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A MOTION authorizing the County Executive to seek designation, in cooperation with Snohomish County and the affected municipalities, as the "208" agency for the Snoqualmie River Basin.

WHEREAS, the County has a long tradition of leading joint planning and management programs with the cities and towns in the Snoqualmie River Basin, and

WHEREAS, the County shares many present responsibilities with these municipalities such as Housing and Community Development and the Middle Fork Dam compromise, and

WHEREAS, future management problems will require increasingly complex basin-wide and interjurisdictional approaches that include Snohomish County, and

WHEREAS, the planning requirements of Section 208 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Amendments of 1972 necessitate a coordinated management scheme that includes the Basin municipalities and Snohomish County, and

WHEREAS, the Governor is considering the designation of a "208" agency for the Snoqualmie River Basin,

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

Since it is the policy of the Council to continue to encourage cooperative multipurpose management programs that treat the Basin as a unit, the County Executive is authorized to take the necessary steps to seek, jointly with Snohomish County and the affected municipalities, the designation as the "208" agency for the Snoqualmie River Basin.

PASSED this 31et day of _____

KING COUNTY COUNCIL KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Chairman