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Introduced by: PAUL BARDEN

Proposed No.: 93-218

MOTION NO. 8958

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2 A MOTION authorizing the Executive to
3 execute an extension of City of Auburn
4 water franchises 542 and 576 until
5 January 31, 1995 in Council District No.
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7 WHEREAS, the City of Auburn has filed an application for a
8 franchise in Council District No. 9 to construct, operate and
9 maintain a water system to serve a mix of single and multi-
10 family residential and some commercial area in accordance with
11 R.C.W. 36.55.010, and

12 WHEREAS, King County Code 6.27 requires that applications
13 for right of way franchises for utilities must be approved by
14 the Utilities Technical Review Committee (UTRC) and be
15 consistent with the county comprehensive plan, and

16 WHEREAS, the city's water comprehensive plan was approved
17 on October 17, 1983 by King County Council Ordinance 6563, and

18 WHEREAS, on January 27, 1993 the UTRC reviewed the City of
19 Auburn's franchise for compliance with King County Code 13.24
20 and determined that the plan approved in 1983 was inconsistent
21 with King County Code 13.28.045, the South King County
22 Coordinated Water System Plan (CWSP) which required that all
23 water utilities within the plan's boundaries revise their water
24 comprehensive plan within one year of King County's adoption of
25 the CWSP, and

26 WHEREAS, when the UTRC notified the City of Auburn that
27 their existing 1983 water plan was inconsistent with the South
28 King County CWSP and had to be revised to comply with the CWSP
29 the City of Auburn responded that they would be unable to
30 revise their water plan prior to the expiration of their
31 franchises and requested that the UTRC extend their franchises
32 until January 31, 1995, and

33 WHEREAS, the UTRC agreed to submit a request to the county
34 council to extend the City of Auburn's water franchises 542 and
35 576 until January 31, 1995, if the city complies with the

1 conditions set forth in its February 2, 1993 letter (Attachment
2 A), and

3 WHEREAS, the City of Auburn, on February 24, 1993, in
4 compliance with UTRC's recommended conditions, provided a
5 workplan for the preparation and completion of their water
6 comprehensive plan revisions, a water conservation checklist
7 and a list of pending development projects that have received
8 water availability certificates from the City of Auburn
9 (Attachment B), and

10 WHEREAS, the extensions for water franchises 542 and 576
11 has been referred to the relevant county department for review,
12 and

13 WHEREAS, the county executive has recommended approval of
14 the water franchise extensions;

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

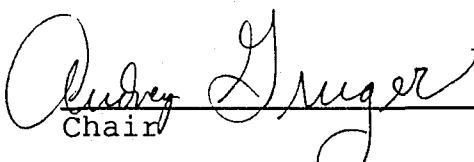
16 A. The granting of an extension until January 31, 1995 of
17 water franchise 542 and 576 to the City of Auburn to construct,
18 operate and maintain a water system within King County is
19 hereby approved. The county executive is authorized to enter
20 into and execute the franchise extension agreements, which by
21 this reference are fully incorporated herein as part of the
22 motion. Said extensions shall be subject to the terms and
23 special conditions set forth in the referenced franchise
24 extension agreements and water franchises 542 and 576.

25 B. The City of Auburn has agreed to a timetable for
26 completion of the necessary revisions to its water
27 comprehensive plan for compliance with the South King County
28 Coordinated Water System Plan. The city will pursue the
29 county's approval for both the water comprehensive plan and
30 franchise by January 31, 1995.


1 C. If within 30 days after the granting of this
2 franchise, the applicant shall have failed to sign the written
3 acceptance incorporated herein, then the rights and privileges
4 granted herein shall be forfeited and said franchise shall be
5 null and void.

6 PASSED this 5th day of April, 1993.

7 KING COUNTY COUNCIL
8 KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

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10 Chair

11 ATTEST:

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13 Clerk of the Council

14 Attachments:

- 15 A. UTRC Letter to the City of Auburn
- 16 B. City of Auburn Response to UTRC Conditions
- 17 C. Franchise Extension Agreements

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- 1. LETTER FROM KC PLANNING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DIVISION DATED FEBRUARY 2, 1993 TO MR. ROD LINJA, CITY OF AUBURN RE: CITY OF AUBURN FRANCHISE REQUESTS**
- 2. LETTER FROM CITY OF AUBURN TO KAREN WOLF, KING COUNTY PLANNING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DIVISION, RE: CITY OF AUBURN FRANCHISE REQUEST FOR WATER DATED FEBRUARY 17, 1993**
- 3. FRANCHISE EXTENSION AGREEMENT RECITALS**