

MOTION NO. 5599

1 A MOTION related to the fiscal management
2 of solid waste; authorizing the Executive
3 to enter into negotiations with Snohomish
County.

4 WHEREAS, the disposal of solid waste is a regional issue that
5 requires a cooperative effort by operating jurisdictions, and

6 WHEREAS, Snohomish County has determined that the Cathcart
7 Landfill has only four years of operational life remaining, and

8 WHEREAS, the acceptance of any public agencies solid waste
9 from outside King County is a policy matter to be decided by the
10 County Council, and

11 WHEREAS, the King County solid waste fund is an enterprise
12 fund and is required to operate within system revenues.

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

14 The Executive is hereby authorized to negotiate a contract
15 with Snohomish County for the delivery of its solid waste to the
16 Cedar Hills Landfill.

17 Provided that such agreement shall include, but not be limited
18 to, the following terms and conditions:

19 1. All Snohomish County solid waste delivered to Cedar Hills
20 shall be transported via I-405, SR-169 and the Cedar Grove Road.
21 All return trips shall follow this route.

22 2. As required, Snohomish County shall provide personnel and
23 equipment to remove any litter along the haul route listed above.

24 3. All solid waste delivered by Snohomish County to Cedar
25 Hills shall be in compliance with the Resource Conservation and
26 Recovery Act, RCW 70.95, the King County Board of Health adopted
27 Minimum Functional Standards and all other applicable Federal,
28 State and local environmental and health laws, rules and
29 regulations. Under no circumstances shall Snohomish County
30 deliver any hazardous material to Cedar Hills.

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4. Snohomish County solid waste shall only be delivered to Cedar Hills during regular operating hours.

5. Any rate negotiated by the King County Executive shall not be less than \$1.50 above the adopted regional direct rate at Cedar Hills.

6. King County will accept Snohomish County's solid waste for a period of up to eighteen months at a level of approximately 6,700 tons per month. However, the King County Executive may, at any time, prohibit Snohomish County from delivering solid waste to Cedar Hills when wet weather conditions prohibit covering as required by the Health Department's Minimum Functional Standards.

7. Any agreement between Snohomish County and King County shall only become effective after the King County Council approves said agreement by ordinance.

PASSED this 1st day of November, 1982.

KING COUNTY COUNCIL
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Lois North
Chairman

ATTEST:

Jessie M. Owens
DEPUTY Clerk of the Council