

MOTION NO. 5495

A MOTION recognizing the contributions made by Wanda Thompson to King County; and commending her for her years of service.

WHEREAS, Wanda Thompson began her career with King County as Accountant-Secretary in the Facilities Management Division in 1959, and

WHEREAS, she was appointed Administrative Services Officer in the Facilities Management Division in 1971, and

WHEREAS, she has served as Building Manager since December, 1974, and

WHEREAS, she was named Division Manager of the year by County Executive John Spellman in 1978, and

WHEREAS, she served on the Committee on Women's Employment in County government, an important early part of the County's Affirmative Action Program, and

WHEREAS, her ability to do the necessary and the miraculous with next to nothing has been exemplified by her efforts in energy conservation, and

WHEREAS, she is well known for her forthright and straightforward command of the English language, and

WHEREAS, as she rose through the ranks she forgot not whence she came, and

WHEREAS, she has been active in civic affairs including the League of Women Voters, the Library Board of Renton, the Spring Glen PTA, has been a den mother for ten years and was for four years the Story Lady at the Renton Public Library, and

WHEREAS, she has pursued hobbies in backpacking, rock hounding, writing children's stories, reading and gambling in Reno,

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

2 The Council recognizes the contributions of Wanda Thompson
3 to King County since 1959, expresses their appreciation for
4 her years of outstanding service, hopes she cleans up in
5 retirement and that the building will continue to stand and
6 run as well after her departure as it did during her years
7 as the landlady.

8 PASSED this 28th day of June, 1982.

10 KING COUNTY COUNCIL
11 KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

12 Lois North
13 Chairman

14 ATTEST:

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16 Janet M. Stevens
17 DEPUTY Clerk of the Council