

MOTION NO. 4778

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2 A MOTION establishing a Joint Citizens'
3 Committee to assist in developing a Bond
4 Issue for Park and Recreation purposes
for Seattle and King County, and designating members thereto.

5 WHEREAS, King County and other local governments are ex-
6 periencing growth in population and increased public participation
7 in sports and other recreation activities, and

8 WHEREAS, Seattle and other local governments presently
9 have many older Park and Recreation Facilities which require
10 rehabilitation, reconstruction, and other capital improvements
11 to meet current user needs and to satisfy increasing levels of
12 public usage, and

13 WHEREAS, the conservation of energy resources is a focus
14 of public policy, and recreation opportunities close to pop-
15 ulation centers are a major factor in energy conservation
16 programs, and

17 WHEREAS, many recreation facilities are of regional
18 significance and local governments within King County recognize
19 the need for a Joint Park and Recreation Capital Improvement
20 Program to yield the maximum benefit for all, and

21 WHEREAS, assistance and advice from citizens and elected
22 officials are necessary to identify public park and recreation
23 needs and to plan the most effective program to meet those needs,

24 NOW THEREFORE, BE IT MOVED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY,
25 THE KING COUNTY EXECUTIVE CONCURRING:

26 1. That a Citizens' Committee be established, consisting of
27 a Chairperson and thirty (30) citizens, and twelve(12) elected
28 officials to assist King County, the City of Seattle, and
29 suburban municipalities in identifying public recreation needs in
30 planning a program of capital improvements, and in developing a
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1 Bond Issue for Park and Recreation purposes to be submitted to
2 the voters of King County at the General Election of 1980 or as
3 soon thereafter as may be practical. The Committee shall con-
4 sider and recommend, where appropriate, major regional projects
5 as well as projects of principal benefit to local areas; and the
6 Committee shall recommend a plan for the distribution of funds
7 that recognizes the benefits and the costs of operating and
8 maintaining both local and regional facilities. The package of
9 proposals developed by the Committee shall be submitted for
10 review to the Councils of the cities of King County prior to its
11 submission to the County Council. The Committee shall be com-
12 posed of:

13 (a) Ten (10) citizens serving at the request of the City
14 of Seattle,

15 (b) Fourteen (14) citizens serving at the request of King
16 County, with at least one citizen selected from each County
17 Council District,

18 (c) Six (6) citizens serving at the request of the Suburban
19 Mayors' Association,

20 (d) The Mayor and three Councilpersons of the City of
21 Seattle,

22 (e) The County Executive and four Councilpersons of King
23 County,

24 (f) Three (3) elected officials of suburban municipalities,
25 selected by the Suburban Mayors' Association,

26 (g) The Chairperson of the Committee shall be designated
27 by the County Executive and the Mayor and the City of Seattle,

28 (h) The County Executive and Mayor of Seattle may designate
29 alternates to participate in Committee meetings in their absence.

30 In the event that any citizen member requested to serve on the
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1 Committee is unable to serve, the Committee may, by majority vote,
2 select a replacement, provided that the original composition of
3 the Committee as enumerated above is retained.

4 BE IT FURTHER MOVED by the Council of King County that the
5 King County Executive shall select the individuals serving at the
6 request of King County from a list of fourteen nominees submitted
7 by the King County Council.

8 PASSED this 17th day of march, 1980.

9 KING COUNTY COUNCIL
10 KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

11 Bill Reams
12 Chairman

13 ATTEST:

14 [Signature]
15 ~~Deputy~~ Clerk of the Council
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17 CONCUR:

18 King County Executive
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