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MOTION NO. 7223

A MOTION related to the King County Parks and Open Space System; authorizing the acquisition of land in the vicinity of Cougar Mountain, Tolt MacDonald.

WHEREAS, in adopting the 1988 budget the county council required the county executive to review and make a recommendation in the context of the Open Space Plan on the acquisition for park and open space purposes of two properties; one on Cougar Mountain and one adjacent to the King County Tolt MacDonald Park, and

WHEREAS, the proposed Open Space Plan includes a detailed review of these acquisitions, and

WHEREAS, public opinion surveys conducted as a part of the Open Space Plan ranked the preservation of wildlife habitat and public access to water as the two most important goals of King County Open Space Plan, and

WHEREAS, the acquisition of the Cougar Mountain and the Tolt MacDonald properties will advance the preservation of wildlife habitat, public access to water, potential for regional trails, existence of wetlands and also are valuable as community separators;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT MOVED by the Council of King County: Funds appropriated in the 1988 budget for the acquisition of land in the vicinity of Cougar Mountain and Tolt MacDonald Parks are hereby released.

PASSED this 5th day of , 19*6*8.

KING COUNTY COUNCIL KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Chairman