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MOTION NO. 7797

A MOTION honoring the Reverend Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. for his leadership and conviction in promoting the principle of equality for all humanity, and proclaiming the week of January 8 through January 15 to be the Reverend Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. week in King County.

WHEREAS, this year's theme for the Reverend Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Celebration is "Energize the Dream," reflecting his beliefs that liberty, justice and freedom are the 'inalienable rights' of all men, women and children regardless of race, color, or creed, and

WHEREAS, the Reverend Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. believed in the dignity and self-worth of every individual, and subsequently, gave his life defending his beliefs, and

WHEREAS, on February 24, 1986, the King County Council set forth the historical basis for redesignating King County in honor of the Reverend Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., and

WHEREAS, the Reverend Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., through his persistent and unflinching efforts, prompted the passage of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and the Voting Rights Act of 1965, both of which have benefitted all citizens of this nation;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT MOVED that the Council of King County recognizes and honors the Reverend Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. and his convictions to promote the principle that all humanity in the sight of God is created equal, and

BE IT FURTHER MOVED that the Council proclaims the week of January 8 through January 15 to be the Reverend Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Week in King County.

PASSED this 8th day of January, 1990.

King County Council
King County, Washington

Lois North
Chair

ATTEST:

J. Crawford II

Clerk of the Council