

KING COUNTY, SKAGIT COUNTY AND SNOHOMISH COUNTY

Signature Report

September 20, 2017

SKAGIT COUNTY
Resolution # R20170189
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Amended Joint Motion and Resolution

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King County Proposed No.: 2017-0393

King County Sponsors: Joe McDermott

Skagit County Proposed No.: R20170189

Skagit County Sponsors: Not Required

Snohomish County Proposed No.: 17-322

Snohomish County Sponsors: Not Required

1 A JOINT MOTION AND RESOLUTION of the
2 Metropolitan King County Council, the Board of Skagit
3 County Commissioners and the Snohomish County Council
4 making an appointment to fill the vacancy in the position of
5 state representative for the 39th legislative district.

6 WHEREAS, a vacancy exists in the position of state representative for the 39th
7 legislative district due to the resignation of Representative John Koster, and

8 WHEREAS, the 39th legislative district is a multicounty legislative district,
9 including parts of King County, Skagit County and Snohomish County, and

10 WHEREAS, Article II, Section 15 of the Washington state Constitution provides
11 that in the event of a vacancy occurring in a multicounty legislative district the vacancy
12 shall be filled by joint action of the legislative authorities of the respective counties from
13 a list of three candidates nominated by the state central committee of the same political
14 party as the legislator whose office is vacated, and

15 WHEREAS, the candidates must reside in the 39th legislative district and be of
16 the same political party as the legislator whose office is vacated, and

17 WHEREAS, the Washington State Republican Central Committee has submitted
18 the names of three constitutionally qualified candidates to fill the vacancy created by
19 Representative Koster's resignation, and

20 WHEREAS, to obtain information from the candidates about their qualifications
21 and views each county legislative authority has either interviewed them or provided them
22 with a written questionnaire;

23 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT MOVED AND RESOLVED by the King County
24 council, the Board of Skagit County Commissioners and the Snohomish County Council:

25 A. Carolyn L. Eslick, one of the three nominees, is hereby appointed to the
26 position of state representative for the 39st legislative district in the Washington state
27 House of Representatives and continuing until a successor is elected at the next general
28 election, and has qualified.

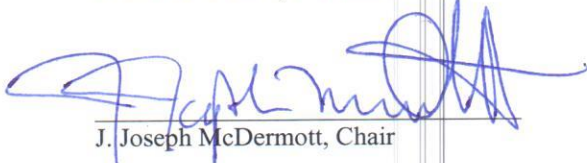
29 B. The clerks of the councils and board shall provide a copy of this joint motion
30 and resolution to the clerk of the Washington state House of Representatives, the

31 governor of the state of Washington and the chair of the Washington State Republican
32 Central Committee.

33 Joint Motion and Resolution; King County Proposed No.:2017-0393, Skagit County
34 Proposed No.:R20170189, Snohomish County Proposed No.:17-322, was passed by King
35 County Council, Board of Skagit County Commissioners and Snohomish County Council
36 on September 20, 2017, as amended, by the following vote: Weighted Vote, approved
37 eight to one with Skagit County Commissioner Wesen dissenting.

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KING COUNTY COUNCIL
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON


J. Joseph McDermott, Chair

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
SKAGIT COUNTY, WASHINGTON


Ron Wesen, Chair


Kenneth A. Dahlstedt, Commissioner



ATTEST:


Melani Pedroza, Clerk of the Council


Lisa Janicki, Commissioner


SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL
SNOHOMISH COUNTY, WASHINGTON


Brian Sullivan, Council Chair

ATTEST:


Amber Erps, Clerk of the Board

ATTEST:


Debbie Eco, Clerk of the Council

Attachments: None