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PROPOSED NO. 93-274

MOTION NO. 9043

A MOTION authorizing an interlocal agreement between King County and the city of Renton to cooperate in the development of a plan to address water quality, aquatic habitat, flooding, and erosion and sedimentation problems in the Cedar River Basin in King County.

WHEREAS, King County and the city of Renton, hereinafter referred to as the "parties," share jurisdiction in the basin, and

WHEREAS, the parties recognize that within the basin there is a unique and extensive natural resource system including: streams, lakes, wetlands, and the Cedar River; steep slopes; and extensive flood plains, and

WHEREAS, the natural resource system, if conserved, restored, and protected, will contribute to high water quality, valuable fisheries and timber resources, and flood storage in the basin, and

WHEREAS, the parties recognize the need to protect the water resources and habitat quality of Lake Washington by maintaining the water quality of surface waters entering Lake Washington from the basin, and

WHEREAS, the parties hereto recognize the importance and desirability of resolving existing drainage, flooding, sedimentation, and water quality problems in the basin to save public funds and resources and reducing the likelihood of future problems, and

WHEREAS, King County has completed a reconnaissance of the basin and has identified existing and potential surface and water quality problems in the basin, in areas within King County and Renton, and

WHEREAS, the city of Renton and King County are participating in the development of a nonpoint pollution action plan concurrently with the basin plan, and the implementation of the two plans will address drainage and water quality problems in the basin, and

WHEREAS, the King County surface water management program is responsible for developing basin plans pursuant to King County Code 9.08.010, and

1 WHEREAS, pursuant to RCW 39.34, the Interlocal Cooperation Act, the
2 parties are each authorized to enter into an agreement for cooperative
3 action;

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

5 The King County executive is hereby authorized to enter into an
6 interlocal agreement in substantially the same form as the attached with
7 the city of Renton for the development of a plan to address water quality,
8 aquatic habitat, flooding, and erosion and sedimentation problems in the
9 Cedar River Basin located in the city and unincorporated King County.

10 PASSED this 21st day of June, 1993

11 KING COUNTY COUNCIL
12 KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

13 Aubrey Singer
14 Chair

15 ATTEST:

16 Arnold Peterson
17 Clerk of the Council

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Attachment: Cedar River Basin Plan Development Interlocal Agreement

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**CEDAR RIVER NONPOINT ACTION PLAN
WATERSHED MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
OPERATION RULES , ADOPTED MARCH 28, 1991**

**CEDAR RIVER BASIN PLAN DEVELOPMENT
INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT**