PROPOSED NO. 85-622

MOTION NO. 6396

A MOTION authorizing the county executive to execute an interlocal agreement between King County and the City of Seattle providing for distribution of boat tax revenues.

WHEREAS, the Washington State Legislature, in enacting Chapter 3, Laws of 1983 and Chapter 7, Laws of 1983, 2nd Ex. Sess., hereafter referred to as the "1983 State Boating Law," recognized the need for a new funding source for local marine patrol services for pleasure boaters, and

WHEREAS, the 1983 State Boating Law authorizes counties to levy a tax on certain pleasure boats of up to fifty cents (\$.50) per foot, hereafter referred to as the "tax," to pay for marine patrol services, and

WHEREAS, the effects of the 1983 State Boating Law provisions are to require the county and the city to enter into an interlocal agreement under Chapter 39.34 Revised Code of Washington (RCW) prior to enacting the tax and to consider in such interlocal agreement any marine patrols provided as of June 30, 1983, and

WHEREAS, in 1984 the county and the city signed such an interlocal agreement, which remains effective until December 31, 1985, and the county is collecting the tax pursuant to King County Ordinance 6595 as amended by Ordinance 6734 (KCC CH. 12.45), and

WHEREAS, the tax will expire on December 31, 1985, unless the interlocal agreement signed in 1984 is succeeded by another interlocal agreement, and

WHEREAS, King County desires to extend the imposition of the tax at least through 1988, consistent with the 1983 State Boating Law and any succeeding amendments enacted by the Legislature, and

WHEREAS, the county and the city have agreed to the terms of an interlocal agreement to authorize the tax through 1988, NOW, THEREFORE BE IT MOVED by the Council of King County: Pursuant to RCW 39.34.080, the county executive is authorized to execute an interlocal agreement with the City of Seattle providing for distribution of local option boat tax revenues between 1986 and 1988. PASSED this 9th day of December, 1985. KING COUNTY COUNCIL KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON ATTEST: