

Motion No. 7129

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A MOTION defining intergovernmental cooperation between King County and the Muckleshoot Indian Tribe for the development of the Enumclaw Community Plan, establishing King County as the jurisdiction primarily responsible for developing the community plan and providing the Muckleshoot Indian Tribe with opportunities to advise King County during the community plan's development.

WHEREAS, the Muckleshoot Indian Tribe is a federally recognized Indian tribe, and

WHEREAS, the Muckleshoot Indian Reservation, established in 1856 by Article VI of the Medicine Creek Treaty and enlarged to its present boundary by Executive Order in 1874, is the only federally recognized Indian reservation within the area encompassed by King County, and

WHEREAS, King County refers applicants proposing land development activities on that part of unincorporated King County which is within the reservation to the Muckleshoot tribal offices for processing pursuant to an executive memorandum issued by the King County executive on May 16, 1979, and

WHEREAS, King County and the Muckleshoot Indian Tribe recognize the opportunity for and advantages of cooperating in developing the Enumclaw Community Plan because the Enumclaw planning area is under King County's jurisdiction and partially within the Muckleshoot Indian Tribe's comprehensive planning area, and

WHEREAS, King County and the Muckleshoot Indian Tribe recognize that intergovernmental cooperation is necessary to achieve a desired consistency between the Enumclaw Community Plan, King County Comprehensive Plan and the Muckleshoot Indian Reservation Comprehensive Plan, and

WHEREAS, King County and the Muckleshoot Indian Tribe recognize that intergovernmental planning will more likely produce a community plan which effectively manages growth and development, protects natural resources, provides public facilities and services and stimulates economic development, and

WHEREAS, King County and the Muckleshoot Indian Tribe recognize that intergovernmental cooperation will increase the efficiency and reduce the costs of planning for the area because it will prevent duplicating the efforts of the two jurisdictions and their citizens, and

1 WHEREAS, King County and the Muckleshoot Indian Tribe recognize that interjuris-
 2 dictional planning will promote a more predictable and certain process and produce more
 3 understandable and long-lasting policies for residents, property owners, developers and
 4 other agencies and jurisdictions, and

5 WHEREAS, King County and the Muckleshoot Indian Tribe recognize that interjuris-
 6 dictional cooperation will increase the visibility of their planning efforts, making their
 7 decision-making more understandable to the public, and

8 WHEREAS, King County and the Muckleshoot Indian Tribe recognize that by sharing
 9 knowledge, information and resources, they will better understand each other's interests,
 10 concerns and needs in those areas in which they have a mutual interest, and

11 WHEREAS, King County and the Muckleshoot Indian Tribe recognize that inter-
 12 governmental cooperation throughout the Enumclaw Community Plan's development and
 13 adoption will lay the foundation for future cooperation in land use and capital improve-
 14 ment project planning, development review and natural resource protection;

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

16 A. The King County parks, planning and resources department, which is responsible
 17 for developing the Enumclaw Community Plan, should seek the Muckleshoot Indian Tribe's
 18 participation in the planning process. The Muckleshoot Indian Tribe's participation may
 19 include such actions as:

- 20 1. Serving on the Technical Advisory Committee;
- 21 2. Serving on the Citizen Advisory Committee;
- 22 3. Commenting on data, land use alternatives and, finally, the Draft Enumclaw
 23 Community Plan before the plan is submitted to the King County executive or county
 24 council;
- 25 4. Commenting on proposed capital improvement projects in the draft plan before
 26 the plan is submitted to the King County executive or county council;

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1 5. Working with King County planners to resolve differences between the two
2 jurisdictions before the draft plan is submitted to the King County executive or county
3 council;

4 6. Commenting on the King County Executive Proposed Enumclaw Community
5 Plan's policies, land use, area zoning and capital improvement projects when the county
6 council reviews the plan.

7 PASSED THIS 21st day of March, 1988.

8 KING COUNTY COUNCIL
9 KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

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11 Chairman

12 ATTEST:

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14 Deputy Clerk of the Council

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