

March 24, 1997

Introduced By: ROB MCKENNA

Proposed No.: 97-205

MOTION NO. 10162

A MOTION waiving the requirements for competitive bidding, formal solicitation and Minority and Women's Business Enterprises requirements, for repairs to protect life and property threatened by the emergency conditions cited in the Local Proclamation of Emergency issued by the King County Executive.

WHEREAS, the King County Executive issued a Local Proclamation of Emergency effective March 18, 1997, pursuant to RCW 38.52 and KCC 12.52, and attached hereto and by this reference made a part hereof, and the council acknowledges receipt of the local proclamation of emergency, and

WHEREAS, weather conditions consisting of heavy rainfall caused river and urban flooding and landslides in King County, and

WHEREAS, persons and property have been and will be damaged unless further efforts are taken to reduce the potential threat to life and property, and

WHEREAS, repair work to county roads and other county facilities must begin immediately to minimize the potential risk of personal injury and property damage, and

WHEREAS, the non-emergency requirements of KCC 4.16 relating to the county's lease or purchase of tangible personal property or services, contracts for public works as defined by RCW 39.04.010, the selection and award of professional and/or technical service consultant contracts, including contracting on a competitive basis for public works contracts, leases or purchase of supplies, materials and equipment pursuant to RCW Chapter 36.32, and compliance

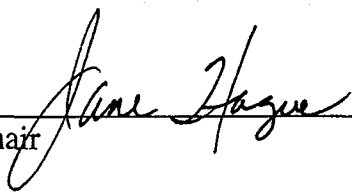
1 with Minority and Women's Business Enterprises pursuant to KCC 4.18, 12.16 and 12.18 must  
2 be waived in order to prevent delay in beginning such repair work;


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

4 A. The non-emergency requirements of KCC 4.16 relating to the county's lease or  
5 purchase of tangible personal property or services, contracts for public works as defined by RCW  
6 39.04.010, the selection and award of professional and/or technical service consultant contracts,  
7 including contracting on a competitive basis for public works contracts, leases or purchase of  
8 supplies, materials and equipment pursuant to RCW Chapter 36.32 for emergency repair,  
9 restoration and relief work exceeding a combined value of \$250,000, are hereby waived.

10 B. The non-emergency Minority and Women's Business Enterprises requirements  
11 pursuant to KCC 4.18, 12.16 and 12.18 are hereby waived as to the individual project contracts,  
12 provided that the emergency waiver of the requirements of KCC 4.18, 12.16 and 12.18 pursuant  
13 to this motion shall not amend the annual utilization goals unless the emergency makes it  
14 impossible to achieve the annual utilization goals.

15 PASSED by a vote of 13 to 0 this 31<sup>ST</sup> day  
16 of March, 1997.

17 KING COUNTY COUNCIL  
18 KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON  
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22 Chair  
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24 ATTEST:  
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27 Clerk of the Council  
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29 Attachment:  
30 A. Local Proclamation of Emergency



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King County Executive  
RON SIMS

LOCAL PROCLAMATION OF EMERGENCY  
KING COUNTY

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WHEREAS, the King County Office of Emergency Management has reported to the King County Executive, beginning March 18, 1997, unusual weather conditions consisting of heavy rainfall causing an emergency by creating river and urban flooding and landslides in King County; and

WHEREAS, extensive damage has and is still occurring to King County roads, drainage systems, private roads, homes, businesses and farmlands; and

WHEREAS, persons and property are and will be threatened and damaged unless further efforts are taken to reduce the threat to life and property; and

WHEREAS, this emergency is causing an undesignated amount of damage; and

WHEREAS, the property damage caused by this emergency is beyond the response and recovery capability of local resources; and

WHEREAS, there is an emergency present which necessitates activation of the King County Emergency Operations Plan and utilization of emergency powers granted pursuant to RCW Chapter 38.52. and K.C.C. Chapter 12.52, therefore:

BE IT PROCLAIMED BY THE KING COUNTY EXECUTIVE, RON SIMS

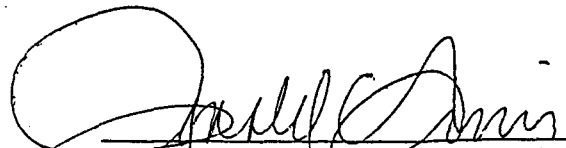
SECTION 1

That it is hereby declared that there is an emergency due to heavy rainfall, landslides, and flooding conditions in King County and the incorporated cities within King County; therefore designated departments of King County are authorized to enter into contracts and incur obligations necessary to combat this emergency to protect and provide emergency assistance to victims of such emergency.

SECTION 2

Each designated department is authorized to exercise the powers vested under Section 1 of this Resolution in light of the exigencies of an extreme emergency situation without regard to time consuming procedures and formalities as prescribed by law (excepting mandatory constitutional requirements).

DATED this 21st day of March, 1997.

  
RON SIMS, King County Executive  
State of Washington