the duty the plaintiff seeks to enforce "cannot be directly enforced" by any means other than mandamus. Eugster, 118 Wn.App. at 414 (citing *Bd. of Liquidation v. McComb*, 92 U.S. 531, 536, 23 L.Ed. 531, 2 Otto 531 (1875)).

FES 7-1 permits "[a]ny Concessionaire whose Permit is revoked, or whose Permit application is denied, may, within fourteen (14) days of the service of the Notice, file a written appeal with the Director..." FES 7-1, §6.5. Defendants have revoked or denied Plaintiff's application, instead, they have simply refused to accept the application. (Winsler Decl., ¶10). Because no revocation or denial has taken place, Plaintiff's ability to avail himself to the appeal process identified in the rule is unavailable.

Because Mr. Winsler cannot avail himself to the protections contained in FES 7-1 to prevent the erroneous depravation of a permit, he has not other adequate remedy at law and must seek relief though a Writ of Mandamus.

c) Plaintiff is heneficially interested because he has attempted to apply for a Permit, but Defendants failed to process and issue a Permit to him.

Whether Plaintiff is beneficially interested relates to whether he "has an interest in the action beyond that shared in common with other citizens." *Retired Pub. Employees Council v. Charles*, 148 Wn. 2d 602, 616, 62 P.3d 470 (2003) (*citing State ex rel. Lay v. Simpson*, 173 Wn. 512, 513, 23 P.2d 886 (1933)).

Mr. Winsler owns and operates a professional dog walking business. (Winsler Decl., ¶3). Unlike a normal Washington State Citizen, he cannot within the confines of FES 7-1, walk dogs within the Marymoor public park because the rule only applies to businesses. FES 7-1 imposes a restriction, the need to obtain a permit to conduct his lawful business, on Mr. Winsler which is

not shared in common with other citizens. Even if a citizen owns fifteen (15), twenty (20), or even a hundred (100) dogs and wishes to walk them at the same time in Marymoor park, they would not be subject to the same restriction as Mr. Winsler. (Winsler Decl., ¶14). The loss of an ability to walk dogs within the park has a negative impact on Mr. Winsler's business including his ability to obtain new clients. (Winsler Decl., ¶14).

#### IV. CONCLUSION

Plaintiff is able to demonstrate his entitlement to a writ of mandamus because the Defendants are under a clear duty to issue permits to those who are in compliance with FES 7-1, that Mr. Winsler is in fact in compliance with FES 7-1, cannot avail himself to the administrative appeal process in FES 7-1 due to the Defendants refusal to accept his application, and has suffered a unique harm to his legitimate business that is beyond that of an average resident of King County.

For the foregoing reasons, a writ must be issues in favor of the Plaintiff.

DATED this 7th day of December 2018

/s Jeffrey Gates

Jeffrey Gates, WSBA #45422 The Rosenberg Law Group, PLLC 500 Union Street, Suite 510 Seattle, WA 98101 (206) 407-3300 (Phone) Jeffrey@RosenbergLawGroup.net

I certify that this memorandum contains [1,926] words, in compliance with the LCR.

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Defendants.

NO. 18-2-23056-0 SEA

**DECLARATION OF RICHARD** WINSLER IN SUPPORT OF APPLICATION FOR WRIT OF **GARNISHMENT** 

I, Richard Winsler, declare that:

- 1. I am the Plaintiff in the above-captioned action.
- 2. I am over the age of 18 and competent to testify as to the matters herein.
- 3. In 1998, I began a professional dog walking business known as "Catch Me if you Can". I changed the name to WOOF-Dog Adventures, LLC in March, 2018.
- 4. On December 5, 2015, I emailed a request to marymoorpark@kingcounty.gov application for a professional dog walker permit at Marymoor Park. It is attached hereto as **Exhibit A**.

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- 5. On December 7, 2015, I received an email response to my inquiry that King County was not issuing any permits.
- 6. In December of 2016, I sent a similar email request to apply for the permit and received the same response from King County saying they were not issuing permits.
- 7. On December 8, 2017, I sent an email to the same address requesting an application for a permit. They did not respond. I sent a follow up email on December 14, 2017.
- 8. On December 21, 2017, King County informed me that no applications were being accepted for the year, and that they would not process an application submitted by me. All they would do is provide a sample application and stated that no permits would be issue for 2018.

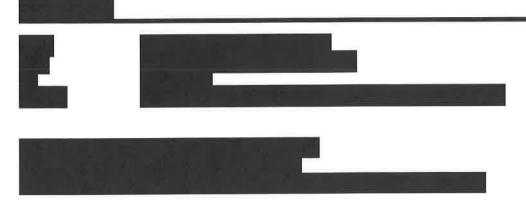
  Attached hereto are true and correct copies of my emails as **Exhibit B**.
- 9. I meet all of the requirements of FES 7-1, the rule which requires permits for professional dog walkers at Marymoor Park.
- 10. For over four (4) years, the Defendants have refused to issue me a permit, or even allow me to pay the fees to apply for one.
  - 11. I currently hold a valid business license, attached hereto as Exhibit C.
- 12. I currently have liability insurance, a copy of those policy documents is attached hereto as **Exhibit D**.
- 13. On or about January 15, 2016 I was asked to leave Marymoor Park because I did not have a permit. I was asked to leave on multiple occasions in 2017 as well, for the same reason.
- 14. Unless I am able to obtain a permit, I cannot operate my legitimate professional dog waking business.

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## Exhibit A



From: DNRP Marymoor Park Front Desk < marymoorpark@kingcounty.gov >

**Date:** December 7, 2015 at 4:41:41 PM PST **To:** 'Richard W.' <walkthek9@msn.com>

Subject: RE: Request for application for Professional Dog Walker Permit

Hello,

We are not issuing new professional dog-walker permits at this time.

Thank you for your Inquiry.

From: Richard W. [mailto:walkthek9@msn.com] Sent: Saturday, December 05, 2015 11:12 AM

To: DNRP Marymoor Park Front Desk

Subject: Request for application for Professional Dog Walker Permit

I am requesting an application for a 2016 dog walker permit at Marymoor.

Please email me the application.

Thank you-

Have a dog-gone great day!

Richard Winsler

Email: walkthek9@msn.com

206-384-1221

## Exhibit B



From: Richard Winsler < walkthek9@gmail.com > Date: December 28, 2017 at 7:00:31 AM PST

To: "Perkins, Matthew" < Matthew.Perkins@kingcounty.gov>

Cc: DNRP Marymoor Park Front Desk < marymoorpark@kingcounty.gov >,

norah.robinson@kingcounty.gov Subject: Re: Dog Walker Permit

Ok.

So at any time people on the "interest" list may be called upon, correct? And I am third on the list of 25, correct?

Has your department considered making more permits available? Clearly there is a need to do so. Or allow a time slot for more Permit holders.

For example- 12 permits have use of Marymoor from 9am-12pm.

12 additional permits have use of Marymoor from 12-3. Or a new system that is similar.

Or even a lottery system perhaps.

It is biased to automatically renew current permits without ever allowing new permits to be issued.

Sincerely, Richard Winsler

On Dec 21, 2017, at 1:11 PM, Perkins, Matthew < <a href="mailto:Matthew.Perkins@kingcounty.gov">Matthew.Perkins@kingcounty.gov</a>> wrote:

Dear Mr. Winsler:

Twenty-five people are on the interest list. Your name is third on that list, where it listed with your contact number as 206-384-1221 and email address as <a href="walkthek9@msn.com">walkthek9@msn.com</a>. If you need that information updated, please let us know.

I have attached a sample 2018 Professional Dog Services Concession Permit application. We are not, however, accepting any new Professional Dog Services Permit applications for 2018.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

**Matthew Perkins** 

Parks and Recreation Division

p: 477-4527

e: matthew.perkins@kingcounty.gov

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----Original Message----

From: Richard Winsler [mailto:walkthek9@gmail.com]

Sent: Friday, December 15, 2017 8:50 AM

To: Perkins, Matthew < Matthew.Perkins@kingcounty.gov >

Cc: DNRP Marymoor Park Front Desk < marymoorpark@kingcounty.gov>

Subject: Re: Dog Walker Permit

Great, we appreciate the acknowledgment and look forward to the email next week.

Thank you,

Richard Winsler

Have a dog gone great day!

Pawed from my iPhone-WOOF!

On Dec 15, 2017, at 10:32 AM, Perkins, Matthew <a href="mailto:Amatthew.Perkins@kingcounty.gov">Matthew.Perkins@kingcounty.gov</a>> wrote:

Mr. Winsler,

This email acknowledges King County Parks has received your email of December 8 and your two emails of December 14. We will be in touch via email next week to follow-up with you.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Matthew Perkins

Parks and Recreation Division

p: 477-4527

e: matthew.perkins@kingcounty.gov

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----Original Message-----

From: Richard Winsler [mailto:walkthek9@gmail.com]

Sent: Thursday, December 14, 2017 8:18 AM

To: DNRP Marymoor Park Front Desk

Subject: Dog Walker Permit

According to King County website I need to email you for a 2018 application to receive a dog walker permit.

Please send me one ASAP or email it to me.

I look forward to your response.

Thank you-

Richard Winsler 535 13th Ave East #405 Seattle, WA. 98102

Have a dog gone great day! Pawed from my iPhone-WOOF! Have a dog gone great day!

Pawed from my iPhone-WOOF!

<2018 Sample Professional Dog Service Permit-Application.pdf>

## Exhibit C



### **BUSINESS LICENSE**

**Limited Liability Company** 

WOOF-DOG ADVENTURES, LLC WOOF-DOG ADVENTURES, LLC 7520 33RD AVE NE SEATTLE, WA 98115-4706

TAX REGISTRATION #604-264-159 - ACTIVE

REGISTERED TRADE NAMES: WOOF-DOG ADVENTURES,LLC

This document lists the registrations, endorsements, and licenses authorized for the business named above. By accepting this document, the licensee certifies the information on the application was complete, true, and accurate to the best of his or her knowledge, and that business will be conducted in compliance with all applicable Washington state, county, and city regulations.

Director, Department of Revenue

Unified Business ID #: 604264159 Business ID #: 001

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STATE OF WASHINGTON

BI: 604264159 001 0001

OOF-DOG ADVENTURES, LLC OOF-DOG ADVENTURES,LLC 320 33RD AVE NE EATTLE, WA 98115-4708 TAX REGISTRATION #604-264-159 -



Secretary of State

I, KIM WYMAN, Secretary of State of the State of Washington and custodian of its seal, hereby issue this

#### **CERTIFICATE OF FORMATION**

to

#### WOOF-DOG ADVENTURES, LLC

A WA LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, effective on the date indicated below.

Effective Date: 03/28/2018 UBI Number: 604 264 159 - MEDITOR



CERTIFIC .

MARKET >

Given under my hand and the Seal of the State of Washington at Olympia, the State Capital

Kim Wyman, Secretary of State

Date Issued: 03/28/2018

# Exhibit D



THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED TO THE FOLLOWING INSURED MEMBER:

### Richard Winsler II

Membership ID Number: 51660 Policy Number: 3ED4158

**WOOOF- Dog Adventures, LLC** 

7520 33rd Ave Ne Seattle, WA 98115 (206) 384-1221

For association questions and/or questions about your insurance plan, please contact PSA headquarters at (855) 737-1598 or (715) 831-6004.

Pet Daycare & Boarding Locations: Richard Winsler, 7520 33rd Ave NE

## Member Certificate In Dues Liability Program

Membership Effective: 04/10/2018 Membership Expires: 04/10/2019

Optional Coverage: Pet Daycare & Boarding

LIMITS OF INSURANCE BODILY INJURY OR PROPERTY DAMAGE:

\$1,000,000 Each Occurrence \$2,000,000 General Aggregate

\$1,000,000 Personal and Advertising Injury

\$2,000,000 Products / Completed Operations Aggregate Limit

\$100,000 Damage to Premises Rented to You

\$15,000 Each Occurrence for loss of pets in your care, custody or control

\$30,000 Annual Aggregate for loss of pets in your care, custody or control

\$1,000 Each Occurrence / \$5,000 Annual Aggregate Veterinarian Expense

\$2,000 Lost Key coverage for Re-keying of customer's homes

\$5,000 Medical Expense Limit

Administered by: RPS Eau Claire, Eau Claire, WI. Underwritten by: Evanston Insurance Company

File a claim online or call: 1-844-777-8323

**\$500 per occurrence deductible toward vet expense** for any claim arising out of the voluntary releasing of a pet in your care, custody or control from its leash, outside of the above ground fenced yard of the pet's owner's or pet sitter's residence (if the optional pet daycare & boarding coverage is purchased).

View coverage forms at: www.petsitllc.com/members/

Date: 09/19/2018 Authorized Representative:



## Exhibit E

### ORIGINAL



## King County Public Rules and Regulations

Public Rules

Title	Document Code No
Permit Requirements and Procedures for Professional Dog Service Business Use of Parks and Recreation Division Property.	FES 7-1 (PR)
Department/Issuing Agency	Date
Department of Natural Resources and Parks	August 5, 2011
	/ Director of KC
Dept of Natura	al Resources and Parks

- 1.0 SUBJECT/TITLE: Permit Requirements and Procedures for Professional Dog Service Business Use of Parks and Recreation Division Property.
  - 1.1 <u>EFFECTIVE DATE</u>: 30 days after approval date
  - 1.2 TYPE OF ACTION: New
  - 1.3 <u>KEYWORDS</u>: Dog Walker; Permit Fee; Marymoor Park; Concession; Pet Sitting; Off-Leash; Dog Park; Dog Day Care.
- **2.0 PURPOSE:** To implement the provisions of King County Code Chapter 7.12.150 by issuance of concessionaire permits to manage professional dog service business operations on King County Parks Division property.
- 3.0 ORGANIZATIONS AFFECTED: Department of Natural Resources and Parks; Pet Service Providers; Purchaser or the public.

#### 4.0 **REFERENCES**:

- 4.1 King County Code Chapter (K.C.C.) 4.57 Revenue and Financial Regulation
- 4.2 K.C.C. 7.12.150 Parks and Recreation -Rules for use of Facilities Sale of goods or services.
- 4.3 K.C.C. 7.12.040 Parks and Recreation Rules for use of Facilities Permits
- 4.4 K.C.C. 7.12.670 Parks and Recreation Rules for use of Facilities Administrative Sanctions
- 4.5 Revised Code of Washington (RCW) Title 9A Washington Criminal Code

#### 5.0 **DEFINITIONS**:

5.1 "Professional Dog Service Business" refers to a private enterprise that provides services to individuals related to the care or training of pet dogs.

- 5.2 "Concession" means the privilege or authority to sell goods or services within parks and recreation facilities or to operate parks and recreation facilities or a portion thereof.
- 5.3 "Permit" means an authorization for the use of parks and recreation facilities that imposes conditions on the permittee in addition to those conditions imposed on the general public.

#### 6.0 POLICIES:

- King County Code ("K.C.C.") Chapter 4.57 and K.C.C. 7.12.040 authorize the Parks and Recreation Division to issue a concession license or permit to conduct a business, such as a professional dog-walking business, in a King County park or recreation facility. Such licenses or permits are referred to herein as a "Permit." The holder of a Permit is referred to herein as a "Concessionaire"
- To use a King County park for a private dog service business, the business must obtain an annual Professional Dog Services Concession Permit from King County Parks and Recreation Division. Permit requirements are:
  - 6.2.1 Payment of current annual Professional Dog Services Concession Permit fee to Parks and Recreation Division each calendar year, and an impact fee which is paid to King County Parks Division or to an approved park stewardship organization such as Serve Our Dog Areas (S.O.D.A.) or; in lieu of cash payment of impact fee, performance of approved, documented park stewardship hours equivalent to the impact fee. The annual permit and impact fee rates will be published in the Parks and Recreation Division Fees in December for the following year. 2011 rates are as follows:

Permit Fee	\$98		
Impact Fee	\$.52 X estimated number of visits per dog, per year, maximum \$702 per permit each calendar		
Stewardship Hours Credit	\$20/hour, up to 35 hours		

- 6.2.2 Possession of valid insurance coverage. See Appendix 9.1
- 6.2.3 Possession of current Washington State Business License.
- 6.2.4 Adherence to the "Rules of Conduct for Professional Dog Services Concession Permit Holder," See Appendix 9.2.
- 6.3 <u>Enforcement:</u> King County's strong preference is for Concessionaires to voluntarily comply with their Permit, and to self-police each other. Except for Bad Behavior as

described in Section 6.3.1, the initial method of Permit enforcement will be by a request for voluntary compliance. The person making the request for voluntary compliance should document the date, time, place, and manner (oral or written) in which the request is made, but such documentation is not mandatory. Inadvertent or minor violations that might otherwise be grounds for Permit revocation will ordinarily be corrected or resolved without Permit revocation.

- 6.3.1 Bad Behavior will not be tolerated. Bad Behavior includes, but is not limited to fighting, insults, profanity, threats, or other unlawful, violent, aggressive, rude, abusive, or plainly discourteous behavior. Each incident or type of Bad Behavior constitutes an independent and separate basis for King County to revoke a Permit, or to deny a subsequent Permit application. For Permit purposes, a "threat" is a statement that objectively communicates, to a particular individual or group of individuals, a serious expression of an intent to commit an act of unlawful violence. It is irrelevant whether the person making the threat subjectively intends to carry it out.
- 6.3.2 Enforcement may be based on observations by King County staff, by the King County Sheriff or sheriff's deputies ("the Sheriff"), by the Division Director or his or her designee ("the Director"), or upon civilian reports that would ordinarily be relied upon by police officers in the determination of probable cause.
- Revocation: The Director may revoke the Permit of any Concessionaire who engages in Bad Behavior as defined in Section 6.3.1, who fails to comply with Permit terms or the Permit code of conduct, who fails to comply with King County Code Chapter 7.12 (Rules for Park Use), or who commits an act which, if proven, would be a violation of RCW Title 9A. The Director's factual determinations shall have no collateral estoppel effect on any subsequent criminal prosecution or civil proceeding other than an appeal from the Director's decision, and shall not preclude litigation of those same facts in such other criminal prosecution or civil proceeding.
  - 6.4.1 To revoke a Permit or deny a Permit application, the Sheriff or the Director will deliver a notice ("the Notice") in person to the Concessionaire or applicant, or by first class and certified mail to the last known address of the Permit holder or applicant. The Notice is deemed served and effective on the date the Notice is delivered in person, or three (3) days after the date the Notice is mailed (each, the "Revocation/Denial Date").
  - 6.4.2 A Concessionaire whose Permit is revoked, or whose Permit application is denied, may not apply for a new Permit until January 1 of the following calendar year, or until six (6) months have elapsed from the Revocation/Denial Date, whichever is longer.
- 6.5 Appeal Process: Any Concessionaire whose Permit is revoked, or whose Permit application is denied, may, within fourteen (14) days of the service of the Notice, file a written appeal with the Director by mailing or delivering it to the Director at the mailing address listed below. E-mail and fax are not acceptable.

- The written appeal must succinctly state the reasons that the initial decision 6.5.1should be modified or reversed and, to the extent applicable, must be accompanied by copies of the Permit or the Permit application, the Notice, and any other papers that may be relevant to the appeal.
- The Director will review the appeal, without a hearing, based solely on the written 6.5.2 materials provided by the person filing the appeal ("the Appellant"), by King County staff or agents, and by any third-party witnesses.
- 6.5.3 Within fourteen (14) days of the date on which the appeal is received, the Director must serve upon the Appellant a notice that the Director has affirmed. modified or reversed the initial decision. Such notice is deemed served upon the Appellant when it is personally delivered, or when it is sent by United States mail, with proper postage prepaid, to the name and address set forth on the Permit, the Permit application, or the appeal request. If such notice is not served upon the Appellant within fourteen (14) days of the date upon which the appeal is received, then the Permit revocation or application denial will be deemed reversed.
- 6.5.4 Appeals and other concession permit-related correspondence should be directed to:

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Director's Office Parks and Recreation Division King County Department of Natural Resources and Parks 201 S. Jackson St. #700 Seattle, WA 98104

#### PROCEDURES: 7.0

Action By

Dog Service Business	4	Submit application, fee payment for Professional Dog Services Concession Permit to Parks and Recreation Division. (See 6.1 of these rules for application requirements).
Parks and Recreation Division Staff		Review application for completeness. Collect fee, issue receipt.  Issue permit.

Dog Service Business Participate in approved stewardship activities if necessary. Submit documentation of participation to Parks and Recreation Division.

Issue permit.

Parks and Recreation Division Staff

Verify documented participation. Record in permit holder file. Monitor permit holder compliance. Send notice of compliance or non-compliance to permit holders mid-year and end-of-year.

#### 8.0 RESPONSIBILITIES:

#### **Action By**

#### Action

Dog Service Business

- Apply for permit;
- Pay applicable permit fee;
- · Comply with the terms of permit;

Parks and Recreation Division Staff

- Review application for completeness.
- Process permit fees.
- Issue permits.
- Respond to inquiries and complaints from permit holders and public.
- Enforce compliance with permit requirements.

#### 9.0 Appendices:

#### 9.1 CONCESSION PERMIT HOLDER INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS

Commercial General Liability. Each concession permit holder ("Concessionaire") shall procure and maintain, for the duration of their permit, commercial general liability insurance against claims for injuries of persons or damages to property, which may arise from or in connection with Concessionaire's use of King County property. Such insurance shall be as broad as that provided by the Commercial General Liability "occurrence" form CG0001 (to include Products – Completed Operation) (ed. 11/88). The insurance limits shall be no less than One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) per occurrence for bodily injury and property damage, and Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) aggregate limit.

<u>Automobile Liability</u>. Concessionaire must have automobile insurance or other financial responsibility sufficient to comply with Washington State law (RCW chapter 46.30, Mandatory Liability Insurance, as now codified or hereafter amended).

Workers' Compensation. If Concessionaire has employees, then Statutory Workers' Compensation and One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) Employer's Liability/Stop Gap coverage is required.

The required liability insurance policies (except Automobile and Workers' Compensation) are to be endorsed to:

- Name "King County, its officers, officials, agents and employees" as additional insureds with respect to use of the Site as outlined in this Agreement (Form CG 2026 or its equivalent);
- Such coverage shall be primary and non-contributory insurance as respects King County;
- State that Concessionaire's insurance shall apply separately to each insured against whom claim is made or suit is brought, except with respect to the limits of the insurer's liability; and
- State that coverage shall not be suspended, voided, canceled, reduced in coverage or in limits, except after forty-five (45) days prior written notice to King County.

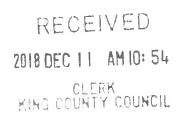
The insurance provider must be licensed to do business in the State of Washington and have a Bests' rating of A-VIII or better. Any deductible or self-insured retention must have been declared to and approved by King County. The deductible and/or self-insured retention of the policies shall not limit or apply to Concessionaire's liability to King County and shall be the sole responsibility of Concessionaire.

Concessionaire to Assess Own Risks. By requiring such minimum insurance as specified herein, King County may not be deemed or construed to have assessed the risks that may be applicable to Concessionaire. Concessionaire will assess his or her own risks and, if Concessionaire deems appropriate or prudent, or both, Concessionaire should maintain greater limits or broader coverage.

## 9.2 RULES OF CONDUCT FOR PROFESSIONAL DOG SERVICES CONCESSION PERMIT HOLDER

- 1. Limit pack to ten (10) dogs per visit (or maximum specified in pro rata/reduced use permit).
- 2. Wear current Marymoor Permit ID in a manner visible to the public at all times, using vest provided by the County.
- 3. Display current Marymoor Parking Permit in approved manner on vehicle.
- 4. Park in the Northeast parking lot, Lot G, unless otherwise approved or directed by park personnel.
- 5. Limit dog service-related visits to Monday thru Friday 10:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m. (or as specified in pro rata/reduced use permit).
- 6. Maintain professionalism:
  - \* Keep your pack moving.
  - \* Avoid distractions such as texting, listening to music, talking on a cell phone, etc.
  - Limit conversations with patrons or other dog walkers to a short duration.
  - Maintain voice control over your pack.
  - Devote full attention to your pack to the maximum extent practicable.
  - Exhibit courteous behavior with all people and dogs you encounter.
  - \* Fighting, insults, profanity, threats, or other unlawful, violent, aggressive, rude, abusive, or plainly discourteous behavior will NOT be tolerated.
  - \* Ensure all dogs in your pack wear a collar with a current pet license and identification with your contact information.
  - Stop dogs in your pack from digging.
  - \* Keep dogs out of off-limit areas, such as fenced areas along the river, athletic fields, Community Garden, and areas of re-growth.
  - \* Immediately stop bothersome dog behavior (e.g., repetitive barking, extended growling, fighting, mounting, etc.).
  - Properly dispose of bagged waste in designated trash receptacles.

- 7. Maintain distance from the public whenever possible:
  - a. Avoid busy water stops or groups of people.
  - b. Steer away from young children and timid or little dogs.
- 8. Pre-screen dogs for your pack--bring only those with proper social skills.
- 9. Do not bring dogs that exhibit aggressive behavior.
- 10. In addition to picking up waste from the dogs in your care, pick up other waste for ten minutes —per-visit.
- 11. Bulletin board ads should be no larger than 8 ½ x 11 inches, one (1) per board, without excessive staples.
- 12. Abide by all King County and S.O.D.A. Rules, including King County Code Chapter 7.12.



## IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF KING

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF KING		
Richard Winsler	CASE NO. 18-2-23056-0 NOTICE OF COURT DATE (Judges) (NOTICE FOR HEARING)	
VS.	SEATTLE COURTHOUSE ONLY	
King County Dpt. of Nat. Res. and Parks, Et al	(Clerk's Action Required) (NTHG)	
TO: THE CLERK OF THE COURT and to all other parties por PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that an issue of law in this case directed to note this issue on the calendar checked belo	e will be heard on the date below and the Clerk is w.	
Calendar Date: January 4, 2019	Day of Week: Friday	
Nature of Motion: Application for Writ of Mandamus		
CASES ASSIGNED TO INDIVID  If oral argument on the motion is allowed (LCR 7(b)(2)), contact before filing this notice. Working Papers: The judge's name, right corner of the Judge's copy.  Without oral argument (Mon - Fri)	ct staff of assigned judge to schedule date and time date and time of hearing must be noted in the upper Judges' Mailroom at C203	
☐ With oral argument Hearing Date/Time:	Trial Date:	
Judge's Name: CHIEF CRIMINAL DEPARTM	Iriai Date:	
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You may list an address that is not your residential address Sign: s/ Jeffrey Gates Print/Type Name:	ss where you agree to accept legal documents. leffrey Gates	
WSBA # 45422 (if attorney) Attorney for: Plaintiff		
Address: 500 Union St. Suite 510	City, State, Zip Seattle, WA 98101	
Telephone: 206-407-300 Email Address: Jeffrey @	Prosenberglawgroup.net Date: 12/5/2018	

### DO NOT USE THIS FORM FOR FAMILY LAW OR EX PARTE MOTIONS.

#### LIST NAMES AND SERVICE ADDRESSES FOR ALL NECESSARY PARTIES REQUIRING NOTICE

Name Melani Pedroza, Clerk of the Council	Name
Service Address: 516 Third Avenue, Room 1200	Service Address:
City, State, Zip Seattle, WA 98104	City, State, Zip
WSBA#Atty. For:	
Telephone #: (206) 477-1020	Telephone #:
Email Address: melani.pedroza@kingcounty.gov	Email Address:
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#### **IMPORTANT NOTICE REGARDING CASES**

Party requesting hearing must file motion & affidavits separately along with this notice. List the names, addresses and telephone numbers of all parties requiring notice (including GAL) on this page. Serve a copy of this notice, with motion documents, on all parties.

The original must be filed at the Clerk's Office not less than **six** court days prior to requested hearing date, except for Summary Judgment Motions (to be filed with Clerk 28 days in advance).

THIS IS ONLY A PARTIAL SUMMARY OF THE LOCAL RULES AND ALL PARTIES ARE ADVISED TO CONSULT WITH AN ATTORNEY.

The SEATTLE COURTHOUSE is in Seattle, Washington at 516 Third Avenue. The Clerk's Office is on the sixth floor, room E609. The Judges' Mailroom is Room C203.

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### SUPERIOR COURT OF WASHINGTON COUNTY OF KING

Richard Winsler

NO. 18-2-23056-0 SEA

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CASE INFORMATION COVER SHEET AND AREA DESIGNATION

#### **CAUSE OF ACTION**

(WRM) -

MANDAMUS (WRM 2)

#### **AREA DESIGNATION**

**SEATTLE -**

Defined as all King County north of Interstate 90 and including all of Interstate 90 right of way, all of the cities of Seattle, Mercer Island, Issaquah, and North Bend, and all of Vashon and Maury Islands.

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## IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF KING

RICHARD WINSLER, an individual

Plaintiff,

VS.

KING COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND PARKS, a Washington Municipal Corporation, KING COUNTY PARKS, a Washington Municipal Corporation, and CHRISTINE TRUE directory of King County Department of Natural Resources and Parks, a Washington State Resident.

Defendants.

No.

**SUMMONS (20 DAY)** 

#### TO THE DEFENDANT:

A lawsuit has been started against you in the above entitled court by Richard Winsler, plaintiff. Plaintiffs' claim is stated in the written complaint, a copy of which is served upon you with this summons.

In order to defend against this lawsuit, you must respond to the complaint by stating your defense in writing, and by serving a copy upon the person signing this summons within 20 days after the service of this summons, excluding the day of service, or a default judgment may be

entered against you without notice. A default judgment is one where plaintiff is entitled to what he asks for because you have not responded. If you serve a notice of appearance on the undersigned person, you are entitled to notice before a default judgment may be entered.

You may demand that the plaintiff file this lawsuit with the court. If you do so, the demand must be in writing and must be served upon the person signing this summons. Within 14 days after you serve the demand, the plaintiff must file this lawsuit with the court, or the service on you of this summons and complaint will be void.

If you wish to seek the advice of an attorney in this matter, you should do so promptly so that your written response, if any, may be served on time.

This summons is issued pursuant to Rule 4 of the Superior Court Civil Rules of the State of Washington.

DATED this 14th day of September, 2018.

THE ROSENBERG LAW GROUP, PLLC Attorneys for Plaintiff

/s/ Jeffrey Gates Jeffrey Gates, WSBA #45422

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### IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF KING

Plaintiff,

RICHARD WINSLER, an individual

KING COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF

NATURAL RESOURCES AND PARKS, a

Washington Municipal Corporation, KING COUNTY PARKS DEPARTMENT, a

CHRISTINE TRUE directory of King County Department of Natural Resources and Parks, a

Washington Municipal Corporation, and

VS.

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Complaint for Writ of Mandamus and **Damages** 

COMES NOW Plaintiffs, by and through their attorneys of record, and for cause of action against the Defendant states as follows.

Defendants.

#### I. PARTIES

Plaintiff - Richard Winsler: Richard Winsler is an individual living in 1. Washington State.

COMPLAINT FOR WRIT OF MANDAMUS- 1

The Rosenberg Law Group, PLLC 500 Union Street; Suite 510 Seattle, WA 98101 206.407.3300

- 2. **Defendant King County Department of Natural Resources and Parks**: The Department of Natural Resources and Parks (herein "DNRP") is organized as a municipal corporation under RCW 36.69.010.
- 3. **Defendant King County Parks Department**: King County Parks is organized as a municipal corporation under RCW 36.69.010.
- 4. **Defendant Christine True**: Defendant Christine True (herein "True"), is the Director of the King County Department of Natural Resources and Parks.

#### II. JURISDICTION AND VENUE

5. This Court has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to RCW 2.08.010. Venue is proper in King County under RCW 4.12.020(2) and RCW 36.01.050.

#### III. FACTS

- 6. On August 5, 2011, the King County Department of Natural Resources and Parks enacted Rule FES 7.1 (PR) under the authority of King County Code "K.C.C") Chapter 4.57 and K.C.C. 7.12.040 to issue licenses or permits for the use of a King County park for a private dog service business. FES 7-1, §6.1. FES 7-1 refers to such licenses or permits as "Permits". FES 7-1, §6.2.
- 7. FES 7-1 identifies a step by step procedure for the issuance of a permit. FES 7-1, §7.0. It requires that a Dog Service Business do the following in order to obtain a permit: Submit application, fee payment for Professional Dog Services Concession Permit to Parks and Recreation Division. (See 6.1 of these rules for application requirements).
- 8. Upon completion of the above-mentioned tasks, the Parks and Recreation Division Staff are required to do the following: Review application for completeness. Collect fee, issue receipt. Issue permit.
- 9. In 1998 Mr. Winsler began a professional dog walking business known as "Catch Me if You Can".

- 10. According to the King County Parks Marymoor website located at <a href="https://www.kingcounty.gov/services/parks-recreation/parks/parks-and-natural-lands/popular-parks/marymoor.aspx">https://www.kingcounty.gov/services/parks-recreation/parks/parks-and-natural-lands/popular-parks/marymoor.aspx</a>, applications for professional dog walker permit applications are to be submitted to <a href="marymoorpark@kingcounty.gov">marymoorpark@kingcounty.gov</a>.
- 11. On December 5, 2015, Mr. Winsler emailed a request to <a href="marymoorpark@kingcounty.gov">marymoorpark@kingcounty.gov</a> application for a professional dog walker permit at Marymoor Park.
- 12. On December 7, 2015, Mr. Winsler received an email response to his inquiry that Defendants were not issuing Permits.
- 13. In December of 2016, Mr. Winsler sent a similar email, and received a similar response that the Defendants were not issuing Permits.
- 14. On December 8, 2017, Mr. Winsler sent an email to the Marymoor Park Front Desk requesting an application for a Permit. He sent a follow up email on December 14, 2017.
- 15. On December 21, 2017, Defendants informed Plaintiff Winsler that no applications were being accepted for the year, and that they would not process an application submitted by him. All they would do is provide a sample application and stated that no permit for Mr. Winsler would issue for 2018.
- 16. On several occasions, the Defendants have required Mr. Winsler to leave Marymoor Park because he does not have a permit issued by the Defendants.
- 17. Defendants have filed to follow the requirements and procedure of FES 7-1, which mandate the acceptance of Mr. Winsler's application and the issuance of a permit to conduct his otherwise lawful business activity.
- 18. For over four (4) years, Defendants have refused to issue a permit or allow Mr. Winsler to apply for a permit despite the fact he meets all of the requirements of FES 7-1.

#### IV. FIRST CAUSE OF ACTION: RCW 7.16.160 WRIT OF MANDAMUS

- 19. Plaintiff realleges and incorporates by reference paragraphs 1 through 18 of this Complaint.
- 20. Under FES-1, the King County Parks department is under a clear duty to review applications for, and to issue professional dog walker permits for applications that have met the requirements identified in FES-1. The issuance of a permit is not discretionary and is a ministerial act because FES-1 does not grant the Defendants authority to modify or change the requirements and procedures of the rule.
- 21. Although FES-1 has an appeal process under ¶6.5, the appeal procedures only apply when a permit is revoked, or when a permit application is denied. Because the Defendants have refused to accept Mr. Winsler's application, he is unable to file an appeal since neither of these circumstances apply. Therefore, he has no other adequate remedy because he is unable to file an allowable appeal under FES-1.
- 22. Mr. Winsler has applied for a permit, but the Defendants have in no way acted on his application and in fact, have refused to process his application in the slightest.
- 23. Based on the allegations herein, a peremptory writ of mandamus, or an alternative writ of mandamus requiring the Defendants to show cause should be granted.

#### V. SECOND CAUSE OF ACTION: RCW 7.16.260 JUDGMENT FOR DAMAGES

- 24. Plaintiff realleges and incorporates by reference paragraphs 1 through 24 of this Complaint.
- 25. Defendants have failed to perform their minstrel duties in accordance with FES-1. Their actions are arbitrary and capricious and have caused the Mr. Winsler to suffer damages including costs and attorney fees in bringing this action.
- 26. Mr. Winsler therefore requests an award of damages, including costs and attorney fees as authorized under RCW 7.16.260.

#### VII. PRAYER FOR RELIEF

WHEREFORE, Plaintiffs respectfully prays for the following relief:

- A. Issuance of a peremptory writ of mandamus, or an alternative writ of mandamus requiring the Defendants to show cause should be granted.
- B. Attorney fees and costs incurred by Plaintiff in this lawsuit; and
- G. For such other relief as the court may deem just or equitable.

DATED this 17th day of September, 2018.

THE ROSENBERG LAW GROUP, PLLC Attorneys for Plaintiff

/s/ Jeffrey Gates
Jeffrey Gates, WSBA #45422

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## IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF KING

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APPLICATION FOR WRIT OF MANDAMUS

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Department of Natural Resources and Parks, a
Washington State Resident.

Defendants.

### I. RELIEF REQUESTED

COME NOW Plaintiff Richard Winsler, by and though his attorney of record, Jeffrey
Gates of Rosenberg Law Group PLLC, and respectfully move the Court for a Writ of Mandamus
that directs the Defendants to issue a Professional Dog Services Concession Permit (herein
"Permit") because he has complied with the requirements outlined in FES 7-1 of the King
County Public Rules and Regulations authorizing the issuance of such permits.

APPLICATION FOR WRIT OF MANDAMUS- 1

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#### II. FACTS

On August 5, 2011, the King County Department of Natural Resources and Parks enacted Rule FES 7.1 (PR) (Declaration of Richard Winsler in support of Application for Writ of Mandamus (herein "Winsler Decl."), ¶16, Exhibit E. It was enacted under the authority of King County Code "K.C.C") Chapter 4.57 and K.C.C. 7.12.040 to issue licenses or permits for the use of a King County park for a private dog service business. FES 7-1, §6.1. FES 7-1 refers to such licenses or permits as "Permits". FES 7-1, §6.2.

FES 7-1 identifies a step by step procedure for the issuance of a permit. FES 7-1, §7.0. It requires that a Dog Service Business do the following in order to obtain a permit: "Submit application, fee payment for Professional Dog Services Concession Permit to Parks and Recreation Division. (See 6.1 of these rules for application requirements)." *Id*.

Upon completion of the above-mentioned tasks, the Parks and Recreation Division Staff are required to do the following: Review application for completeness. Collect fee, issue receipt. Issue permit. *Id.*,

In 1998 Mr. Winsler began a professional dog walking business known as "Catch Me if You Can" which is now known as WOOF-Dog Adventures, LLC. (Declaration of Richard Winsler in support of Application for Writ of Mandamus (herein "Winsler Decl."), ¶3).

According to the King County Parks Marymoor website located at <a href="https://www.kingcounty.gov/services/parks-recreation/parks/parks-and-natural-lands/popular-parks/marymoor.aspx">https://www.kingcounty.gov/services/parks-recreation/parks/parks-and-natural-lands/popular-parks/marymoor.aspx</a>, applications for professional dog walker permit applications are to be submitted to <a href="marymoorpark@kingcounty.gov">marymoorpark@kingcounty.gov</a>.

On December 5, 2015, Mr. Winsler emailed a request to <a href="marymoorpark@kingcounty.gov">marymoorpark@kingcounty.gov</a> application for a professional dog walker permit at Marymoor Park. (Winsler Decl., ¶4, Exhibit A).

On December 7, 2015, Mr. Winsler received an email response to his inquiry that Defendants were not issuing Permits. (Winsler Decl., ¶5).

In December of 2016, Mr. Winsler sent a similar email, and received a similar response that the Defendants were not issuing Permits. (Winsler Decl., ¶6)

On December 8, 2017, Mr. Winsler sent an email to the Marymoor Park Front Desk requesting an application for a Permit. He sent a follow up email on December 14, 2017. (Winsler Decl., ¶7).

On December 21, 2017, Defendants informed Plaintiff Winsler that no applications were being accepted for the year, and that they would not process an application submitted by him. All they would do is provide a sample application and stated that no permit for Mr. Winsler would issue for 2018. (Winsler Decl., ¶8, Exhibit B).

On several occasions, the Defendants have required Mr. Winsler to leave Marymoor Park because he does not have a permit issued by the Defendants. (Winsler Decl., ¶13).

Defendants have filed to follow the requirements and procedure of FES 7-1, which mandate the acceptance of Mr. Winsler's application and the issuance of a permit to conduct his otherwise lawful business activity.

For over four (4) years, Defendants have refused to issue a permit or allow Mr. Winsler to apply for a permit despite the fact he meets all of the requirements of FES 7-1. (Winsler Decl., ¶10-12, Exhibits C and D).

#### III. ARGUMENT AND LEGAL AUTHORITY

A Writ of Mandamus shall issue where three elements are met: "(1) the party subject to the writ is under a clear duty to act, RCW 7.16.160; (2) the applicant has no 'plain, speedy and adequate remedy in the ordinary course of law,' RCW 7.16.170; and (3) the applicant is 'beneficially interested.' RCW 7.16.170."

a) Defendants are under a clear duty to act, because the acceptance of a permit application and its issuance are Ministerial, not a Discretionary Acts.

Defendants, by and though FES 7-1, are under a clear duty to both accept an application for a Permit, and to issue a Permit when specific conditions are met.

"In terms of duty, mandamus, if appropriate, tells the respondent what to do, but not how to do it." Eugster v. City of Spokane, 118 Wn. App. 383, 76 P.3d 741, (Div. III, 2003)

An ordinance is interpreted "to best advance" the agency's legislative purpose. State v. C.J., 148 Wn. 2d 672, 685, 63 P.3d 765 (2003) (citing Morris v. Blaker, 118 Wn.2d 133, 143, 821 P.2d 482 (1992)). Furthermore, language cannot be added to an unambiguous rule even if the department, "intended something else but did not adequately express it." Kilian v. Atkinson, 147 Wn.2d 16, 20, 50 P.3d 638 (2002) (citing Wash. State Coalition for the Homeless v. Dep't of Soc. & Health Servs., 133 Wn.2d 894, 904, 949 P.2d 1291 (1997)). The purpose of the King County Parks is that:

The playgrounds, activity centers, pools and other facilities of the division are established by law for public recreation purposes, including, but not limited to, the provision of community services by third parties.

K.C.C. 7.12.020 (emphasis added).

Here, Defendants' standards toward the issuance of a Permit are clearly defined in FES 7-1. The ordinance makes approval of a Permit mandatory if objective, content-neutral facts are established. (See FES 7-1, §6.2). Those facts are as follows:

6.2.1 Payment of current annual Professional Dog Services Concession Permit fee to Parks and Recreation Division each calendar year, and an impact fee which is paid to King County Parks Division or to an approved park stewardship organization such as Serve Our Dog Areas (S.O.D.A.) or; in lieu of cash payment of impact fee, performance of approved, documented park stewardship hours equivalent to the impact fee.

- 6.2.2 Possession of valid insurance coverage. See Appendix 9.1
- 6.2.3 Possession of current Washington State Business License.

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6.2.4 Adherence to the "Rules of Conduct for Professional Dog Services Concession Permit Holder," See Appendix 9.2.

FES 7-1, §6.2.1 – 4.

Furthermore, the rule sets forth the sole grounds for the revocation or denial of a Permit or its application. Those grounds are: (1) Concessionaires who engage in Bad Behavior as defined in Section 6.3.1, (2) who fail to comply with Permit terms or the Permit code of conduct, (3) who fail to comply with King County Code Chapter 7.12 (Rules for Park Use), or (4) who commits an act which, if proven, would be a violation of RCW Title 9A. FES 7-1 §6.4. Although the rule does not expressly make issuance of a license mandatory when grounds for denial are not present, it must be so construed. Otherwise, there would be an unconstitutional absence of standards to guide licensing officials. See *Kunz v. New York*, 340 U.S. 290, 293, 71 S.Ct. 312, 314, 95 L.Ed. 280 (1950).

The first step in the process is for the Dog Service Business to "Submit application..."

This is a condition precedent to the payment of any fees. Defendants have refused to accept Plaintiff's application, despite Plaintiff's willingness to pay the fees. (Winsler Decl., ¶10).

Plaintiff has valid insurance coverage. (Winsler Decl., ¶12, Exhibit D). Plaintiff has possession of a current Washington State Business License (Winsler Decl., ¶11, Exhibit C).

Because Plaintiff has complied with the requirements of the Public Rule, the Defendants have no discretion to deny the acceptance and issuance of a Permit. Thus, issuance is a ministerial action which mandamus must compel. See *State ex rel. Klappsa v. Enumclaw*, 73 Wn.2d 451, 453, 439 P.2d 246 (1968); *State ex rel. Craven v. Tacoma*, 63 Wn.2d 23, 27, 385 P.2d 372 (1963); *Teed v. King Cy.*, 36 Wn. App. 635, 643-644, 677 P.2d 179 (1984).

b) Defendants have refused to accept Plaintiff's application for a Permit, Preventing Plaintiff from Filing an Appeal to Defendants and exercising the only plain, speedy and adequate remedy allowed by FES 7-1.

Because Defendants refuse to allow the submission of an application for a Permit, the sole form of redress, that being an appeal as identified in the Public Rule, is unavailable to Plaintiff. Without any alternative avenues, a writ of mandamus must issue.

Broadly, the remedy issue turns on whether the duty the plaintiff seeks to enforce "cannot be directly enforced" by any means other than mandamus. Eugster, 118 Wn.App. at 414 (citing *Bd. of Liquidation v. McComb*, 92 U.S. 531, 536, 23 L.Ed. 531, 2 Otto 531 (1875)).

FES 7-1 permits "[a]ny Concessionaire whose Permit is revoked, or whose Permit application is denied, may, within fourteen (14) days of the service of the Notice, file a written appeal with the Director..." FES 7-1, §6.5. Defendants have revoked or denied Plaintiff's application, instead, they have simply refused to accept the application. (Winsler Decl., ¶10). Because no revocation or denial has taken place, Plaintiff's ability to avail himself to the appeal process identified in the rule is unavailable.

Because Mr. Winsler cannot avail himself to the protections contained in FES 7-1 to prevent the erroneous depravation of a permit, he has not other adequate remedy at law and must seek relief though a Writ of Mandamus.

c) Plaintiff is beneficially interested because he has attempted to apply for a Permit, but Defendants failed to process and issue a Permit to him.

Whether Plaintiff is beneficially interested relates to whether he "has an interest in the action beyond that shared in common with other citizens." *Retired Pub. Employees Council v. Charles*, 148 Wn. 2d 602, 616, 62 P.3d 470 (2003) (*citing State ex rel. Lay v. Simpson*, 173 Wn. 512, 513, 23 P.2d 886 (1933)).

Mr. Winsler owns and operates a professional dog walking business. (Winsler Decl., ¶3). Unlike a normal Washington State Citizen, he cannot within the confines of FES 7-1, walk dogs within the Marymoor public park because the rule only applies to businesses. FES 7-1 imposes a restriction, the need to obtain a permit to conduct his lawful business, on Mr. Winsler which is

not shared in common with other citizens. Even if a citizen owns fifteen (15), twenty (20), or even a hundred (100) dogs and wishes to walk them at the same time in Marymoor park, they would not be subject to the same restriction as Mr. Winsler. (Winsler Decl., ¶14). The loss of an ability to walk dogs within the park has a negative impact on Mr. Winsler's business including his ability to obtain new clients. (Winsler Decl., ¶14).

#### IV. CONCLUSION

Plaintiff is able to demonstrate his entitlement to a writ of mandamus because the Defendants are under a clear duty to issue permits to those who are in compliance with FES 7-1, that Mr. Winsler is in fact in compliance with FES 7-1, cannot avail himself to the administrative appeal process in FES 7-1 due to the Defendants refusal to accept his application, and has suffered a unique harm to his legitimate business that is beyond that of an average resident of King County.

For the foregoing reasons, a writ must be issues in favor of the Plaintiff.

DATED this 7th day of December 2018

/s Jeffrey Gates

Jeffrey Gates, WSBA #45422 The Rosenberg Law Group, PLLC 500 Union Street, Suite 510 Seattle, WA 98101 (206) 407-3300 (Phone) Jeffrey@RosenbergLawGroup.net

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## IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF KING

#### RICHARD WINSLER, an individual

KING COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF

Plaintiff,

NO. 18-2-23056-0 SEA

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NATURAL RESOURCES AND PARKS, a
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COUNTY PARKS DEPARTMENT, a
Washington Municipal Corporation, and
CHRISTINE TRUE directory of King County

CHRISTINE TRUE directory of King County Department of Natural Resources and Parks, a

Washington State Resident.

Defendants.

DECLARATION OF RICHARD WINSLER IN SUPPORT OF APPLICATION FOR WRIT OF GARNISHMENT

I, Richard Winsler, declare that:

- 1. I am the Plaintiff in the above-captioned action.
- 2. I am over the age of 18 and competent to testify as to the matters herein.
- 3. In 1998, I began a professional dog walking business known as "Catch Me if you Can". I
- changed the name to WOOF-Dog Adventures, LLC in March, 2018.
  - 4. On December 5, 2015, I emailed a request to <u>marymoorpark@kingcounty.gov</u> application

for a professional dog walker permit at Marymoor Park. It is attached hereto as Exhibit A.

APPLICATION FOR WRIT OF MANDAMUS-1

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- 5. On December 7, 2015, I received an email response to my inquiry that King County was not issuing any permits.
- 6. In December of 2016, I sent a similar email request to apply for the permit and received the same response from King County saying they were not issuing permits.
- 7. On December 8, 2017, I sent an email to the same address requesting an application for a permit. They did not respond. I sent a follow up email on December 14, 2017.
- 8. On December 21, 2017, King County informed me that no applications were being accepted for the year, and that they would not process an application submitted by me. All they would do is provide a sample application and stated that no permits would be issue for 2018.

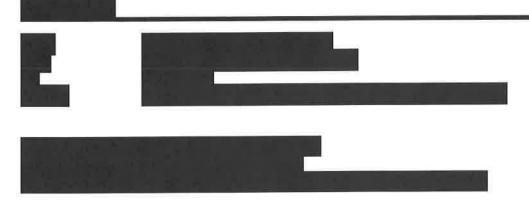
  Attached hereto are true and correct copies of my emails as **Exhibit B**.
- 9. I meet all of the requirements of FES 7-1, the rule which requires permits for professional dog walkers at Marymoor Park.
- 10. For over four (4) years, the Defendants have refused to issue me a permit, or even allow me to pay the fees to apply for one.
  - 11. I currently hold a valid business license, attached hereto as Exhibit C.
- 12. I currently have liability insurance, a copy of those policy documents is attached hereto as **Exhibit D**.
- 13. On or about January 15, 2016 I was asked to leave Marymoor Park because I did not have a permit. I was asked to leave on multiple occasions in 2017 as well, for the same reason.
- 14. Unless I am able to obtain a permit, I cannot operate my legitimate professional dog waking business.

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## Exhibit A



From: DNRP Marymoor Park Front Desk < marymoorpark@kingcounty.gov>

**Date:** December 7, 2015 at 4:41:41 PM PST **To:** 'Richard W.' < walkthek 9@msn.com>

Subject: RE: Request for application for Professional Dog Walker Permit

Hello,

We are not issuing new professional dog-walker permits at this time.

Thank you for your Inquiry.

From: Richard W. [mailto:walkthek9@msn.com]
Sent: Saturday, December 05, 2015 11:12 AM

To: DNRP Marymoor Park Front Desk

Subject: Request for application for Professional Dog Walker Permit

I am requesting an application for a 2016 dog walker permit at Marymoor.

Please email me the application.

Thank you-

Have a dog-gone great day!

Richard Winsler

Email: walkthek9@msn.com

206-384-1221

# Exhibit B



From: Richard Winsler <<u>walkthek9@gmail.com</u>>
Date: December 28, 2017 at 7:00:31 AM PST

To: "Perkins, Matthew" < Matthew.Perkins@kingcounty.gov>

Cc: DNRP Marymoor Park Front Desk <marymoorpark@kingcounty.gov>,

norah.robinson@kingcounty.gov Subject: Re: Dog Walker Permit

Ok.

So at any time people on the "interest" list may be called upon, correct? And I am third on the list of 25, correct?

Has your department considered making more permits available? Clearly there is a need to do so.

Or allow a time slot for more Permit holders.

For example- 12 permits have use of Marymoor from 9am-12pm.

12 additional permits have use of Marymoor from 12-3. Or a new system that is similar.

Or even a lottery system perhaps.

It is biased to automatically renew current permits without ever allowing new permits to be issued.

Sincerely, Richard Winsler

On Dec 21, 2017, at 1:11 PM, Perkins, Matthew < <a href="Matthew.Perkins@kingcounty.gov">Matthew.Perkins@kingcounty.gov</a> wrote:

Dear Mr. Winsler:

Twenty-five people are on the interest list. Your name is third on that list, where it listed with your contact number as 206-384-1221 and email address as <a href="walkthek9@msn.com">walkthek9@msn.com</a>. If you need that information updated, please let us know.

I have attached a sample 2018 Professional Dog Services Concession Permit application. We are not, however, accepting any new Professional Dog Services Permit applications for 2018.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

**Matthew Perkins** 

Parks and Recreation Division

p: 477-4527

e: matthew.perkins@kingcounty.gov

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----Original Message-----

From: Richard Winsler [mailto:walkthek9@gmail.com]

Sent: Friday, December 15, 2017 8:50 AM

To: Perkins, Matthew < Matthew. Perkins@kingcounty.gov >

Cc: DNRP Marymoor Park Front Desk < marymoorpark@kingcounty.gov >

Subject: Re: Dog Walker Permit

Great, we appreciate the acknowledgment and look forward to the email next week.

Thank you,

**Richard Winsler** 

Have a dog gone great day!

Pawed from my iPhone-WOOF!

On Dec 15, 2017, at 10:32 AM, Perkins, Matthew < Matthew.Perkins@kingcounty.gov > wrote:

Mr. Winsler,

This email acknowledges King County Parks has received your email of December 8 and your two emails of December 14. We will be in touch via email next week to follow-up with you.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Matthew Perkins

Parks and Recreation Division

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----Original Message-----

From: Richard Winsler [mailto:walkthek9@gmail.com]

Sent: Thursday, December 14, 2017 8:18 AM

To: DNRP Marymoor Park Front Desk

Subject: Dog Walker Permit

According to King County website I need to email you for a 2018 application to receive a dog walker permit.

Please send me one ASAP or email it to me.

I look forward to your response.

Thank you-

Richard Winsler 535 13th Ave East #405 Seattle, WA. 98102

Have a dog gone great day! Pawed from my iPhone-WOOF! Have a dog gone great day!

Pawed from my iPhone-WOOF!

<2018 Sample Professional Dog Service Permit-Application.pdf>

# Exhibit C



### **BUSINESS LICENSE**

**Limited Liability Company** 

WOOF-DOG ADVENTURES, LLC WOOF-DOG ADVENTURES, LLC 7520 33RD AVE NE SEATTLE, WA 98115-4706 TAX REGISTRATION #604-264-159 - ACTIVE

REGISTERED TRADE NAMES: WOOF-DOG ADVENTURES,LLC

This document lists the registrations, endorsements, and licenses authorized for the business named above. By accepting this document, the licensee certifies the information on the application was complete, true, and accurate to the best of his or her knowledge, and that business will be conducted in compliance with all applicable Washington state, county, and city regulations.

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Business ID #: 001

Location: 0001

STATE OF WASHINGTON

BI: 604264159 001 0001

OOF-DOG ADVENTURES, LLC OOF-DOG ADVENTURES,LLC 520 33RD AVE NE EATTLE, WA 98115-4706

TAX REGISTRATION #604-264-159 -



## Secretary of State

I, KIM WYMAN, Secretary of State of the State of Washington and custodian of its seal, hereby issue this

#### CERTIFICATE OF FORMATION

to

#### WOOF-DOG ADVENTURES, LLC

A WA LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, effective on the date indicated below.

Effective Date: 03/28/2018 UBI Number: 604 264 159 < XHIDDZ

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RESIDENCE -

Given under my hand and the Seal of the State of Washington at Olympia, the State Capital

Kim Wyman, Secretary of State

Date Issued: 03/28/2018

# Exhibit D



THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED TO THE FOLLOWING INSURED MEMBER:

#### Richard Winsler II

Membership ID Number: 51660 Policy Number: 3ED4158

**WOOOF- Dog Adventures, LLC** 

7520 33rd Ave Ne Seattle, WA 98115 (206) 384-1221

For association questions and/or questions about your insurance plan, please contact PSA headquarters at (855) 737-1598 or (715) 831-6004.

Pet Daycare & Boarding Locations: Richard Winsler, 7520 33rd Ave NE

## Member Certificate In Dues Liability Program

Membership Effective: 04/10/2018 Membership Expires: 04/10/2019

Optional Coverage: Pet Daycare & Boarding

LIMITS OF INSURANCE BODILY INJURY OR PROPERTY DAMAGE:

\$1,000,000 Each Occurrence \$2,000,000 General Aggregate

\$1,000,000 Personal and Advertising Injury

\$2,000,000 Products / Completed Operations Aggregate Limit

\$100,000 Damage to Premises Rented to You

\$15,000 Each Occurrence for loss of pets in your care, custody or control

\$30,000 Annual Aggregate for loss of pets in your care, custody or control

\$1,000 Each Occurrence / \$5,000 Annual Aggregate Veterinarian Expense

\$2,000 Lost Key coverage for Re-keying of customer's homes

\$5,000 Medical Expense Limit

Administered by: RPS Eau Claire, Eau Claire, WI. Underwritten by: Evanston Insurance Company

File a claim online or call: 1-844-777-8323

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**\$500** per occurrence deductible toward vet expense for any claim arising out of the voluntary releasing of a pet in your care, custody or control from its leash, outside of the above ground fenced yard of the pet's owner's or pet sitter's residence (if the optional pet daycare & boarding coverage is purchased).

View coverage forms at: www.petsitllc.com/members/

Date: 09/19/2018

Authorized Representative:



# Exhibit E

## ORIGINAL



## King County Public Rules and Regulations

**Public Rules** 

Title	Document Code No.
Permit Requirements and Procedures for Professional Dog Service Business Use of Parks and Recreation Division Property.	FES 7-1 (PR)
Department/Issuing Agency Department of Natural Resources and Parks	Date August 5, 2011
	/ Director of KC al Resources and Parks

- 1.0 <u>SUBJECT TITLE</u>: Permit Requirements and Procedures for Professional Dog Service Business Use of Parks and Recreation Division Property.
  - 1.1 EFFECTIVE DATE: 30 days after approval date
  - 1.2 TYPE OF ACTION: New
  - 1.3 <u>KEYWORDS</u>: Dog Walker; Permit Fee; Marymoor Park; Concession; Pet Sitting; Off-Leash; Dog Park; Dog Day Care.
- **2.0** PURPOSE: To implement the provisions of King County Code Chapter 7.12.150 by issuance of concessionaire permits to manage professional dog service business operations on King County Parks Division property.
- 3.0 ORGANIZATIONS AFFECTED: Department of Natural Resources and Parks; Pet Service Providers; Purchaser or the public.

#### 4.0 **REFERENCES**:

- 4.1 King County Code Chapter (K.C.C.) 4.57 Revenue and Financial Regulation
- 4.2 K.C.C. 7.12.150 Parks and Recreation -Rules for use of Facilities Sale of goods or services
- 4.3 K.C.C. 7.12.040 Parks and Recreation Rules for use of Facilities Permits
- 4.4 K.C.C. 7.12.670 Parks and Recreation Rules for use of Facilities Administrative Sanctions
- 4.5 Revised Code of Washington (RCW) Title 9A Washington Criminal Code

#### 5.0 **DEFINITIONS**:

5.1 "Professional Dog Service Business" refers to a private enterprise that provides services to individuals related to the care or training of pet dogs.

- 5.2 "Concession" means the privilege or authority to sell goods or services within parks and recreation facilities or to operate parks and recreation facilities or a portion thereof.
- 5.3 "Permit" means an authorization for the use of parks and recreation facilities that imposes conditions on the permittee in addition to those conditions imposed on the general public.

#### 6.0 POLICIES:

- King County Code ("K.C.C.") Chapter 4.57 and K.C.C. 7.12.040 authorize the Parks and Recreation Division to issue a concession license or permit to conduct a business, such as a professional dog-walking business, in a King County park or recreation facility. Such licenses or permits are referred to herein as a "Permit." The holder of a Permit is referred to herein as a "Concessionaire"
- To use a King County park for a private dog service business, the business must obtain an annual Professional Dog Services Concession Permit from King County Parks and Recreation Division. Permit requirements are:
  - 6.2.1 Payment of current annual Professional Dog Services Concession Permit fee to Parks and Recreation Division each calendar year, and an impact fee which is paid to King County Parks Division or to an approved park stewardship organization such as Serve Our Dog Areas (S.O.D.A.) or; in lieu of cash payment of impact fee, performance of approved, documented park stewardship hours equivalent to the impact fee. The annual permit and impact fee rates will be published in the Parks and Recreation Division Fees in December for the following year. 2011 rates are as follows:

Permit Fee	\$98
Impact Fee	\$.52 X estimated
	number of visits per
	dog, per year,
	maximum \$702 per
	permit each calendar
	year
Stewardship Hours	\$20/hour, up to 35
Credit	hours

- 6.2.2 Possession of valid insurance coverage. See Appendix 9.1
- 6.2.3 Possession of current Washington State Business License.
- 6.2.4 Adherence to the "Rules of Conduct for Professional Dog Services Concession Permit Holder," See Appendix 9.2.
- 6.3 Enforcement: King County's strong preference is for Concessionaires to voluntarily comply with their Permit, and to self-police each other. Except for Bad Behavior as

described in Section 6.3.1, the initial method of Permit enforcement will be by a request for voluntary compliance. The person making the request for voluntary compliance should document the date, time, place, and manner (oral or written) in which the request is made, but such documentation is not mandatory. Inadvertent or minor violations that might otherwise be grounds for Permit revocation will ordinarily be corrected or resolved without Permit revocation.

- 6.3.1 Bad Behavior will not be tolerated. Bad Behavior includes, but is not limited to fighting, insults, profanity, threats, or other unlawful, violent, aggressive, rude, abusive, or plainly discourteous behavior. Each incident or type of Bad Behavior constitutes an independent and separate basis for King County to revoke a Permit, or to deny a subsequent Permit application. For Permit purposes, a "threat" is a statement that objectively communicates, to a particular individual or group of individuals, a serious expression of an intent to commit an act of unlawful violence. It is irrelevant whether the person making the threat subjectively intends to carry it out.
- 6.3.2 Enforcement may be based on observations by King County staff, by the King County Sheriff or sheriff's deputies ("the Sheriff"), by the Division Director or his or her designee ("the Director"), or upon civilian reports that would ordinarily be relied upon by police officers in the determination of probable cause.
- Revocation: The Director may revoke the Permit of any Concessionaire who engages in Bad Behavior as defined in Section 6.3.1, who fails to comply with Permit terms or the Permit code of conduct, who fails to comply with King County Code Chapter 7.12 (Rules for Park Use), or who commits an act which, if proven, would be a violation of RCW Title 9A. The Director's factual determinations shall have no collateral estoppel effect on any subsequent criminal prosecution or civil proceeding other than an appeal from the Director's decision, and shall not preclude litigation of those same facts in such other criminal prosecution or civil proceeding.
  - 6.4.1 To revoke a Permit or deny a Permit application, the Sheriff or the Director will deliver a notice ("the Notice") in person to the Concessionaire or applicant, or by first class and certified mail to the last known address of the Permit holder or applicant. The Notice is deemed served and effective on the date the Notice is delivered in person, or three (3) days after the date the Notice is mailed (each, the "Revocation/Denial Date").
  - 6.4.2 A Concessionaire whose Permit is revoked, or whose Permit application is denied, may not apply for a new Permit until January 1 of the following calendar year, or until six (6) months have elapsed from the Revocation/Denial Date, whichever is longer.
- Appeal Process: Any Concessionaire whose Permit is revoked, or whose Permit application is denied, may, within fourteen (14) days of the service of the Notice, file a written appeal with the Director by mailing or delivering it to the Director at the mailing address listed below. E-mail and fax are not acceptable.

- 6.5.1 The written appeal must succinctly state the reasons that the initial decision should be modified or reversed and, to the extent applicable, must be accompanied by copies of the Permit or the Permit application, the Notice, and any other papers that may be relevant to the appeal.
- 6.5.2 The Director will review the appeal, without a hearing, based solely on the written materials provided by the person filing the appeal ("the Appellant"), by King County staff or agents, and by any third-party witnesses.
- 6.5.3 Within fourteen (14) days of the date on which the appeal is received, the Director must serve upon the Appellant a notice that the Director has affirmed, modified or reversed the initial decision. Such notice is deemed served upon the Appellant when it is personally delivered, or when it is sent by United States mail, with proper postage prepaid, to the name and address set forth on the Permit, the Permit application, or the appeal request. If such notice is not served upon the Appellant within fourteen (14) days of the date upon which the appeal is received, then the Permit revocation or application denial will be deemed reversed.
- 6.5.4 Appeals and other concession permit-related correspondence should be directed to:

Director's Office Parks and Recreation Division King County Department of Natural Resources and Parks 201 S. Jackson St. #700 Seattle, WA 98104

#### 7.0 PROCEDURES:

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#### Action

Dog Service Business

Submit application, fee payment for Professional Dog Services Concession Permit to Parks and Recreation Division. (See 6.1 of these rules for application requirements).

Parks and Recreation Division Staff Review application for completeness. Collect fee, issue receipt. Issue permit.

Dog Service Business

Participate in approved stewardship activities if necessary. Submit documentation of participation to Parks and Recreation Division.

Parks and Recreation Division Staff Verify documented participation. Record in permit holder file. Monitor permit holder compliance. Send notice of compliance or non-compliance to permit holders mid-year and end-of-year.

#### 8.0 RESPONSIBILITIES:

#### Action By

#### Action

Dog Service Business

- Apply for permit;
- Pay applicable permit fee;
- · Comply with the terms of permit;

Parks and Recreation Division Staff

- Review application for completeness.
- Process permit fees.
- Issue permits.
- Respond to inquiries and complaints from permit holders and public.
- Enforce compliance with permit requirements.

#### 9.0 Appendices:

#### 9.1 CONCESSION PERMIT HOLDER INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS

Commercial General Liability. Each concession permit holder ("Concessionaire") shall procure and maintain, for the duration of their permit, commercial general liability insurance against claims for injuries of persons or damages to property, which may arise from or in connection with Concessionaire's use of King County property. Such insurance shall be as broad as that provided by the Commercial General Liability "occurrence" form CG0001 (to include Products – Completed Operation) (ed. 11/88). The insurance limits shall be no less than One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) per occurrence for bodily injury and property damage, and Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) aggregate limit.

<u>Automobile Liability</u>. Concessionaire must have automobile insurance or other financial responsibility sufficient to comply with Washington State law (RCW chapter 46.30, Mandatory Liability Insurance, as now codified or hereafter amended).

Workers' Compensation. If Concessionaire has employees, then Statutory Workers' Compensation and One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) Employer's Liability/Stop Gap coverage is required.

The required liability insurance policies (except Automobile and Workers' Compensation) are to be endorsed to:

- Name "King County, its officers, officials, agents and employees" as additional insureds with respect to use of the Site as outlined in this Agreement (Form CG 2026 or its equivalent);
- Such coverage shall be primary and non-contributory insurance as respects King County;
- State that Concessionaire's insurance shall apply separately to each insured against whom claim is made or suit is brought, except with respect to the limits of the insurer's liability; and
- State that coverage shall not be suspended, voided, canceled, reduced in coverage or in limits, except after forty-five (45) days prior written notice to King County.

The insurance provider must be licensed to do business in the State of Washington and have a Bests' rating of A-VIII or better. Any deductible or self-insured retention must have been declared to and approved by King County. The deductible and/or self-insured retention of the policies shall not limit or apply to Concessionaire's liability to King County and shall be the sole responsibility of Concessionaire.

Concessionaire to Assess Own Risks. By requiring such minimum insurance as specified herein, King County may not be deemed or construed to have assessed the risks that may be applicable to Concessionaire. Concessionaire will assess his or her own risks and, if Concessionaire deems appropriate or prudent, or both, Concessionaire should maintain greater limits or broader coverage.

### 9.2 RULES OF CONDUCT FOR PROFESSIONAL DOG SERVICES CONCESSION PERMIT HOLDER

- 1. Limit pack to ten (10) dogs per visit (or maximum specified in pro rata/reduced use permit).
- 2. Wear current Marymoor Permit ID in a manner visible to the public at all times, using vest provided by the County.
- 3. Display current Marymoor Parking Permit in approved manner on vehicle.
- 4. Park in the Northeast parking lot, Lot G, unless otherwise approved or directed by park personnel.
- 5. Limit dog service-related visits to Monday thru Friday 10:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m. (or as specified in pro rata/reduced use permit).
- 6. Maintain professionalism:
  - Keep your pack moving.
  - \* Avoid distractions such as texting, listening to music, talking on a cell phone, etc.
  - Limit conversations with patrons or other dog walkers to a short duration.
  - Maintain voice control over your pack.
  - \* Devote full attention to your pack to the maximum extent practicable.
  - Exhibit courteous behavior with all people and dogs you encounter.
  - \* Fighting, insults, profanity, threats, or other unlawful, violent, aggressive, rude, abusive, or plainly discourteous behavior will NOT be tolerated.
  - \* Ensure all dogs in your pack wear a collar with a current pet license and identification with your contact information.
  - Stop dogs in your pack from digging.
  - \* Keep dogs out of off-limit areas, such as fenced areas along the river, athletic fields, Community Garden, and areas of re-growth.
  - Immediately stop bothersome dog behavior (e.g., repetitive barking, extended growling, fighting, mounting, etc.).
  - Properly dispose of bagged waste in designated trash receptacles.

- 7. Maintain distance from the public whenever possible:
  - a. Avoid busy water stops or groups of people.
  - b. Steer away from young children and timid or little dogs.
- 8. Pre-screen dogs for your pack--bring only those with proper social skills.
- 9. Do not bring dogs that exhibit aggressive behavior.
- 10. In addition to picking up waste from the dogs in your care, pick up other waste for ten minutes —per-visit.
- 11. Bulletin board ads should be no larger than 8 ½ x 11 inches, one (1) per board, without excessive staples.
- 12. Abide by all King County and S.O.D.A. Rules, including King County Code Chapter 7.12.

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Richard Winsler	CASE NO. 18-2-23056-0 NOTICE OF COURT DATE (Judges)			
vs.	(NOTICE FOR HEARING) SEATTLE COURTHOUSE ONLY			
King County Dpt. of Nat. Res. and Parks, Et al	(Clerk's Action Required) (NTHG)			
TO: THE CLERK OF THE COURT and to all other parties por PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that an issue of law in this case directed to note this issue on the calendar checked below	e will be heard on the date below and the Clerk is w.			
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#### LIST NAMES AND SERVICE ADDRESSES FOR ALL NECESSARY PARTIES REQUIRING NOTICE

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#### **IMPORTANT NOTICE REGARDING CASES**

Party requesting hearing must file motion & affidavits separately along with this notice. List the names, addresses and telephone numbers of all parties requiring notice (including GAL) on this page. Serve a copy of this notice, with motion documents, on all parties.

The original must be filed at the Clerk's Office not less than **six** court days prior to requested hearing date, except for Summary Judgment Motions (to be filed with Clerk 28 days in advance).

THIS IS ONLY A PARTIAL SUMMARY OF THE LOCAL RULES AND ALL PARTIES ARE ADVISED TO CONSULT WITH AN ATTORNEY.

The SEATTLE COURTHOUSE is in Seattle, Washington at 516 Third Avenue. The Clerk's Office is on the sixth floor, room E609. The Judges' Mailroom is Room C203.

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NO. 18-2-23056-0 SEA

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KING COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF NAT AND AREA DESIGNATION

CASE INFORMATION COVER SHEET AND AREA DESIGNATION

#### **CAUSE OF ACTION**

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#### **AREA DESIGNATION**

**SEATTLE -**

Defined as all King County north of Interstate 90 and including all of Interstate 90 right of way, all of the cities of Seattle, Mercer Island, Issaquah, and North Bend, and all of Vashon and Maury Islands.

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SUPERIOR COURT OF WASHINGTON FOR KING COUNTY

CENTRAL PUGET SOUND REGIONAL TRANSIT AUTHORITY, a regional transit authority, dba SOUND TRANSIT,

Petitioner,

vs.

GREENWOOD NORTH/KENT, LLC, a Washington Limited Liability Company; A to B AUTO, INC., a Washington Profit Corporation; VIRGIL RAY STEBBINS, individually and his marital community; KING COUNTY, a Washington municipal corporation; CITY OF KENT, a Washington municipal corporation; and ALL UNKNOWN OWNERS and ALL UNKNOWN TENANTS,

Respondents.

NO.

**SUMMONS** 

Tax Parcel No. 2500600396

KING COUNTY

A condemnation lawsuit has been started in the above-entitled court by Central Puget Sound Regional Transit Authority ("Petitioner"). Petitioner's claim is stated in the written Petition, a copy of which is served upon you with this Summons.

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In order to defend the condemnation lawsuit and the claims of Petitioner therein, you must serve a notice of appearance on the attorney who signed below within twenty (20) days after service of this Summons upon you, exclusive of the day of service. In case of your failure to appear, a judgment will be entered against you according to the demand of the Petition, which has been filed with the Clerk of the Court.

If you wish to seek the advice of an attorney in this matter, you should do so promptly so that your written appearance, if any, may be served on time.

DATED this December 5, 2018.

#### ELLIS, LI & McKINSTRY PLLC

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#### SUPERIOR COURT OF WASHINGTON FOR KING COUNTY

CENTRAL PUGET SOUND REGIONAL TRANSIT AUTHORITY, a regional transit authority, dba SOUND TRANSIT,

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PETITION IN EMIMENT DOMAIN

Tax Parcel No. 2500600396

Respondents.

The Central Puget Sound Regional Transit Authority ("Petitioner" or "Sound Transit") respectfully petitions as follows:

1. Petitioner. Sound Transit is a regional transit authority created for the Central Puget Sound region that exists under the laws of the State of Washington. Sound

PETITION IN EMINENT DOMAIN - 1

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Transit is specifically authorized by statute to construct and operate a high-capacity transportation system within authority boundaries. RCW 81.112.010.

- 2. Authority. On November 5, 1996, November 4, 2008, and again on November 8, 2016, voters approved local funding to implement a regional high-capacity transit system for the Central Puget Sound region ("Sound Move, ST2, and ST3, respectively"). In part, Sound Move, ST2, and ST3 provide for the implementation, including permanent location, construction, operation and maintenance, of a high capacity light rail service and transit improvements. They further provide for the construction, operation, and permanent location of an electric light rail project ("Link Light Rail"). Certain real property and real property rights must be acquired for purposes of the Link Light Rail in order to permanently locate, construct, operate and maintain the Federal Way Link Extension and its related facilities (the "Project"). Petitioner is statutorily empowered to condemn real property under RCW 81.112.080(2).
- 3. Resolution to Condemn. On August 24, 2017, the Sound Transit Board adopted Resolution No. R2017-30 entitled:

A RESOLUTION of the Board of the Central Puget Sound Regional Transit Authority authorizing the chief executive officer to acquire certain real property interests, including acquisition by condemnation to the extent authorized by law, and to reimburse eligible relocation and reestablishment incurred by affected owners and tenants as necessary for the Federal Way Link Extension.

A certified copy of Resolution No. R2017-30 (the "Resolution") is attached to this Petition as Exhibit 2, and is incorporated here by this reference.

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- 4. The Condemned Property. The Resolution authorizes the acquisition by condemnation of certain land, property, and property rights, including the real property in which Respondents hold an interest, located in Kent, King County, Washington, identified as King County Tax Parcel No. 2500600396 (the "Parcel"), and legally described on the attached Exhibit 1, and incorporated here by this reference.
- 5. <u>Purpose and Necessity</u>. The Parcel is being taken for a public use and purpose, namely: to locate, construct, operate and maintain the Project as contemplated in the Resolution. The Parcel is necessary for those purposes. The reason for this proceeding is to ascertain the just compensation for the taking and/or damaging of the Parcel.
- 6. Respondents. The names of each and every owner, encumbrancer, or other person that has an interest in the Parcel, or any part thereof, so far as is known to the officers of Sound Transit filing this Petition, or as far as appears from the records of the King County Auditor, whose interest in the Parcel will be terminated by this action, are listed as follows:
  - a. Greenwood North/Kent, LLC, a Washington Limited Liability Company;
  - b. A to B Auto, Inc., a Washington Profit Corporation;
  - c. Virgil Ray Stebbins, individually and his marital community;
  - d. King County, a Washington municipal corporation (taxes only);
  - e. City of Kent, a Washington municipal corporation; and
  - f. All Unknown Owners and Unknown Tenants.

WHEREFORE, Petitioner prays for an order and judgment adjudicating that the 1 2 Parcel is necessary for the public use of Sound Transit; that at the time the requested order 3 and judgment are entered a date be set for trial of this action before the Court or jury, if a 4 jury be demanded, at which trial the just compensation to be paid for the Parcel will be 5 ascertained; and that, upon payment into the registry of the Court of the amount so 6 ascertained, title to the Parcel will be vested in Petitioner, free and clear of any right, title, 7 and interest of all Respondents, and any other person or entity for public purposes, 8 namely: to locate, construct, operate and maintain the Project. 9 DATED this December 5, 2018. ELLIS, LI & McKINSTRY PLLC 10 By: s/Keith A. Kemper 11 Keith A. Kemper, WSBA No. 19438 Peter B. Dolan, WSBA No. 48144 12 2025 First Avenue, PHA Seattle, WA 98121 13 Tel: (206) 682-0565 14 Fax: (206) 625-1052 Email: kkemper@elmlaw.com 15 pdolan@elmlaw.com Attorneys for Petitioner 16 18

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# EXHIBIT 1

That portion of Lots 1 and 2, Block 4, Federal Highway Addition, according to the plat thereof, recorded in Volume 30 of Plats, Pages 1 and 2, in King County, Washington, described as follows:

Beginning at the most Southerly corner of said Lot 2; and running

Thence North 08°54'14" East along the Westerly line of said Lots 2 and 1 and along the Easterly line of 30th Avenue South, 216 feet;

Thence South 40°05'15" East parallel to the Northeasterly lines of said Lots 1 and 2 to the Southeasterly line of said Lot 2;

Thence South 49°54'45" West along the Southwesterly line of said Lot 2, to the Point of Beginning, in King County, Washington.

# EXHIBIT 2



Central Puget Sound Regional Transit Authority 401 S. Jackson St. Seattle WA 98104-2826

#### **CERTIFICATE of RESOLUTION**

#### Resolution No. R2017-30

- I, the undersigned Board Administrator of the Central Puget Sound Regional Transit Authority (the "Authority) DO HEREBY CERTIFY:
- 1. The attached copy of Resolution No. R2017-30 (the "Resolution") is a full, true and correct copy of a resolution as finally adopted at a regular meeting of the Board of Directors of the Authority held at the regular meeting place thereof on August 24, 2017, and duly recorded in my office; and the Resolution is now in full force and effect; and
- 2. Said meeting was convened and held in all respects in accordance with law, and to the extent required by law, due and proper notice of such meeting was given; a quorum of the Board was in attendance and a legally sufficient number of members of the Board voted in the proper manner for the adoption of the Resolution; all other requirements and proceedings incident to the proper adoption of the Resolution have been fulfilled, carried out and otherwise observed, and I am authorized to execute this certificate.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 9<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2018.

THE CENTRAL PUGET SOUND REGIONAL TRANSIT AUTHORITY

Rathryn Flores
Board Administrator



#### **RESOLUTION NO. R2017-30**

#### To Acquire Real Property Interests Required for the Federal Way Link Extension

MEETING:	DATE:	TYPE OF ACTION:	STAFF CONTACT:
Capital Committee	08/10/2017	Recommend to Board	Ahmad Fazel, DECM Executive Director
			Dan Abernathy, Executive Project Director
Board	08/24/2017	Final Action	Federal Way Link Extension
			Kevin Workman, Director Real Property

#### PROPOSED ACTION

Authorizes the chief executive officer to acquire certain real property interests, including acquisition by condemnation to the extent authorized by law, and to reimburse eligible relocation and reestablishment expenses incurred by affected owners and tenants as necessary for the Federal Way Link Extension.

#### **KEY FEATURES SUMMARY**

- Authorizes the acquisition of all or portions of 49 parcels consisting of full and partial
  acquisitions, temporary construction easements, and/or permanent easements. These parcels
  are located in the cities of SeaTac, Des Moines, Kent, and Federal Way for the Federal Way
  Link Extension.
- The properties are needed for construction, maintenance, and operation of the light rail guideway, or related facilities.
- The real properties identified in this requested action are included in Exhibit A.

#### **BACKGROUND**

The Federal Way Link Extension adds 7.8 miles of light rail from the Angle Lake Station to the Federal Way Transit Center with service to the cities of SeaTac, Des Moines, Kent, and Federal Way. The extension will travel along the south edge of the future SR 509 alignment and the west side of I-5 and include stations at Kent/Des Moines Road, S. 272nd Street, and Federal Way Transit Center Station. New parking structures will be provided at Kent/Des Moines Station and South 272nd Station as well as an additional parking structure at the Federal Way Transit Center. The project is currently authorized for Final Design and anticipates revenue service to begin in 2024.

The Federal Way Link Extension Final Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) was published on November 18, 2016, pursuant to the State Environmental Policy Act (SEPA) and the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA), respectively. The Sound Transit Board selected the project route, profile and stations on January 26, 2017. The Federal Transit Administration (FTA) issued a Record of Decision on March 6, 2017 and the Federal Highway Administration issued a NEPA Record of Decision on March 9, 2017.

Sound Transit will acquire the property, by condemnation if necessary, as needed for the construction, operation, and maintenance of the Federal Way Link Extension and will reimburse relocation expenses to eligible affected owners and tenants. Sound Transit's authorizing legislation grants the agency the power of eminent domain to accomplish such acquisitions when efforts to reach agreement with property owners are unsuccessful.

#### **PROJECT STATUS**

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Project Identification	Alternatives Identification	Conceptual Engineering	Preliminary Engineering	Final Design	Construction

Projected Completion Date for Preliminary Engineering Phase: Q2 2018
Project scope, schedule, and budget summary located on page 59 of the May 2017 Link Light Rail
Program Progress Report.

#### **FISCAL INFORMATION**

There is \$259,644,656 of uncommitted funds in the right of way phase which is sufficient to complete this proposed action. Project baseline costs are expected to be established in mid-2018, and if necessary the authorized project allocation for the right-of-way phase can be increased.

#### SMALL BUSINESS/DBE PARTICIPATION AND APPRENTICESHIP UTILIZATION

Not applicable to this action

#### **PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT**

Throughout the development of the Federal Way Link Expansion, Sound Transit has conducted an extensive public involvement program including mailings, community open houses, and presentations and meetings with individuals and neighborhood groups.

In compliance with state law regarding public notification, Sound Transit mailed certified letters to property owners affected by this action on August 8, 2017. Legal notices of this proposed Board action will be published in the Seattle Times and The News Tribune newspapers on August 11, 2017, and August 18, 2017.

#### **TIME CONSTRAINTS**

A one-month delay would significantly impact the timing of this project.

#### PRIOR BOARD/COMMITTEE ACTIONS

<u>Resolution No. R2017-16:</u> Authorized the chief executive officer to acquire certain real property interests, including acquisition by condemnation to the extent authorized by law, and to reimburse eligible relocation and reestablishment expenses incurred by affected owners and tenants as necessary for the Federal Way Link Extension.

Resolution No. R2017-02: Authorized the selection of the route, profile, and stations for the Federal Way Link Extension.

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW**

KH 6/28/17

#### **LEGAL REVIEW**

JB 8/3/17



#### **RESOLUTION NO. R2017-30**

A RESOLUTION of the Board of the Central Puget Sound Regional Transit Authority authorizing the chief executive officer to acquire certain real property interests, including acquisition by condemnation to the extent authorized by law, and to reimburse eligible relocation and reestablishment expenses incurred by affected owners and tenants as necessary for the Federal Way Link Extension.

WHEREAS, the Central Puget Sound Regional Transit Authority, hereinafter referred to as Sound Transit, has been created for the Pierce, King, and Snohomish Counties region by action of their respective county councils pursuant to RCW 81.112.030; and

WHEREAS, Sound Transit is authorized to plan, construct, and permanently operate a high-capacity system of transportation infrastructure and services to meet regional public transportation needs in the Central Puget Sound region; and

WHEREAS, in general elections held within the Central Puget Sound Regional Transit Authority district on November 5, 1996, November 4, 2008, and November 8, 2016, voters approved local funding to implement a regional high-capacity transportation system for the Central Puget Sound region; and

WHEREAS, in order to use the property determined to be necessary for the construction, operation and maintenance of project improvements required under the voter approved high capacity transportation system plans, it is necessary for Sound Transit to acquire by negotiated purchase or to condemn certain rights in the property for public purposes, and to reimburse eligible relocation and reestablishment expenses incurred by affected owners and tenants; and

WHEREAS, environmental compliance pursuant to the State Environmental Policy Act (SEPA) for Federal Way Link was completed with the Federal Way Link Project Final Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) issued on November 18, 2016; the Federal Transit Administration issued a Record of Decision (ROD) for the project on March 6, 2017, completing the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) process; and

WHEREAS, Sound Transit has identified certain real properties as necessary for the construction and permanent location of the Federal Way Link Extension and such properties are reasonably described in Exhibit A of this resolution; and

WHEREAS, in order to use the property determined to be necessary for the construction, operation, and permanent location of the Federal Way Link Extension, it is necessary for Sound Transit to acquire by negotiated purchase or to condemn certain lands and rights in property for public purposes, and reimburse eligible relocation and reestablishment expenses incurred by affected owners and tenants; and

WHEREAS, Sound Transit has commissioned or will commission appraisals to determine the fair market value of the properties, and will negotiate in good faith with the owners of the properties authorized to be acquired by negotiated purchase or condemned, with the intent of reaching agreements for the voluntary acquisition of the property for fair market value; and

WHEREAS, the funds necessary to acquire the property by voluntary purchase or to pay just compensation adjudged due after condemnation and the funds necessary to reimburse eligible relocation and reestablishment expenses shall be paid from Sound Transit general funds.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of the Central Puget Sound Regional Transit Authority as follows:

SECTION 1. The chief executive officer is hereby authorized to execute such agreements as are customary and necessary for the acquisition or lease of interests in the real property described in Exhibit A (said property to be used for Federal Way Link Extension) and incorporated herein by reference, and for the reimbursement of eligible relocation and reestablishment expenses. In accordance with Sound Transit's Real Property Acquisition and Relocation Policies, Procedures and Guidelines, the acquisition price of the properties may not exceed the fair market value to be determined through the appraisal process; provided that in the event the total of the acquisition, relocation, and reestablishment costs of the properties for the Federal Way Link Extension exceeds Sound Transit's approved budget for right-of-way acquisition (plus contingency), then the chief executive officer must obtain approval from the appropriate committee or the Board, per Resolution No. 78-2, before the acquisition of the property for the Federal Way Link Extension by purchase or by condemnation and the reimbursement of eligible relocation and reestablishment expenses.

SECTION 2. The chief executive officer or his designee is hereby authorized to settle condemnation litigation or enter administrative settlements (a settlement in lieu of initiating condemnation litigation) for the acquisition of interests in the real property described in Exhibit A. Such settlements shall be made only upon the finding of legal counsel that the settlement is consistent with the law and is reasonable, prudent, and in the public interest. Such settlements may not exceed established project budgets. For all other settlements proposed, the chief executive officer must obtain prior approval of the appropriate committee or the Board, per Resolution No. 78-2.

SECTION 3. The Sound Transit Board deems the Federal Way Link Extension, to be a public use for a public purpose. The Board deems it necessary and in the best interests of the citizens residing within Sound Transit's boundaries to acquire interests in the real property identified in Exhibit A as being necessary for the construction, operation, and permanent location of Federal Way Link Extension, and affected owners and tenants be reimbursed eligible relocation and reestablishment expenses associated with displacements from the properties.

<u>SECTION 4</u>. The Sound Transit Board of Directors finds that the public health, safety, necessity, convenience, and welfare demand and require that interests in the real property described in Exhibit A be immediately acquired, condemned, appropriated, taken and damaged for the construction, operation, and permanent location of the Federal Way Link Extension.

SECTION 5. In addition to the authority granted the chief executive officer in Section 1 above, condemnation proceedings are hereby authorized to acquire all, or any portion thereof, of the properties and property rights and/or rights in those of the properties described in Exhibit A to the extent permitted by law, for the purpose of constructing, owning, and operating a permanent location of the Federal Way Link Extension. The chief executive officer is also authorized to make minor amendments to the legal descriptions of the properties described in Exhibit A, as may be necessary to correct scrivener's errors

and/or to conform the legal description to the precise boundaries of the property required for the Project.

SECTION 6. The funds necessary to acquire the property by purchase or to pay just compensation adjudged due after condemnation shall be paid from Sound Transit general funds.

ADOPTED by the Board of the Central Puget Sound Regional Transit Authority at a regular meeting thereof held on August 24, 2017.

**Board Chair** 

ATTEST:

**Board Administrator** 



### RESOLUTION NO. R2017-30 EXHIBIT A

#### FEDERAL WAY LINK EXTENSION PROJECT

ITEM	ROW ID	TAX PARCEL NUMBER	TAX PAYER	PROPERTY ADDRESS
				23418 30 <sup>TH</sup> AVE S
1	FL208	2500600396	GREENWOOD NORTH /KENT LLC	KENT, WA 98032
				30 <sup>TH</sup> AVE S
2	FL208.1	2500600400	GURPREET MAROK	KENT, WA 98032
				23444 30 <sup>TH</sup> AVE S
3	FL208.2	2500600411	RATELCO PROPERTIES	KENT, WA 98032
				23458 30 <sup>TH</sup> Ave S
4	FL218	2500600420	ETHEL M DUFF	KENT, WA 98032
				23529 32 <sup>ND</sup> AVE S
5	FL219	2500600418	ETHEL M DUFF	KENT, WA 98032
				23448 30 <sup>TH</sup> AVE S
6	FL219.1	2500600410	GENERAL TRANSMISSION	KENT, WA 98032
				32 <sup>ND</sup> AVE S
7	FL219.2	7260200010	ETHEL M DUFF	KENT, WA 98032
			WORLDS GREATEST BOOK	32 <sup>ND</sup> AVE S
8	FL219.3	7260200005	BROADCASTERS	KENT, WA 98032
			WORLDS GREATEST BOOK	30 <sup>TH</sup> AVE S
9	FL220	2500600416	BROADCASTERS	KENT, WA 98032
			WORLDS GREATEST BOOK	23634 30 <sup>TH</sup> AVE S
10	FL221	2500600425	BROADCASTERS	KENT, WA 98032
			WORLDS GREATEST BOOK	23458 32 <sup>ND</sup> AVE S
11	FL222	1522049018	BROADCASTERS	KENT, WA 98032
				23627 PACIFIC HWY S
12	FL228	2500600660	JOONG KU AND SO YOUNG LEE	DES MOINES, WA 98198
				23639 PACIFIC HWY S
13	FL228.1	2500600665	BRADFORD A EWING	DES MOINES, WA 98198
				23810 30 <sup>TH</sup> AVE S
14	FL235	2500600436	ROBERT L YATES	KENT, WA 98032
				23810 PACIFIC HWY S
15	FL236	2500600535	VICTORIA M BONNEVILLE	KENT, WA 98032
				23820 PACIFIC HWY S
16	FL237	2500600540	VICTORIA M BONNEVILLE	KENT, WA 98032
_				23820 30 <sup>TH</sup> AVE S
17	FL238	2500600435	HIGHLINE COURT APARTMENTS LLC	KENT, WA 98032
				23828 30 <sup>TH</sup> AVE S
18	FL240	2500600440	HIGHLINE WATER DISTRICT	KENT, WA 98032
				23850 30 <sup>TH</sup> AVE S
19	FL241	2500600441	HIGHLINE WATER DISTRICT	KENT, WA 98032

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20	51.0.40	2500500445	C O A LILIA I D	3012 S 240 <sup>TH</sup> ST
20	FL243	2500600446	C & A HUA LP	KENT, WA 98032
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21	FL244	2500600447	RAJWINDER THIND	KENT, WA 98032 2912 S 240 <sup>TH</sup> ST
22	EL 2.4E	3500000555	1000 THEORY I B	KENT, WA 98032
22	FL245	2500600555	1999 TUFORTY LP	24050 PACIFIC HWY S
22	EL 247	FF14000010	GUARDIAN CAPITAL MANAGEMENT	
23	FL247	5514000010	GUARDIAN CAPITAL MANAGEMENT	KENT, WA 98032 S 240 <sup>TH</sup> ST
24	FLOFE	2222040468	CITY OF SEATTLE SOLL SWILL	
24	FL255	2222049168	CITY OF SEATTLE SPU-SWU	KENT, WA 98032
	51.077	2022040002	AHEL AND CHEDLI MIELCEN	3019 S 256 <sup>TH</sup> ST
25	FL277	2822049082	NIEL AND SHERI L NIELSEN	KENT, WA 98032
	51.070	202224022	AUGU AND CHEDLI MIGICENI	*NO SITE ADDRESS*
26	FL278	2822049230	NIEL AND SHERI L NIELSEN	KENT, WA 98032
				*NO SITE ADDRESS*
27	FL279	2822049207	TIM AND TERESA STILL	KENT, WA 98032
				3014 S 259 <sup>™</sup> CT
28	FL280	2822049175	TIM AND TERESA STILL	KENT, WA 98032
				25907 27 <sup>TH</sup> PL S
29	FL281	2822049066	PEMBROOKE-240 LLC	KENT, WA 98032
				*NO SITE ADDRESS*
30	FL309	796820TRCT	MULTIPLE OWNERS	FEDERAL WAY, WA 98003
				27634 27 <sup>TH</sup> AVE S
31	FL314.1	5160000040	SHERRILL HART	FEDERAL WAY 98003
			WILLIAM MARTIN AND S	27640 27 <sup>TH</sup> AVE S
32	FL314.2	5160000030	ANKENBAUER	FEDERAL WAY, WA 98003
			_	2718 S STAR LAKE RD
33	FL314.3	5160000010	PHILIP N LAUSIER	FEDERAL WAY, WA 98003
		ê5		3007 S 284 <sup>1H</sup> ST
34	FL318	7303200490	JOHN K FUNG CHEN PEN	FEDERAL WAY, WA 98003
				3017 S 298 <sup>™</sup> ST
35	FL325	0421049099	LAKEHAVEN UTILITY DISTRICT	FEDERAL WAY, WA 98003
				30614 28 <sup>TH</sup> AVE S
36	FL335.1	0921049096	ALLAN WOIDA	FEDERAL WAY, WA 98003
				30642 28 <sup>TH</sup> AVE S
37	FL335.2	0921049182	VERLIN J AND LINDA J ELDER	FEDERAL WAY, WA 98003
				30646 28 <sup>TH</sup> AVE S
38	FL335.3	0921049183	MICHAEL M TRINIDAD	FEDERAL WAY, WA 98003
				30802 28 <sup>TH</sup> AVE S
39	FL335.4	0921049251	JI YOUNG KIM	FEDERAL WAY, WA 98003
				2834 S 308 <sup>TII</sup> LN
40	FL335.5	0921049311	NGAN TRAN AND LIENG K THI	FEDERAL WAY, WA 98003

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				2840 S 308 <sup>TH</sup> LN
41	FL335.6	0921049312	2030 RENTALS LLC	FEDERAL WAY, WA 98003
				2839 S 308 <sup>TH</sup> LN
42	FL335.7	0921049315	STEPHANIE MANZO	FEDERAL WAY, WA 98003
				*NO SITE ADDRESS*
43	FL335.8	092104TRCT	MULTIPLE OWNERS	FEDERAL WAY, WA 98003
				*NO SITE ADDRESS*
44	FL335.9	092104TRCT	SARAH & STEVEN JACOBS	FEDERAL WAY, WA 98003
				*NO SITE ADDRESS*
45	FL335.10	0921049329	SARAH & STEVEN JACOBS	FEDERAL WAY, WA 98003
				30930 28 <sup>TH</sup> AVE S
46	FL336	0921049095	RANDY R AND ROBIN G PARRIS	FEDERAL WAY, WA 98003
-				31000 28 <sup>TH</sup> AVE S
47	FL337	0921049115	ROSELLA PARRIS FAMILY TRUST	FEDERAL WAY, WA 98003
				31004 28 <sup>TH</sup> AVE S
48	FL338	0921049085	RANDALL S WOOLEY	FEDERAL WAY, WA 98003
			iet .	31016 28 <sup>TH</sup> AVE S
49	FL339	0921049009	STEVEN JACOBS	FEDERAL WAY, WA 98003

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#### SUPERIOR COURT OF WASHINGTON FOR KING COUNTY

CENTRAL PUGET SOUND REGIONAL TRANSIT AUTHORITY, a regional transit authority, dba SOUND TRANSIT,

Petitioner,

VS.

GREENWOOD NORTH/KENT, LLC, a Washington Limited Liability Company, A to B AUTO, INC., a Washington Profit Corporation, VIRGIL RAY STEBBINS, individually and his marital community, KING COUNTY, a Washington municipal corporation; CITY OF KENT, a Washington municipal corporation; and ALL UNKNOWN OWNERS and ALL UNKNOWN TENANTS,

Respondents.

NO. 18-2-56516-2 KNT

LIS PENDENS

Tax Parcel No. 2500600396

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: The Central Puget Sound Regional Transit Authority ("Petitioner" or "Sound Transit") has commenced an eminent domain action affecting title to the real property in the above-entitled and numbered cause in the Superior Court of King County, State of Washington, which action is now pending. The object of this action is to acquire by condemnation, for the purposes set forth in the Petition filed in this action, the

LIS PENDENS - 1

Market Place Tower 2025 First Avenue, Penthouse A Seattle, WA 98121-3125 206.682.0565 Fax: 206.625.1052

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1	real property located in Kent, King County, Washington, as legally described on Exhibit 1
2	attached to this Notice.
3	This Lis Pendens shall be deemed released at the conclusion of the above captioned
4	action and any appeal therefrom.
5	DATED this December 6, 2018.
6	ELLIS, LI & McKINSTRY PLLC
7	By: AUX M. JUMA Keith A. Kemper, WSBA No. 19438
8	Peter B. Dolan, WSBA No. 48144 2025 First Avenue, PHA
9	Seattle, WA 98121 Tel: (206) 682-0565
10	Fax: (206) 625-1052 Email: kkemper@elmlaw.com
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1	STATE OF WASHINGTON ) ss.
2	COUNTY OF KING )
3	I certify that I know or have satisfaction evidence that Keith A. Kemper is the
4	person who appeared before me, and said person acknowledged that he signed this
5	instrument, and on oath stated that he was authorized to execute the instrument and
6	acknowledged it to be his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes mentioned in
7	this instrument.
8	DATED this May of December, 2018.
9	EMO .
10	(Signature)
11	(Printed name)
12	NOTARY PUBLIC in and for the State of
13	Washington residing at White My commission expires:
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15	LINDA KHAMPRADITH Notary Public
16	State of Washington  My Commission Expires
17	November 15, 2019
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# EXHIBIT 1

That portion of Lots 1 and 2, Block 4, Federal Highway Addition, according to the plat thereof, recorded in Volume 30 of Plats, Pages 1 and 2, in King County, Washington, described as follows:

Beginning at the most Southerly corner of said Lot 2; and running

Thence North 08°54'14" East along the Westerly line of said Lots 2 and 1 and along the Easterly line of 30th Avenue South, 216 feet;

Thence South 40°05'15" East parallel to the Northeasterly lines of said Lots 1 and 2 to the Southeasterly line of said Lot 2;

Thence South 49°54'45" West along the Southwesterly line of said Lot 2, to the Point of Beginning, in King County, Washington.

## King County Superior Court Clerk's Office EFiling Confirmation Receipt

Case Number:

18-2-56516-2 KNT

Case Title:

Central Puget Sound Regional Transit Authority, a regional transit authority, dba

Sound Transit vs Greenwood North Kent, LLC, a Washington Limited Liability

Company

Submitted By:

Keith Kemper

Bar Number:

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User ID:

Kemper

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#### IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON FOR THE COUNTY OF KING

Central Puget Sound Regional Transit Authority, a regional transit authority, dba Sound Transit

Plaintiff(s)

NO. 18-2-56516-2 KNT

ORDER SETTING CONDEMNATION/EMINENT

DOMAIN CASE SCHEDULE

VS

ASSIGNED JUDGE: ERLICK, Dept. 51

Greenwood North Kent, LLC, a Washington Limited Liability Company, et al.

FILED DATE: 12/06/2018

Defendant(s) TRIAL DATE: 07/29/2019

A Petition for Condemnation and Eminent Domain has been filed in the King County Superior Court and will be managed by the Case Schedule on Page 3 as ordered by the King County Superior Court Presiding Judge.

#### I. NOTICES

#### NOTICE TO PETITIONER:

The Petitioner may serve a copy of this Order Setting Case Schedule (Schedule) on the Respondent(s) along with the Summons and Petition. Otherwise, the Petitioner shall serve the Schedule on the Respondent(s) within 10 days after the later of: (1) the filing of the Summons and Petition or (2) service of the Respondent's first response to the Petition, whether that response is a Notice of Appearance, a response, or a Civil Rule 12 (CR 12) motion. The Schedule may be served by regular mail, with proof of mailing to be filed promptly in the form required by Civil Rule 5 (CR 5).

#### NOTICE TO ALL PARTIES:

All attorneys and parties should make themselves familiar with the King County Local Rules [KCLCR], especially those referred to in this Schedule. In order to comply with the Schedule, it will be necessary for attorneys and parties to pursue their cases vigorously from the day the case is filed. For example, discovery must be undertaken promptly in order to comply with the deadlines for joining additional parties, claims, and defenses [See KCLCR 16.1], for disclosing possible witnesses [See KCLCR 26], and for meeting the discovery cutoff date [See KCLCR 37(g)].

You are required to give a copy of these documents to all parties in this case.

#### I. NOTICES (continued)

#### PENDING DUE DATES CANCELED BY FILING PAPERS THAT RESOLVE THE CASE:

When a final decree, judgment, or order of dismissal of <u>all parties and claims</u> is filed with the Superior Court Clerk's Office, and a courtesy copy delivered to the assigned judge, all pending due dates in this *Schedule* are automatically canceled, including the scheduled Trial Date. It is the responsibility of the parties to 1) file such dispositive documents within 45 days of the resolution of the case, and 2) strike any pending motions by notifying the bailiff to the assigned judge.

Parties may also authorize the Superior Court to strike all pending due dates and the Trial Date by filing a *Notice of Settlement* pursuant to KCLCR 41, and forwarding a courtesy copy to the assigned judge. If a final decree, judgment or order of dismissal of <u>all parties and claims</u> is not filed by 45 days after a *Notice of Settlement*, the case may be dismissed with notice.

If you miss your scheduled Trial Date, the Superior Court Clerk is authorized by KCLCR 41(b)(2)(A) to present an *Order of Dismissal*, without notice, for failure to appear at the scheduled Trial Date.

#### NOTICES OF APPEARANCE OR WITHDRAWAL AND ADDRESS CHANGES:

All parties to this action must keep the court informed of their addresses. When a Notice of Appearance/Withdrawal or Notice of Change of Address is filed with the Superior Court Clerk's Office, parties must provide the assigned judge with a courtesy copy.

#### **NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANCE FEES:**

All parties will be assessed a fee authorized by King County Code 4A.630.020 whenever the Superior Court Clerk must send notice of non-compliance of schedule requirements <u>and/or</u> Local Rule 41.

King County Local Rules are available for viewing at <a href="https://www.kingcounty.gov/courts/clerk">www.kingcounty.gov/courts/clerk</a>.

#### II. CASE SCHEDULE

	CASE EVENT	EVENT DATE
*	Petition for Condemnation Filed and Schedule Issued.	12/06/2018
*	ADLINE for Filing of Notice For Public Use and Necessity Hearing 01/17/2019 endar.	
	<b>DEADLINE</b> for Early Trial Date Request.	01/31/2019
*	Filing of Jury Demand, if applicable [See KCLCR 38(b)(2).]	01/31/2019
	<b>DEADLINE</b> : Discovery Cutoff [See KCLCR 37(g)].	06/10/2019
	<b>DEADLINE</b> for Engaging in Alternative Dispute Resolution [KCLCR 16(b)].	07/01/2019
	<b>DEADLINE</b> : Exchange Witness & Exhibit Lists & Documentary Exhibits [KCLCR 4(j)].	07/08/2019
*	<b>DEADLINE:</b> File Joint Confirmation of Trial Readiness [KCLCR 16].	07/08/2019
*	Joint Statement of Evidence [See KCLCR 4(k)].	07/22/2019
	Trial Date [See KCLCR 40].	07/29/2019

The \* indicates a document that must be filed with the Superior Court Clerk's Office by the date shown.

#### III. ORDER

Pursuant to Revised Code of Washington (R.C.W.) 8.08.040, 8.12.090 and King County Local Rule 4 [KCLCR 4], IT IS ORDERED that the parties shall comply with the schedule listed above. Penalties, including but not limited to sanctions set forth in Local Rule 4(g) and Rule 37 of the Superior Court Civil Rules, may be imposed for failure to comply. It is FURTHER ORDERED that the party filing this action must serve this *Order Setting Condemnation/Eminent Domain Case Schedule* and attachment on all other parties.

DATED:	12/06/2018	2671937
		PRESIDING JUDGE

# IV. ORDER ON CIVIL PROCEEDINGS FOR ASSIGNMENT TO JUDGE

#### READ THIS ORDER BEFORE CONTACTING YOUR ASSIGNED JUDGE.

This case is assigned to the Superior Court Judge whose name appears in the caption of this case schedule. The assigned Superior Court Judge will preside over and manage this case for all pretrial matters.

**COMPLEX LITIGATION:** If you anticipate an unusually complex or lengthy trial, please notify the assigned court as soon as possible.

**APPLICABLE RULES:** Except as specifically modified below, all the provisions of King County Local Civil Rules 4 through 26 shall apply to the processing of civil cases before Superior Court Judges. The local civil rules can be found at <a href="https:/www.kingcounty.gov/courts/clerk/rules/Civil">www.kingcounty.gov/courts/clerk/rules/Civil</a>.

**CASE SCHEDULE AND REQUIREMENTS:** Deadlines are set by the case schedule, issued pursuant to Local Civil Rule 4.

# THE PARTIES ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR KNOWING AND COMPLYING WITH ALL DEADLINES IMPOSED BY THE COURT'S LOCAL CIVIL RULES.

### A. Joint Confirmation regarding Trial Readiness Report

No later than twenty one (21) days before the trial date, parties shall complete and file (with a copy to the assigned judge) a joint confirmation report setting forth whether a jury demand has been filed, the expected duration of the trial, whether a settlement conference has been held, and special problems and needs (e.g., interpreters, equipment).

The Joint Confirmation Regarding Trial Readiness form is available at <a href="www.kingcounty.gov/courts/scforms">www.kingcounty.gov/courts/scforms</a>. If parties wish to request a CR 16 conference, they must contact the assigned court. Plaintiff's/petitioner's counsel is responsible for contacting the other parties regarding the report.

#### B. Settlement/Mediation/ADR

- a. Forty five (45) days before the trial date, counsel for plaintiff/petitioner shall submit a written settlement demand. Ten (10) days after receiving plaintiff's/petitioner's written demand, counsel for defendant/respondent shall respond (with a counter offer, if appropriate).
- b. Twenty eight (28) days before the trial date, a Settlement/Mediation/ADR conference shall have been held. FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH THIS SETTLEMENT CONFERENCE REQUIREMENT MAY RESULT IN SANCTIONS.

#### C. Trial

Trial is scheduled for 9:00 a.m. on the date on the case schedule or as soon thereafter as convened by the court. The Friday before trial, the parties should access the court's civil standby calendar on the King County Superior Court website www.kingcounty.gov/courts/superiorcourt to confirm the trial judge assignment.

#### **MOTIONS PROCEDURES**

#### A. Noting of Motions

**Dispositive Motions:** All summary judgment or other dispositive motions will be heard with oral argument before the assigned judge. The moving party must arrange with the hearing judge a date and time for the hearing, consistent with the court rules. Local Civil Rule 7 and Local Civil Rule 56 govern procedures for summary judgment or other motions that dispose of the case in whole or in part. The local civil rules can be found at www.kingcounty.gov/courts/clerk/rules/Civil.

**Non-dispositive Motions:** These motions, which include discovery motions, will be ruled on by the assigned judge without oral argument, unless otherwise ordered. All such motions must be noted for a date by which the ruling is requested; this date must likewise conform to the applicable notice requirements. Rather than noting a time of day, the Note for Motion should state "Without Oral Argument." Local Civil Rule

7 governs these motions, which include discovery motions. The local civil rules can be found at www.kingcounty.gov/courts/clerk/rules/Civil.

**Motions in Family Law Cases not involving children:** Discovery motions to compel, motions in limine, motions relating to trial dates and motions to vacate judgments/dismissals shall be brought before the assigned judge. All other motions should be noted and heard on the Family Law Motions calendar. Local Civil Rule 7 and King County Family Law Local Rules govern these procedures. The local rules can be found at www.kingcounty.gov/courts/clerk/rules.

**Emergency Motions:** Under the court's local civil rules, emergency motions will usually be allowed only upon entry of an Order Shortening Time. However, some emergency motions may be brought in the Ex Parte and Probate Department as expressly authorized by local rule. In addition, discovery disputes may be addressed by telephone call and without written motion, if the judge approves in advance.

B. Original Documents/Working Copies/ Filing of Documents: All original documents must be filed with the Clerk's Office. Please see information on the Clerk's Office website at <a href="https://www.kingcounty.gov/courts/clerk">www.kingcounty.gov/courts/clerk</a> regarding the requirement outlined in LGR 30 that attorneys must e-file documents in King County Superior Court. The exceptions to the e-filing requirement are also available on the Clerk's Office website. The local rules can be found at <a href="https://www.kingcounty.gov/courts/clerk/rules">www.kingcounty.gov/courts/clerk/rules</a>.

The working copies of all documents in support or opposition must be marked on the upper right corner of the first page with the date of consideration or hearing and the name of the assigned judge. The assigned judge's working copies must be delivered to his/her courtroom or the Judges' mailroom. Working copies of motions to be heard on the Family Law Motions Calendar should be filed with the Family Law Motions Coordinator. Working copies can be submitted through the Clerk's office E-Filing application at <a href="https://www.kingcounty.gov/courts/clerk/documents/eWC">www.kingcounty.gov/courts/clerk/documents/eWC</a>.

**Service of documents:** Pursuant to Local General Rule 30(b)(4)(B), e-filed documents shall be electronically served through the e-Service feature within the Clerk's eFiling application. Pre-registration to accept e-service is required. E-Service generates a record of service document that can be e-filed. Please see the Clerk's office website at www.kingcounty.gov/courts/clerk/documents/efiling regarding E-Service.

Original Proposed Order: Each of the parties must include an original proposed order granting requested relief with the working copy materials submitted on any motion. Do not file the original of the proposed order with the Clerk of the Court. Should any party desire a copy of the order as signed and filed by the judge, a pre-addressed, stamped envelope shall accompany the proposed order. The court may distribute orders electronically. Review the judge's website for information: <a href="https://www.kingcounty.gov/courts/SuperiorCourt/judges">www.kingcounty.gov/courts/SuperiorCourt/judges</a>.

Presentation of Orders for Signature: All orders must be presented to the assigned judge or to the Ex Parte and Probate Department, in accordance with Local Civil Rules 40 and 40.1. Such orders, if presented to the Ex Parte and Probate Department, shall be submitted through the E-Filing/Ex Parte via the Clerk application by the attorney(s) of record. E-filing is not required for self-represented parties (non-attorneys). If the assigned judge is absent, contact the assigned court for further instructions. If another judge enters an order on the case, counsel is responsible for providing the assigned judge with a copy.

Proposed orders finalizing settlement and/or dismissal by agreement of all parties shall be presented to the Ex Parte and Probate Department. Such orders shall be submitted through the E-Filing/Ex Parte via the Clerk application by the attorney(s) of record. E-filing is not required for self-represented parties (nonattorneys). Formal proof in Family Law cases must be scheduled before the assigned judge by contacting the bailiff, or formal proof may be entered in the Ex Parte Department. If final order and/or formal proof are entered in the Ex Parte and Probate Department, counsel is responsible for providing the assigned judge with a copy.

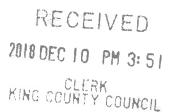
#### C. Form

Pursuant to Local Civil Rule 7(b)(5)(B), the initial motion and opposing memorandum shall not exceed 4,200 words and reply memoranda shall not exceed 1,750 words without authorization of the court. The word count

includes all portions of the document, including headings and footnotes, except 1) the caption; 2) table of contents and/or authorities, if any; and 3): the signature block. Over-length memoranda/briefs and motions supported by such memoranda/briefs may be stricken.

IT IS SO ORDERED. FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ORDER MAY RESULT IN DISMISSAL OR OTHER SANCTIONS. PLAINTIFF/PEITITONER SHALL FORWARD A COPY OF THIS ORDER AS SOON AS PRACTICABLE TO ANY PARTY WHO HAS NOT RECEIVED THIS ORDER.

PRESIDING JUDGE



# IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON FOR THE COUNTY OF KING

Central Puget Sound Regional Transit Authority, a regional transit authority, dba Sound Transit

No. 18-2-56516-2 KNT

CASE INFORMATION COVER SHEET AND AREA DESIGNATION

vs

(CICS)

Greenwood North Kent, LLC, a Washington Limited Liability Company

## **CAUSE OF ACTION**

CON - Condemnation

### **AREA OF DESIGNATION**

**KNT** 

All of King County south of Interstate 90 except those areas included in the Seattle Case Assignment Area.

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Petitioner

VS

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**CASE NO. 18-2-56516-2 KNT** 

NOTICE OF COURT DATE (Judges) (NOTICE FOR HEARING) KENT REGIONAL JUSTICE CENTER ONLY

(Clerk's Action Required) (NTHG)

Respondents.

TO: THE CLERK OF THE COURT and to all other parties per list on Page 2:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that an issue of law in this case will be heard on the date below and the Clerk is directed to note this issue on the calendar checked below.

Calendar Date: December 31, 2018

Day of Week: Monday

Nature of Motion: Motion for Order and Judgment Adjudicating Public Use and Necessity

#### CASES ASSIGNED TO INDIVIDUAL JUDGES - RJC

If oral argument on the motion is allowed (LCR 7(b)(2)), contact staff of assigned judge to schedule date and time before filing this notice. **Working Papers**: The <u>judge's name</u>, date and time of hearing <u>must</u> be noted in the upper right corner of the Judge's copy. **Deliver Judge's copies to Judges' Mailroom at RJC** 

[X] Without oral argument (Mon - Fri)

[ ] With oral argument Hearing

Date/Time: December 31, 2018

Judge's Name: The Honorable John P. Erlick

Trial Date: July 29, 2019

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Petitioner,

VS.

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Respondents.

NO. 18-2-56516-2 KNT

PETITIONER'S MOTION FOR ORDER AND JUDGMENT ADJUDICATING PUBLIC USE AND NECESSITY

Tax Parcel No. 2500600396

# I. RELIEF REQUESTED

The Central Puget Sound Regional Transit Authority ("Petitioner" or "Sound Transit") moves the Court for an order and judgment adjudicating public use and necessity.

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# II. STATEMENT OF FACTS

Public Use and Necessity: This is a condemnation action. On November 5, 1996, November 4, 2008, and most recently on November 8, 2016, voters approved local funding to implement a regional high-capacity transit system for the Central Puget Sound region ("Sound Move, ST2, and ST3, respectively"). Declaration of Kim Wong. In part, Sound Move, ST2, and ST3 provide for the implementation of a high capacity light rail service and transit improvements. *Id.* They further provide for the construction, operation, and permanent location of an electric light rail project and related facilities ("Link Light Rail"). Certain real property and real property interests must be acquired in order to permanently locate, construct, operate, and maintain the Federal Way Link Extension and its related facilities (the "Project"). *Id.* 

On August 24, 2017, the Sound Transit Board of Directors (the "Board") adopted Resolution No. R2017-30 (the "Resolution"). *Id.* A certified copy of the Resolution is attached as Exhibit 2 to the Petition in Eminent Domain on file in this case and is incorporated here by this reference. As provided for in the Resolution, certain land, property and property rights must be acquired in order to locate, construct, operate, and maintain the Project, including real property identified as King County Tax Parcel No. 2500600396 (the "Parcel"), in which Respondents hold an interest. *Id.* 

By adoption of the Resolution, the Board resolved the Project to be a public use for a public purpose. *Id.* The Board also resolved that: (a) such land, property, and property rights identified in the Resolution are necessary to locate, construct, operate, and maintain the Project; and (b) the public health, safety, necessity, convenience, and welfare

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demand and require that such land, property, and property rights be immediately acquired to locate, construct, operate, and maintain the Project. *Id*.

Specifically, Petitioner seeks to appropriate and take a permanent fee simple absolute interest in the entire Parcel for the construction and maintenance of the Federal Way Link Extension and associated rail station. The Parcel is necessary for the construction, operation, maintenance, and location of the Project. *Id.* 

Notice of Final Action: Before taking final action to adopt Resolution R2017-30, which authorizes condemnation of the subject property, Petitioner mailed and published notice as required under RCW 8.25.290. Declaration of Keith A. Kemper, Exhibit A.

Specifically, on August 8, 2017, and at least 15 days before the August 24, 2017 Board meeting, Petitioner mailed a notice of its intent to take final action (the "Mail Notice") by certified mail to each and every property owner of record as indicated on the tax rolls of the county to the address provided on such tax rolls for the Parcel, and specifically mailed the notice to Greenwood North/Kent LLC, 4758 229th PI SE, Sammamish, WA 98075. *Id.* The Mail Notice included a general description of the Parcel including its address and tax parcel number and indicated that a Resolution authorizing condemnation of the Parcel would be considered and potentially adopted during the Board's August 24, 2017 meeting. *Id.* The Mail Notice gave the date, time and location of the Board meeting. *Id.* 

Petitioner also published a notice of its intent to take final action authorizing the acquisition of the Parcel through condemnation (the "Publication Notice"). *Id.* The Publication Notice described the Parcel by its tax parcel number or address and indicated

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that the Board would determine at the meeting whether or not to adopt a resolution authorizing Petitioner to condemn the Parcel. Id. The Publication Notice gave the date, time and location of the Board meeting. *Id.* The Publication Notice was published in *The* Seattle Times and The News Tribune, being the legal newspaper with the largest circulation in the jurisdiction where the Parcel is located, once a week for two consecutive weeks before the August 24, 2017 Board meeting. Id. Petitioner routinely uses The Seattle Times and The News Tribune to publish its legal notices. Id. Proof of circulation as established by the publisher's affidavit is on file with Petitioner. *Id.* 

## STATEMENT OF THE ISSUES

- Whether Petitioner is authorized to bring and maintain this condemnation
- Whether Petitioner's Motion should be granted and an Order and Judgment Adjudicating Public Use and Necessity entered by this Court.

## **EVIDENCE RELIED UPON**

This motion is supported by the files and records on file herein, the Declaration of Kim Wong, and the Declaration of Keith A. Kemper with the attached Declaration of

### **AUTHORITY**

PETITIONER IS AUTHORIZED TO BRING AND MAINTAIN THIS

Petitioner undertook diligent efforts to provide the notice required pursuant to RCW 8.25.290 prior to taking final action authorizing this condemnation action. And this condemnation action is properly brought by Petitioner pursuant to an express legislative

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delegation of the power to condemn.

- 1. <u>Notice of Final Action</u>: Pursuant to RCW 8.25.290(1), the condemnor must provide notice before it takes final action authorizing a condemnation action. The notice is to be given by certified mail to the taxpayer of record at the address on the county tax rolls and to be published. RCW 8.25.290(2). As described above, Petitioner timely mailed and published notice before taking final action to authorize the condemnation of the Parcel. Petitioner's efforts constitute sufficient notice under RCW 8.25.290.
- 2. Express Legislative Delegation of Power to Condemn: Petitioner properly brings this condemnation action pursuant to an express legislative delegation of the power to condemn. Specifically, Petitioner is authorized to condemn all lands, rights of way, property, equipment, and accessories necessary for the construction, operation, maintenance, and location of a high-capacity regional mass transportation system pursuant to the procedures established for condemnation by cities of the first class. This authority is set forth in RCW 81.112.080, which provides, in relevant part, as follows:

An authority shall have the following powers in addition to the general powers granted by this chapter: . . . (2) to acquire by purchase, condemnation, gift or grant . . . high-capacity transportation facilities and properties within authority boundaries . . . and such other facilities and properties as may be necessary . . . together with all lands, rights of way, property, equipment, and accessories necessary for such high-capacity transportation systems . . . [t]he right of eminent domain shall be exercised by an authority in the same manner and by the same procedure as or may be provided by law for cities of the first class, except insofar as such laws may be inconsistent with the provisions of this chapter . . . .

RCW 81.112.080. Sound Transit has the express authority to condemn the Parcel.

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B. PETITIONER'S MOTION SHOULD BE GRANTED AND AN ORDER AND JUDGMENT ADJUDICATING PUBLIC USE AND NECESSITY ENTERED BY THIS COURT.

The exercise of a statutory right of eminent domain by condemnation occurs in three phases: (a) adjudication of public use and necessity; (b) determination of just compensation to be awarded to the owner; and (c) payment of just compensation and transfer of title. *Mercer Island School District v. Scalzo, Inc.*, 54 Wn.2d 539, 540, 342 P.2d 225 (1959); *Des Moines v. Hemenway*, 73 Wn.2d 130, 138, 437 P.2d 171 (1968).

This Motion addresses only the first of the three phases – the adjudication of public use and necessity. To enter a decree of public use and necessity, this Court must find that: (1) the use is really a public use; (2) the public interest requires it; and (3) the property to be appropriated is necessary for that use. *Hemenway*, 73 Wn.2d at 138.

1. <u>Public Use</u>: The issue of whether the proposed acquisition is actually for a public use is a judicial question.

Eminent Domain. Private property shall not be taken for private use . . . [w]henever an attempt is made to take private property for a use alleged to be public, the question of whether a contemplated use be really public shall be a judicial question . . . .

Wash. const. art. 1 §16. Additionally, RCW 8.12.090 specifically states that the issue of public use in condemnations by cities of the first class is a judicial question.

Whenever an attempt is made to take private property, for a use alleged to be public under authority of this chapter, the question whether the contemplated use be really public shall be a judicial question and shall be determined as such by the court before inquiry is had into the question of compensation to be made.

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Moreover, the Court shall give a legislative determination of public use great weight. Hemenway, 73 Wn.2d at 133; Tacoma v. Welcker, 65 Wn.2d 677, 399 P.2d 330 (1965). Public transportation has long been recognized as a public use within the contemplation of the power of eminent domain. State ex rel. Devonshire v. Superior Court for King County, 70 Wn.2d 630, 636, 424 P.2d 913 (1967) (citing State ex rel. McIntosh v. Superior Court for Pacific County, 56 Wash. 214, 105 Pac. 637 (1909), cert. denied, 389 U.S. 1023 (1967)).

In this case, Petitioner's evidence shows that the Parcel, which is being condemned in order to permanently locate, construct, operate and maintain the Project, is being acquired for a public use – a regional high-capacity mass transportation system as authorized by the State Constitution and Legislature. And, the specific plans for the Parcel are not relevant in adjudicating the public use and necessity of a condemnation action. See State ex rel. Agee v. Superior Court for King County, 58 Wn.2d 838, 365 P.2d 16 (1961). Certification of public use requires only that the property condemned be put to the use designated and which use has been determined to be public. *Id*.

2. <u>Public Interest and Public Necessity</u>: In contrast to public use, the issues of public interest and public necessity are solely legislative. *See State ex rel. Sternoff v. Superior Court for King County*, 52 Wn.2d 282, 325 P.2d 300 (1958). "Necessity" means reasonable necessity under the circumstances. *Hemenway*, 73 Wn.2d at 133. "It does not

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> RCW 8.12.090 does not require a testimonial evidentiary hearing before the issue of public use and necessity may be adjudicated. *Blaine v. Feldstein*, 129 Wn. App. 73, 76, 117 P.3d 1169 (2005). Rather, the statute requires that the same procedures used in "other civil actions" be used. *Id.* In other civil actions, such evidentiary hearings are at the discretion of the trial court and are typically used only if there are relevant factual or credibility issues that require such a hearing. *Id.* 

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mean immediate, absolute or indispensable need, but rather considers the right of the public to expect or demand that certain services be provided." *Id.* (citing Welcker, 65 Wn.2d at 683-84; *In re Port of Seattle*, 66 Wn.2d 598, 404 P.2d 25 (1965)). It encompasses "reasonable anticipation of future needs." *State ex rel. Hunter v. Superior Court for Snohomish County*, 34 Wn.2d 214, 216, 208 P.2d 866 (1949).

A declaration by the appropriate legislative body that the proposed acquisition is necessary to accomplish a public purpose, "will, by the courts, be deemed conclusive, in the absence of proof of actual fraud or such arbitrary and capricious conduct as would amount to constructive fraud." Welcker, 65 Wn.2d at 684; In re Port of Seattle, 80 Wn.2d 392, 398, 495 P.2d 327 (1972); see also State ex rel. Dungan v. Superior Court for Grant County, 46 Wn.2d 219, 279 P.2d 918 (1955) ("In condemnation proceedings brought by cities, the court is bound by the legislative determination of the city council that the taking or damaging of certain land is necessary for the contemplated project."). Selection of a specific site for the proposed use is also a legislative question. A legislative determination is deemed conclusive unless proved to have been done without statutory authority, in bad faith, as an abuse of power, or in an arbitrary and capricious manner. Hunter, 34 Wn.2d at 219.

The objector has the burden of proving fraud or constructive fraud. *In re Port of Grays Harbor*, 30 Wn. App. 855, 862, 638 P.2d 633 (1982), *review denied*, 97 Wn.2d 1010 (1982). Arbitrary and capricious is "willful and unreasoning action without consideration and regard for the facts and circumstances." *Welcker*, 65 Wn.2d at 684. The fact that there is room for two opinions does not make the legislative action arbitrary and capricious if

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it is "exercised honestly, fairly, and upon due consideration," even where a belief may exist that an erroneous conclusion has been reached. *Miller v. Tacoma*, 61 Wn.2d 374, 390, 378 P.2d 464 (1963).

Sound Transit, through the exercise of proper legislative authority, declared that public interest, necessity and convenience require acquisition of the Parcel for the location, construction, operation, and maintenance of the Project. *See* Resolution R2017-30, Petition, Ex. 2. Petitioner's Resolution regarding public interest, public necessity, and site selection is conclusive. *State ex rel. Sternoff*, 52 Wn.2d at 293-96. Moreover, Sound Transit's decision does not constitute fraud, nor is it arbitrary and capricious so as to constitute constructive fraud.

## VI. CONCLUSION AND ORDER

In summary, Sound Transit has the authority to condemn and it has provided the appropriate notice to the appropriate persons prior to initiating this action. Sound Transit has acted with due consideration and followed the appropriate process for determining public use and necessity.

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1	A form of proposed Findings, Conclusions, Order and Judgment are filed with this
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3	DATED this December 6, 2018.
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FINDINGS OF FACT, CONCLUSIONS OF LAW, ORDER AND JUDGMENT ADJUDICATING PUBLIC USE AND NECESSITY

[PROPOSED]

Tax Parcel No. 2500600396

THIS MATTER came on regularly for hearing before the undersigned judge, upon the motion of Petitioner Central Puget Sound Regional Transit Authority ("Sound Transit"). The Respondents in this action have been identified in Sound Transit's Petition and it appears that said Respondents have all received due and proper notice of this hearing.

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Respondents or their attorneys have either appeared but not objected to entry of these Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, Order and Judgment Adjudicating Public Use and Necessity, have not appeared, or having appeared and objected to entry, their objections were considered and overruled. The Court, having jurisdiction over each and all of the Respondents and the subject matter of this action, having considered the motion, declarations in support, opposition, if any, and the files and records herein, and being fully advised, has determined that the relief sought by Petitioner is proper.

## FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. Sound Transit is a duly organized and acting regional transit authority, existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Washington. RCW 81.112.080. Petitioner is authorized by statute to construct and operate a high-capacity transportation system within authority boundaries. RCW 81.112.010.
- 2. Respondents either own or have an interest in the land, property, and property rights, which are the subject of this condemnation action commenced pursuant to Chapter 81.112 RCW.
- 3. On or about August 24, 2017, by Petitioner's Resolution No. R2017-30 ("Resolution"), Sound Transit's Board of Directors (the "Board") authorized the condemnation, taking, damaging, and appropriation of certain lands, properties and property rights in order to permanently locate, construct, operate and maintain the Federal Way Link Extension and its related facilities (the "Project"). Certain real property and real property rights must be acquired in order to permanently locate, construct, operate, and maintain the Project. A copy of the Resolution is attached as Exhibit 2 to the

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Petition on file in this action and it is incorporated here by this reference. Included within these lands, properties and property rights is land, property, and property rights situated in Kent, King County, Washington, in which Respondents hold an interest.

- 4. Before taking final action to adopt the Resolution, Petitioner mailed and published the required notices pursuant to RCW 8.25.290 with the date, time and location of the Board meeting at which Petitioner intended to take final action and authorize the acquisition of the subject property through condemnation, which notice also generally described the property.
- 5. The land, property, and property rights that Sound Transit seeks to and is authorized to condemn, and in which Respondents hold an interest, is identified as King County Tax Parcel No. 2500600396 (the "Parcel").
- 6. With this condemnation, Sound Transit seeks to appropriate and take a permanent fee simple absolute interest in the entire Parcel, for construction and maintenance of the Project, as legally described in Exhibit 1 attached.
- 7. The Parcel is necessary and will be used for a public purpose: locating, constructing, operating and maintaining the Project.
  - 8. The Respondents have been served with notice and a copy of the Petition.
- 9. There was no fraud, actual or constructive, no abuse of power, bad faith, or arbitrary and capricious conduct by Sound Transit.

# **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

The Court hereby makes the following Conclusions of Law:

- 1. The Court has jurisdiction over the parties and the subject matter of this action.
- 2. Sound Transit is a regional transit authority, existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Washington.
- 3. Sound Transit is authorized by statute to condemn for public use, which includes locating, constructing, operating and maintaining the Project. Condemnation of lands, properties and property rights to locate, construct, operate and maintain the Project is within the statutory authority of Petitioner.
- 4. Sound Transit, having mailed and published notice with the date, time and location of the Board meeting at which Sound Transit intended to take final action and authorize the acquisition of the Parcel through condemnation, which notice generally described the Parcel, made a diligent attempt to provide sufficient notice and this Court does hereby deem the notice given by Petitioner, as described in the Declaration of Mike Bulzomi attached as Exhibit A to the Declaration of Keith A. Kemper filed herewith, to be sufficient to satisfy the requirements of RCW 8.25.290.
- 5. The taking and damaging of lands, properties and property rights in order to locate, construct, operate and maintain the Project is for a public use.
  - 6. The public interest requires the proposed use.
  - 7. Appropriation of the Parcel is necessary for the proposed use.
- 8. Sound Transit is entitled to the issuance of an order finding public use and necessity for the taking of the Parcel for public purposes.

# **ORDER AND JUDGMENT** 1 NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED 2 3 that there is public use and necessity for taking of the Parcel for public purposes. 4 DONE IN OPEN COURT this \_\_\_\_\_ day of December, 2018. 5 6 THE HONORABLE JOHN P. ERLICK 7 8 Presented by: ELLIS, LI & McKINSTRY PLLC 10 By: s/ Keith A. Kemper Keith A. Kemper, WSBA No. 19438 Peter B. Dolan, WSBA No. 48144 2025 First Avenue, PHA 12 Seattle, WA 98121 (206) 682-0565 Tel: 13 (206) 625-1052 Fax: 14 Email: kkemper@elmlaw.com pdolan@elmlaw.com 15 Attorneys for Petitioner 16 17 18 19 20 21

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# **EXHIBIT 1**

That portion of Lots 1 and 2, Block 4, Federal Highway Addition, according to the plat thereof, recorded in Volume 30 of Plats, Pages 1 and 2, in King County, Washington, described as follows:

Beginning at the most Southerly corner of said Lot 2; and running

Thence North 08°54'14" East along the Westerly line of said Lots 2 and 1 and along the Easterly line of 30th Avenue South, 216 feet;

Thence South 40°05'15" East parallel to the Northeasterly lines of said Lots 1 and 2 to the Southeasterly line of said Lot 2;

Thence South 49°54'45" West along the Southwesterly line of said Lot 2, to the Point of Beginning, in King County, Washington.

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DECLARATION OF KEITH A. KEMPER IN SUPPORT OF PETITIONER'S MOTION FOR ORDER AND JUDGMENT ADJUDICATING PUBLIC USE AND **NECESSITY** 

Tax Parcel No. 2500600396

I, Keith A. Kemper, declare as follows:

1. I am an attorney with the law firm of Ellis, Li & McKinstry, PLLC, the attorneys of record for Petitioner, Central Puget Sound Regional Transit Authority ("Sound Transit"), in this case. I have personal knowledge of and I am competent to testify about the following:

DECLARATION OF KEITH A. KEMPER - 1

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- 2. This is an eminent domain action. Petitioner brings this motion for an order and judgment adjudicating public use and necessity.
- 3. As required by RCW 8.25.290, Sound Transit provided notice before taking final action authorizing this condemnation action. Attached hereto as <u>Exhibit A</u> is a true and correct copy of the Declaration of Mike Bulzomi Regarding Notice of Final Action Tax Parcel No. 2500600396, evidencing the steps taken by Sound Transit prior to taking final action to authorize condemnation in this matter.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Washington that the above is true and correct

DATED in Seattle, Washington, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of December, 2018.

Keith A. Kemper

# **EXHIBIT A**

# Declaration of Mike Bulzomi Regarding Notice of Final Action Tax Parcel No. 2500600396 ROW No. FL208

- I, Mike Bulzomi, the Senior Real Property Agent for the Central Puget Sound Regional Transit Authority ("Petitioner"), herein make the following declaration regarding notice of final action given by Petitioner. The statements in this declaration are based upon my personal knowledge and I am otherwise competent to testify.
- 1. Before taking final action to adopt Resolution R2017-30, which is the resolution that authorizes condemnation of that portion of the property that is the subject of this condemnation action (the "Condemned Property"), Petitioner mailed and published notice as required under RCW 8.25.290.
- 2. Specifically, on August 8, 2017, which was at least 15 days before the August 24, 2017 Sound Transit Board of Directors (the "Board") meeting at which Petitioner proposed to take final action authorizing the acquisition of the Condemned Property through condemnation, Petitioner mailed notice of its intent to take final action (the "Mail Notice") by certified mail to each and every property owner of record as indicated on the tax rolls of the county to the address provided on such tax roll for the Condemned Property, to wit: Greenwood North/Kent LLC, 4758 229<sup>th</sup> Pl SE, Sammamish, WA 98075. Attached hereto as Exhibit 1 is the true and correct copy of the Mail Notice with Certified Mail Receipt.
- 3. The Mail Notice included a general description of the Condemned Property including the address and tax parcel number and indicated that a resolution authorizing condemnation of the Condemned Property would be considered and potentially adopted during the Board meeting. The Mail Notice gave the date, time and location of the Board meeting.
- 4. In addition, Petitioner also published a notice of its intent to take final action authorizing the acquisition of the Condemned Property through condemnation (the "Publication Notice").

5. The Publication Notice described the property by its tax parcel number or address and indicated that the Board would determine at the meeting whether or not to adopt a resolution

authorizing Petitioner to condemn the Condemned Property. The Publication Notice also gave

the date, time and location of the Board meeting.

The Publication Notice was published in The Seattle Times, being the legal

newspaper with the largest circulation in the jurisdiction where the Condemned Property is

located, once a week for two consecutive weeks before the date of the August 24, 2017 Board

meeting. The Seattle Times is also the legal newspaper routinely used by the Petitioner.

Attached hereto as Exhibit 2 is a true copy of the Affidavit of Publication evidencing the dates

of publication in The Seattle Times.

7. The Publication Notice was also published in The News Tribune, the legal

newspaper routinely used by the Petitioner, once a week for two consecutive weeks before the

date of the August 24, 2017 Board meeting. Attached hereto as Exhibit 3 is a true copy of the

Affidavit of Publication evidencing the dates of publication in *The News Tribune*.

8. Proof of circulation as established by publisher's affidavit is on file with Sound

Transit.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Washington that the

above is true and correct.

EXECUTED in Seattle, Washington this 18 day of October, 2018.

Senior Real Property Agent

# EXHIBIT 1



August 8, 2017

Certified Mail

Greenwood North/Kent LLC 4758 229th Pl SE Sammamish, WA 98075

RE:

Notification of Board Action

County Tax Parcel No.: 2500600396 Site Address: 23410 30th Ave S Sound Transit ROW No.: FL208

Dear Greenwood North/Kent LLC:

The Federal Way Link Extension is a 7.8 mile light rail extension from South 200th Street in the City of SeaTac to the Federal Way Transit Center, with service to the cities of SeaTac, Kent, Des Moines, and Federal Way. The extension will follow the south edge of the future SR 509, and continue south along the west side of I-5, and includes three stations at Kent/Des Moines Road, South 272nd Street, and the Federal Way Transit Center Station. New parking structures will be provided at Kent/Des Moines Station and South 272nd Station and an additional parking structure will be provided at the Federal Way Transit Center Station. Construction of the project is expected to begin in 2019, with stations expected to open in 2024.

On August 24, 2017, the Sound Transit Board will consider a resolution authorizing Sound Transit to acquire property interests needed for the construction, operation, and maintenance of the Federal Way Link Extension project. Public records indicate that you own the property identified above that will be impacted by the Federal Way Link Extension project.

If the Sound Transit Board approves the resolution, a right of way agent will contact you to discuss the specific rights Sound Transit proposes to acquire. The law guarantees fair market value will be paid when property or a property right must be acquired, and the owner is entitled to have the amount of compensation determined by a court of law if a negotiated purchase cannot be reached. There are also provisions for property owners to be reimbursed for costs such as appraisals and attorney fees.

Sound Transit is required by law to provide you with formal written notice before it takes final action to authorize the acquisition of the property rights needed to construct the project. This action will include the right to condemn the needed property in the event an acceptable agreement cannot be reached.

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If you wish to attend the Sound Transit Board meeting, the Board meets at 1:30 pm in the Sound Transit Ruth Fisher Board Room located at 401 S. Jackson Street, Seattle, WA. If you would like, you will have the opportunity to express your views on the Resolution during the public comment period at the beginning of the Sound Transit Board meeting.

If you have any questions about the upcoming Sound Transit Board meeting or the Resolution, please contact the Sound Transit Sr. Real Property Agent, Mike Bulzomi at 206-903-7653. General information about the project and the time and location of the Board meeting can be obtained on Sound Transit's website at <a href="http://www.soundtransit.org">http://www.soundtransit.org</a>.

Sincerely,

Kevin Workman Sound Transit

Director of Real Property

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by Wednesday, August 16, 2017 of 5 p.m.

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Tukwita School District No. 406 Board of Directors, King County, Washington, is adopting the operating and capital bud-gots for tiscal year 2017-2016 on Tuesday, August 22nd.

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Attention: JUDY YUEN

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ELIZABETH BROWN, being duly swom, deposes and says: That he/she is the Principal Clerk of the publication; The News Tribune, printed and published in Tacoma, Pierce County, State of Washington, and having a general circulation therein, and which said newspaper(s) have been continuously and uninterruptedly published in said County during a period of six months prior to the first publication of the notice, a copy of which is attached hereto: that said notice was published in The News Tribune, as amended, for

2 Insertions

Published On: August 11, 2017, August 18, 2017

Subscribed and swom on this 21st day of August in the year of 2017 before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared before me Elizabeth Brown known or identified to me to be the person whose name subscribed to the within instrument, and being by first duly swom, declared that the statements therein are true, and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same.

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City of DuPont Planning Commission

Notice of Public Hearing
Description of Process: Public hearing on craft
update to the City of DuPont Comprehensive Plan. for the Yehle Village neighborhood. The proposed amendment to the Comprehensive Plan would allow for increased residential density to support senior housing and limited neighborhood retail and office within a planned community project. Adolfocally, the Planning Commission will be considering amendments to DMC Chapter 25 to incorporate a new section entitled "Complete Community Overlay (CCO)." The preposed CCO provisions will create will allow for a master planned neighborhood with a mixture of uses and set design requirements if approved through a public process and subject to specific development regulations to ensure compatibility with the surround neighborhoods and land uses. Additionally there will be other minor amendments to Chapter 25 to incorporate definitions for new and minor text updates commercial/moved use design guidelines. File Nos-COMP-16-02 & TEXT-16-03 Applicant City of DuPort Department of

Community Development 1700 Civic Drive DuPont, WA 98327

Location: Chywde Reaning Date and Time: Monday, August 28, 2017 e E purb. City Half location: 1700 Civic Drive. DuPont. Washington.

All persons are invited to attend the bearing and provide testimony regarding the proposal. For questions on the proposed amendments, contact Jeff Wason, Community Development Director, at (253) 912-5393 or Jeffson@duportowa.gov. Copies of the Planning Commission packet are available at

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#### Legals & Public Notices

August 17, 2017
NOTICE TO SUBCONTRACTORS AND MATERIALMEN
The State of Washington, Clover Park Technical
College, acting by and through the Department of
Enterprise Services, Engineering & Architectural
Services, Pererby advises all intensets of parties that
Contract No. 2016-255 G (2-1), for Residential
Construction Removation Building #5, Lakewood,
with Construct, Inc., 855 Trosper Rd. SW, No. 108345, Turnwater, WA 98512, has been accepted as
of August 17, 2017.

The lien period for filing any liens against this contract's retained percentage is now in effect. Any liens filed after October 2, 2017, shall be filed as not valid.

State of Washington Department of Enterprise Services Engineering & Architectural Services

In the District Court of the sate of Washington for the county of Pierce, No. 7Z623157A & 7Z623156A

Robert Reed, Mandy Lee, Chipe Marie and Austin Reed Biddulph, Patitioners vs. Richard and Corina Grace Scales, Respondents

The state of Washington to Richard and Corina Grace Scales (respondents):

You are hereby summoned to appear on the 21st day of August 2017, at 1:15 c.m., Courtoom 63 and respond to the petition. If you fail to respond, an order of protection will be issued against you pursuant to the provisions of chapter 10.14 RCW, for a minimum of one year from the date you are required to appear. A copy of the petition notice of heating, and ex parte order has been filled with the clerk of this court.

/s/ Robert Reed Biddulph /s/ Mandy Lee Biddulph

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## PIERCE COUNTY NOTICE OF DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE

Class IV-General Forest Practices Permit Proponent: Mike & Kell Oliver Application Numbers, 860574, 860572 Notice is hereby provided in accordance with PCC, Chapter 18.80 and Section 180.40,050, and WAC 197-11-510 but Pierce County has issued a Determination of Nonsignificance (DNS) on the following proposal: Harvest approximately 20,000 board feet

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The Honorable John P. Erlick
2018 DEC 10 PM 3: 52 Noting Date: Monday, December 31, 2018
(Without Oral Argument)

KING COUNTY COUNCIL Moving Party: Petitioner Sound Transit

#### SUPERIOR COURT OF WASHINGTON FOR KING COUNTY

CENTRAL PUGET SOUND REGIONAL TRANSIT AUTHORITY, a regional transit authority, dba SOUND TRANSIT,

Petitioner,

VS.

GREENWOOD NORTH/KENT, LLC, a Washington Limited Liability Company, A to B AUTO, INC., a Washington Profit Corporation, VIRGIL RAY STEBBINS, individually and his marital community, KING COUNTY, a Washington municipal corporation; CITY OF KENT, a Washington municipal corporation; and ALL UNKNOWN OWNERS and ALL UNKNOWN TENANTS,

Respondents.

NO. 18-2-56516-2 KNT

DECLARATION OF KIM WONG IN SUPPORT OF PETITIONER'S MOTION FOR ORDER AND JUDGMENT ADJUDICATING PUBLIC USE & NECESSITY

Tax Parcel No. 2500600396

- I, Kim Wong, declare as follows:
- 1. I am the Civil Engineering Supervisor (Right-of-Way) for the Central Puget Sound Regional Transit Authority ("Sound Transit"), and I make the following declaration in support of Sound Transit's Motion for Order and Judgment Adjudicating

DECLARATION OF KIM WONG - 1

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Public Use and Necessity. The statements in this declaration are based upon my personal knowledge and I am otherwise competent to testify.

- 2. Sound Transit is a regional transit authority created for the Central Puget Sound region, existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Washington. Sound Transit is specifically authorized by statute to construct and operate a high-capacity transportation system within authority boundaries, and to condemn, if necessary, public and private lands necessary to build such a system.
- 3. On November 5, 1996, November 4, 2008, and November 8, 2016, voters approved local funding to implement a regional high-capacity transit system for the Central Puget Sound region ("Sound Move, ST2, and ST3, respectively"). In part, Sound Move, ST2, and ST3 provide for the implementation, including permanent location, construction, operation and maintenance, of a high capacity light rail service and transit improvements. Certain real property and real property interests must be acquired to permanently locate, construct, operate and maintain the Federal Way Link Extension and its related facilities ("Project").
- 4. On August 24, 2017, the Sound Transit Board of Directors ("Board") adopted Resolution No. R2017-30 ("Resolution"). A certified copy of the Resolution is attached as Exhibit 1 to the Petition in Eminent Domain on file herein, which Exhibit is incorporated here by this reference. As provided in the Resolution, certain land, property and property rights must be acquired to locate, construct, operate and maintain the Project.

- 5. By adoption of the Resolution, the Board resolved the Project to be a public use for a public purpose. By adoption of the Resolution, the Board also resolved that: (a) such land, property and property rights identified in the Resolution are necessary for the location, construction, operation and maintenance of the Project; and (b) the public health, safety, necessity, convenience and welfare demands and requires that such land, property and property rights be immediately acquired to locate, construct, operate and maintain the Project.
- 6. The land, property and property rights identified in the Resolution include the real property identified as King County Tax Parcel No. 2500600396 ("Parcel"), in which Respondents hold an interest.
- 7. Specifically, Sound Transit seeks to appropriate and take a permanent fee simple absolute interest in the entire Parcel for construction and maintenance of the Project, as legally described in Exhibit 2 attached to the Petition in Eminent Domain on file herein, which Exhibit is incorporated here by this reference.
- 8. To the best of my knowledge, there was no fraud, actual or constructive, no abuse of power, bad faith, or arbitrary and capricious conduct by Sound Transit in adopting the Resolution, or in arriving at any of the resolutions therein.
- 9. In preparing to file the above-captioned condemnation action, Sound Transit obtained a title commitment for the Parcel. The parties named as respondents in this action were identified in the title commitment, or otherwise, as either owning or having an interest in the Parcel.

DECLARATION OF KIM WONG - 3

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I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Washington that the above is true and correct.

EXECUTED in Seattle, Washington this 29 day of November, 2018.

Kim Wong