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Gruger, Sims,
Introduced by: Reams, North
Proposed No.: 86-99

MOTION NO. 6481

A MOTION requesting the County Executive to enter into negotiations to acquire property on Pinnacle Peak and Little Mt. Si.

WHEREAS, the area known as Pinnacle Peak or Mt. Peak is an integral part of a large view shed in the Enumclaw area and contains a very popular hiking trail and,

WHEREAS, the area known as Little Mount Si just below Mt. Si is an integral part of the view shed in the North Bend area and,

WHEREAS, most of Pinnacle Peak is owned by the Weyerhaeuser Corporation and the state Department of Natural Resources and,

WHEREAS, a significant portion of Little Mt. Si is privately owned and,

WHEREAS, both Pinnacle Peak and Little Mt. Si are forested with mature timber which is ready to be harvested and,

WHEREAS, harvesting timber on either of these properties would have an extreme negative impact on the aesthetics of a large area around North Bend and Enumclaw and,

WHEREAS, both the state Department of Natural Resources and the Weyerhaeuser Corporation have expressed an interest in selling their property to the county or trading it to the county for other county-owned parcels and,

WHEREAS, the owner of property on Little Mt. Si has expressed an interest in selling the timber rights of his property to the county,

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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT MOVED by the Council of King County:
The council requests the county executive to enter into negotiations to acquire the timber or property rights on both Pinnacle Peak and Little Mt. Si either by purchase or through trade of other county parcels within six months of adoption of this motion. The executive is also requested to provide status reports on the progress of negotiations to the chair of the county council and the chair of the public works and parks committee and to investigate funding alternatives including state participation for these two proposals.

PASSED this 10th day of March, 1986.

KING COUNTY COUNCIL
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Audrey Inger
Chair

ATTEST:

Jonathan M. Owens
Clerk of the Council

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