

October 21, 1991

Introduced by: Barden

Proposed No.: 91-798

MOTION NO. 8442

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2 A MOTION recognizing the continuance of
3 an emergency condition of the Redondo
4 Seawall along Beach Road South, requiring
5 immediate repair of a county road and
6 seawall, waiving requirements for
7 competitive bidding for such repairs and
8 ratifying and confirming the Local
9 Proclamation of Emergency issued by the
10 King County executive on September 16,
11 1991.

12 WHEREAS, the King County office of emergency management
13 has reported to the King County executive that an imminent and
14 unpredictable danger exists due to the condition of the Redondo
15 Seawall along Beach Road South, and

16 WHEREAS, the work performed by King County in December,
17 1990 to shore up a disintegrating seawall represents only a
18 temporary solution for the seawall which is not expected to
19 withstand a major storm, and

20 WHEREAS, a major storm of the magnitude which would
21 destroy the temporary maintenance work may occur at any time,
22 and

23 WHEREAS, further destruction of the seawall would pose a
24 threat to persons and property and could cause major
25 environmental degradation due to the potential that a major
26 sanitary sewer line would immediately discharge raw sewage into
27 Puget Sound if damaged, and

28 WHEREAS, the severity and magnitude of this emergency is
29 beyond the response and recovery capability of local resources,
30 and

31 WHEREAS, the ordinary requirements for formal competitive
32 bidding of the construction contracts pursuant to R.C.W. 36.32
33 and the purchase of tangible personal property pursuant to
34 K.C.C. 4.16 for such repairs must be waived in order to prevent
35 delay in beginning such repair work, and

36 WHEREAS, there is a continuing emergency present which
37 necessitates activation of the King County disaster

1 preparedness plan and utilization of emergency powers granted
2 pursuant to R.C.W. 36.40.180, R.C.W. 38.52, and K.C.C. 12.52,

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

4 A. The King County council declares that an emergency
5 exists in King County whereby the public interest would suffer
6 material injury if necessary repair work is delayed.

7 B. The ordinary requirements for competitive bidding of
8 construction contracts pursuant to R.C.W. 36.32 and the
9 purchase of tangible personal property pursuant to K.C.C. 4.16
10 for such repair work by the department of public works in order
11 to prevent delay in beginning such repair work are hereby
12 waived.

13 C. The King County council hereby ratifies and confirms
14 the local proclamation of emergency pursuant to K.C.C.
15 12.52.030(B)(12).

16 PASSED this 21st day of October, 1991.

17 KING COUNTY COUNCIL
18 KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

19 Lois North
20 Chair

21 ATTEST:

22 Gerald A. Peterson
23 Clerk of the Council