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MOTION NO. _____

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2 A MOTION respectfully requesting assistance
3 of the Senators and Representatives in the
4 United States Congress to support King
County's application for Federal Assistance
for a Surface Water Management Project.

5 WHEREAS, it is the intent of King County to develop a
6 program which will minimize water quality degradation by
7 preventing siltation of the county's creeks, streams, rivers,
8 lakes and other water bodies; to protect property owners adjacent
9 to developing land from increased run-off rates; to develop
10 policies with respect to these water courses, insure safety of
11 county roads; and to decrease damage to public and private
12 property, and

13 WHEREAS, the River Basin Coordinating Committee (RIBCO)
14 under the direction of the Municipality of Metropolitan Seattle
15 (METRO) has completed a study on countywide surface water
16 drainage which recommended that the citizens of King County be
17 fully educated and involved in the decision making processes
18 entailed in finding solution of problems of surface water
19 management, and

20 WHEREAS, King County and other local governments are being
21 faced with severe cutbacks in income and budget making it
22 imperative that supplemental monies be found for greatly needed
23 programs, and

24 WHEREAS, King County has submitted a proposal and application
25 for Federal Assistance, Federal Catalog Number 13.522
26 (522 AH 501.49) to the Department of Health, Education and
27 Welfare to support this needed project.

28 NOW THEREFORE, BE IT MOVED by the Council of King County:

29 The King County Council respectfully requests the support
30 and assistance of the Honorable Senators Warren G. Magnuson and
31 Henry M. Jackson and the Honorable Representatives Joel Pritchard,
32 Lloyd Meeds, Don Bonker and Brock Adams of the United States
33 Congress to reinforce the urgency of our request for Federal