May 22, 1991
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INTRODUCED BY: __AUDREY GRUGER__

PROPOSED BY: __91 - 492__

MOTION NO.___8366___

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2 A MOTION authorizing the King County Executive
or his designee to sign and submit a grant
3 application in the approximate amount of $600,000
to the Federal Department of Health and Human
4 Services for the purpose of funding a community
home-based family services program which would
5 be an alternative to out-of-home shelter for youth.

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7 WHEREAS, in King County there are 5,000 youth each

8 year who are reported as having run away from home and as

9 many as another 5,000 who are "kicked out" of their own home,

10 and,

11 WHEREAS, it is estimated that approximately 3,000 youth

12 will need to be placed in out-of-home shelter during 1991, and

13 WHEREAS, home-based family intervention services are

14 effective in keeping the youth at home as an alternative to

15 out-of-home placement and keeping the family intact, and

16 WHEREAS, the grant would allow King County to leverage

17 additional funds to intervene in dysfunctional families, to

18 prevent youth from placements outside of the home, and to create

19 a model for coordinated community based intervention;

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

21 The King County executive is authorized to apply for grant

22 funding in the approximate amount of $600,000 from the Federal

23 Department of Health and Human Services for the purpose of

24 implementing a community home-based family intervention project

25 serving youth and families as an alternative to out-of-home

26 placements. This grant will provide funding to the Youth &

27 Family Services Network and the Youth Shelter System

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for home based-service counselors who will work with youth and families in their own homes throughout the county.

PASSED this _____/9th_____ day of _August_, 1991

KING COUNTY COUNCIL
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

_____Lois North_____
Chair

ATTEST:

_____Gerald A. Peterson_____
Clerk of the Council

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