

February 15, 1991

INTRODUCED BY GREG NICKELS

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PROPOSED NO. 91-187

MOTION NO. 8196

A MOTION authorizing the King County Executive to submit Centennial Clean Water Fund grant applications to the Washington State Department of Ecology regarding the joint funding of activities and facilities which improve water quality in King County during fiscal year 1992 pursuant to Chapter 70.146 RCW.

WHEREAS, the Washington State legislature has created the Centennial Clean Water Fund for the joint funding of water quality improvement activities and facilities with other public agencies in the state pursuant to Chapter 70.146 RCW, and

WHEREAS, the Washington State legislature has required the development of the 1987, 1989 and 1991 Puget Sound Water Quality Management Plans that require local governments to conduct certain planning and implementation activities related to preserving or improving water quality in Puget Sound and in waters tributary to Puget Sound, and

WHEREAS, the Washington Department of Ecology has invited eligible project sponsors to submit proposals for Centennial Clean Water Fund grants for the fiscal year 1992 funding cycle, and

WHEREAS, nearly forty-four million dollars in total funds will be available for a variety of water pollution control facilities and activities during this funding cycle, and

WHEREAS, the state grant share generally will be 75 percent of the total eligible cost of a project, and

WHEREAS, eligible projects include: water pollution control facilities and activities that are on freshwater lakes and rivers including lake restoration projects; water pollution control facilities and activities that address nonpoint source pollution, including watershed planning and implementation; groundwater

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3 facilities and activities; and discretionary projects that may  
4 not qualify in other funding categories and that address water  
5 quality, and

6 WHEREAS, applications will be accepted by the Washington  
7 Department of Ecology until February 22, 1991, and

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9 WHEREAS, the Department of Ecology will formally offer  
10 financial assistance to the highest priority ranked proposals in  
11 July, 1991, and

12 WHEREAS, no single government entity may receive more  
13 financial assistance in a funding category than the ceiling  
14 specified for that category in Chapter 70.146 RCW, and

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16 WHEREAS, for purposes of Centennial Grant proposals, the  
17 Department of Ecology has recognized the Seattle/King County  
18 Health Department as a separate government entity and not subject  
19 to the King County ceiling;

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

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22 A) The county executive is hereby authorized to develop  
23 and submit to the Washington Department of Ecology  
24 proposals for water quality activities and facilities  
25 as described in Attachment A.
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27 B) The county executive is hereby authorized to determine  
28 in each funding category the priority of all proposals  
29 for which a preliminary offer of financial assistance  
30 is made so that the ceiling amount for that category is  
31 not exceeded.
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33 C) The county executive is hereby authorized to negotiate  
agreements with the Washington Department of Ecology to  
accept grant funding for activities and facilities

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Receiving final offers of financial assistance in FY 1992 from the Washington Department of Ecology.

D) The county executive will seek from the King County Council authorization to execute those agreements to accept grant funding which are negotiated.

PROVIDED THAT:

The work scope of Carnation Sewage Study grant shall come to the Council for approval prior to the start of the study.

PASSED this 19<sup>th</sup> day of February, 1991.

KING COUNTY COUNCIL  
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Lois North  
Chair

ATTEST:

Gerald A. Polun  
Clerk of the Council