

November 13, 1987

Introduced By:

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Proposed No.

87-830

ORDINANCE NO. 8380

AN ORDINANCE adopting the Coal Creek Basin Plan as an amplification of the King County Comprehensive Plan and establishing the Capital Improvement Project schedule required for Plan implementation and amending Ordinance No. 6949 and King County Code 20.44.080.

PREAMBLE:

For the purpose of effective land use planning and regulation, the King County Council makes the following legislative findings:

1. The Coal Creek Basin Plan is a functional plan under the definitions set forth in the King County Comprehensive Plan and is an appropriate augmentation and amplification of the King County Comprehensive Plan adopted by King County Ordinance No. 6949.
2. King County, in cooperation with the City of Bellevue and with the assistance of the Coal Creek Citizen Study Group, has studied and considered alternative methods, solutions, programs and other means to provide appropriate storm and surface water control, quality and management and has considered the environmental and fiscal impacts of the proposed plan. King County, with Bellevue, has prepared and distributed an Environmental Impact Statement, held public meetings and completed a final Environmental Impact statement for the Coal Creek Basin Plan.
3. The Coal Creek Basin Plan provides for the management and regulation of storm and surface water control of those waters through projects and procedures and is necessary for the public health, safety, and general welfare of King County and its citizens.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:

NEW SECTION. SECTION 1. There is added to K.C.C.20.12 a new section to read as follows: The Coal Creek Basin Plan, as revised, attached hereto and incorporated herein by this reference as Appendix A, and the Capital Improvement Project schedule required for Plan implementation, attached hereto and incorporated by reference herein as Appendix B, is adopted as an amplification and augmentation of the Comprehensive Plan for King County, and as such, constitutes official county policy for the geographic area defined therein.

SECTION 2. Ordinance 6949, Section 10, and K.C.C.20.44.080 is hereby amended as follows:

Substantive authority. A. The procedures and standards of WAC 197-11-650 through 197-11-660 are adopted regarding substantive authority and mitigation.

1 B. For the purposes of RCW 43.21C.060 and WAC 197-11-660(a), the
2 following policies, plans, rules and regulations are designated as poten-
3 tial bases for the exercise of King County's authority under SEPA:
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5 1. The policies of the State Environmental Policy Act, RCW chapter
6 43.21C.020.

7 2. The King County Comprehensive Plan, its addenda, and revisions
8 and community and middle plans and housing report, and surface water
9 management program basin plans, as specified in King County Code
10 chapter 20.12.

11 3. The King County Zoning Code, as adopted in King County Code
12 Title 21.

13 4. The King County Agricultural Lands Policy, as adopted in King
14 County chapter 20.54 and Title 26.

15 5. The King County Landmarks Preservation Code, as adopted in King
16 County Code chapter 20.62.

17 6. The King County Shoreline Management Master Plan, as adopted in
18 King County Code Title 25.

19 7. The King County Surface Water Runoff Policy, as adopted in King
20 County Code chapter 9.04.

21 C. Any decision to approve, deny or approve with conditions pursuant
22 to RCW 43.21C.060 shall be contained in the responsible official's deci-
23 sion document. The written order shall contain facts and conclusions based
24 on the proposals' specific adverse environmental impacts (or lack thereof)
25 as identified in an environmental checklist, EIS, threshold determination,
26 other environmental document including an executive department's staff
27 report and recommendation to a decision maker, or findings made pursuant to
28 a public hearing authorized or required by law or ordinance. The decision
29 document shall state the specific plan, policy or regulation which supports
30 the SEPA decision.

1 D. This chapter shall not be construed as a limitation on the
2 authority of King County to approve, deny or condition a proposal for
3 reasons based upon other statutes, ordinances or regulations.

4 E. The King County department of public works shall continue to work
5 with the City of Bellevue to determine methods of removing materials from
6 the delta area, responsibility for and proposed financing for such removal.

7 INTRODUCED AND READ for the first time 30th day of
8 November, 1987.

9 PASSED this 11th day of January, 1988.

10 KING COUNTY COUNCIL
11 KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

12 Gary Grant
13 Chair

14 ATTEST:

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16 Randy M. Owens
17 Clerk of the Council

18 APPROVED this 21 day of January, 1988.

19 Jim Hill
20 King County Executive
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