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INTRODUCED BY: Scott Blair

Proposed No.: 81-144

ORDINANCE NO.

repealing Ordinance No. 4752.

AN ORDINANCE providing for the issuance and sale of unlimited tax levy general obligation bonds of the County in the principal amount of \$40,000,000 for the purpose of providing funds to pay part of the cost of carrying out the acquisition of voluntarily offered interests in farm and open space land in King County as provided in Ordinance No. 4341, as amended by Ordinances Nos. 4373 and 4500, of the County and authorized by the qualified electors of the County at a special election held therein on November 6, 1979; providing the date, form, terms, maturities and covenants of those bonds; providing for the annual levy of taxes without limitation as to rate or amount to pay the principal of and interest on the bonds; and

#### PREAMBLE:

At an election held in King County, Washington (the "County"), on November 6, 1979, the number and proportion of the qualified electors of the County required by law for the adoption thereof voted in favor of a proposition authorizing the issuance of general obligation bonds of the County in the total principal amount of \$50,000,000 for the purpose of providing funds for the acquisition of voluntarily offered interests in farm and open space land in the County as set forth in Ordinance No. 4341 of the County, passed June 18, 1979, as amended by Ordinance No. 4373, passed July 9, 1979, and Ordinance No. 4500, passed September 21, 1979.

It is for the best interests of the County that \$40,000,000 par value of bonds authorized by Ordinance No. 4341, as amended, now be issued to provide part of the money necessary to carry out the plan for acquisition of voluntarily offered interests in farm and open space land in the County and that those bonds be sold at public sale in the manner provided in this ordinance.

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BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:

SECTION 1. For the purpose of providing part of the funds for the acquisition of voluntarily offered interests in farm and open space land in the County as set forth in Ordinance No. 4341, as amended, and to pay other costs relating thereto and to the issuance of the bonds provided for in this ordinance, the County shall now issue and sell \$40,000,000 par value of bonds as a first series of the total authorized \$50,000,000 of unlimited tax general obligation bonds authorized by Ordinance No. 4341, as amended, and duly approved by the qualified electors of the County at a special election held therein on November 6, 1979.

The bonds shall be designated "Unlimited Tax General Obligation Bonds, 1981, (Farm and Open Space)" (hereinafter called the "Bonds"); shall be dated as of the first day of the month following the month of their sale; shall be serial in form; shall be in denominations of \$5,000 each; and shall bear interest at a rate or rates contained on the bid of the purchaser which is awarded the Bonds pursuant to Section 7 of this ordinance, payable on December 1, 1981, and semiannually thereafter on the first days of June and December of each year as evidenced by coupons to be attached thereto. If any Bond is not redeemed when duly presented for payment at its maturity or call date, the County shall be obligated to pay interest at the same coupon rate for each such Bond from and after the maturity or call date thereof until such Bond shall have been paid or until sufficient funds shall have been duly provided in the "King County General Obligation Bond Redemption Fund" (the "Bond Fund") for such payment in full and such Bond has been duly called for payment. Both principal of and interest on the Bonds shall be payable in lawful money of the United States of America out of the Bond Fund at the office of the Comptroller of King County in Seattle, Washington, or, at the option of the holder, at either fiscal

agency of the State of Washington in Seattle, Washington, or New York, New York. The Bonds shall be payable serially, be numbered from one upward, and mature on December 1 of each year in order of their numbers as follows (with interest computed at an assumed rate of 8% per annum):

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7	Bond Numbers (Inclusive)	Amounts	Maturity Years
8	1 to 193	\$ 965,000	1983
9	194 to 402	1,045,000	1984
10	403 to 627	1,125,000	1985
	628 to 870	1,215,000	1986
11	871 to 1133	1,315,000	1987
12	1134 to 1416	1,420,000	1988
13	1417 to 1723	1,530,000	1989
	1724 to 2054	1,655,000	1990
14	2055 to 2411	1,785,000	1991
15	2412 to 2797	1,930,000	1992
16	2798 to 3214	2,085,000	1993
	3215 to 3664	2,250,000	1994
17	3665 to 4150	2,430,000	1995
18	4151 to 4675	2,625,000	1996
19	4676 to 5242	2,835,000	1997
	5243 to 5854	3,060,000	1998
20	5855 to 6515	3,305,000	1999
21	6516 to 7229	3,570,000	2000
22	7230 to 8000	3,855,000	2001

The life of the capital acquisitions to be acquired from the proceeds of the Bonds is not less than thirty years.

SECTION 2. The County hereby reserves the right to redeem the outstanding Bonds of this issue in whole, or in part in inverse numerical order, on December 1, 1993, and any interest payment date thereafter at par plus accrued interest to the date of such redemption.

Notice of any such intended redemption shall be published at least once in the official newspaper of the County not less than thirty days nor more than forty days prior to the redemption date and a copy of such notice shall be mailed within the same period to the main office of the purchaser or account manager of

the purchasers of the Bonds at their sale by the County, or to 1 2 the business successor, if any, of that purchaser or account 3 manager at its main office. In addition, such redemption notice shall also be mailed to Moody's Investors Service, Inc., and Standard & Poor's Corporation at their main offices in New York, 5 6 New York, or to the business successors, if any, of those firms 7 at their main offices, but the mailing of such notice to those 8 New York firms shall not be a condition precedent to the redemp-9 tion of the Bonds. Interest on any Bonds so called for redemp-10 tion shall cease on such redemption date unless the same shall 11 not be redeemed upon presentation made pursuant to such call. 12 The County reserves the right to purchase any of the 13 Bonds on the open market at a price not in excess of par plus 14 accrued interest to the date of purchase. 15 SECTION 3. The Bonds shall be in substantially the 16 following form: 17 No. \$5,000 18 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA 19 STATE OF WASHINGTON 20 KING COUNTY 21 UNLIMITED TAX GENERAL 22 OBLIGATION BOND, 1981

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KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON (the "County"), a municipal corporation of the State of Washington, is justly indebted to and for value received hereby promises to pay to the bearer the sum of

FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS

on the FIRST DAY OF DECEMBER, \_\_\_\_\_, together with interest thereon at the rate of \_\_\_\_\_% per annum, payable on December 1, 1981, and semiannually

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thereafter on the first days of June and December of each year upon presentation and surrender of the attached interest coupons as they severally become due, or, if this bond is not redeemed when duly presented for payment at its maturity or call date, until such principal sum shall have been paid or funds are duly provided in the "King County General Obligation Bond Redemption Fund" for such payment in full and this bond has been duly called for payment.

Both principal of and interest on this bond are payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the office of the Comptroller of King County in Seattle, Washington, or, at the option of the holder, at either fiscal agency of the State of Washington in Seattle, Washington, or New York, New York.

The County reserves the right to redeem the outstanding bonds of this issue in whole, or in part in inverse numerical order, on December 1, 1993, and any interest payment date thereafter at par plus accrued interest to the date of such redemption.

Notice of such intended redemption shall be published in the official newspaper of the County at least once not less than thirty days nor more than forty days prior to the redemption date and a copy of such notice shall be mailed within the same period to \_\_\_\_\_\_

In addition, such redemption notice shall also be mailed to Moody's Investors Service, Inc., and

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Standard & Poor's Corporation at their main offices in New York, New York, or to the business successors, if any, of those firms at their main offices, but the mailing of such notice to those New York firms shall not be a condition precedent to the redemption of any of the bonds of this issue. Interest on any bonds called for redemption shall cease on such redemption date unless the same shall not be redeemed upon presentation made pursuant to such call. The County reserves the right to purchase any of the bonds of this issue on the open market at a price not in excess of par plus accrued inter-

est to the date of purchase.

This bond is one of a total first series of 8,000 bonds of like date, tenor and effect, except for number, rate of interest and date of maturity, in the aggregate principal amount of \$40,000,000 issued for county capital purposes other than the replacement of equipment, namely, the acquisition of farm and open space lands, pursuant to an election authorizing a total of \$50,000,000 principal amount of such bonds, and in accordance and in strict compliance with all statutes of the State of Washington applicable thereto, with the Constitution of the State of Washington and pursuant to Ordinance No. 4341, passed June 18, 1979, as amended by Ordinance No. 4373, passed July 9, 1979, and Ordinance No. 4500, passed September 21, 1979, Ordinance No. , passed \_\_\_\_\_, and all other duly adopted ordinances and resolutions of the County.

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The County hereby irrevocably covenants that it will levy taxes annually, without limitation as to rate or amount, upon all the taxable property within the County in amounts sufficient, together with other money which may become legally available and used for such purposes, to pay the principal of and interest on the bonds of this issue as the same shall become due. The full faith, credit and resources of the County are hereby irrevocably pledged for the annual levy and collection of such taxes and for the prompt payment of such principal and interest.

It is hereby certified that all acts, conditions and things required to be done precedent to and in the issuance of this bond have been done, have happened and have been performed as required by law, and that the total indebtedness of the County, including this bond and the bonds of this issue, does not exceed any constitutional or statutory limitations.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the County has caused this bond to be signed by the [manual] [fac-simile] signature of its County Executive and attested by the [manual] [facsimile] signature of the Administrator-Clerk of its Council (or her Deputy Clerk on his behalf), and the seal of the County Council to be imprinted hereon, and the interest coupons attached hereto to be signed with the facsimile signatures of those officials this first day of \_\_\_\_\_\_, 1981.

KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

By County Executive

MARY M. JONES, Administrator-Clerk of the Council 2 3 Ву Clerk of the Council King County Comptroller's Reference No. The interest coupons attached to the Bonds shall be in substantially the following form: 8 King County Comptroller's Reference No. \_\_\_\_ 9 Coupon No. 10 \$ 11 (Unless the bond specified below has been 12 previously redeemed) On the FIRST DAY OF (DECEM-13 BER) (JUNE), , KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON, will 14 pay to bearer at the office of the Comptroller of 15 King County in Seattle, Washington, or, at the 16 option of the holder, at either fiscal agency of 17 the State of Washington in Seattle, Washington, 18 or New York, New York, the amount shown hereon in 19 lawful money of the United States of America, 20 that amount being the interest due on that date on 21 its "Unlimited Tax General Obligation Bond, 1981, 22 (Farm and Open Space), dated \_\_\_\_\_, 1981, 23 and numbered \_\_\_\_\_. 24 KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON 25 By <u>(facsimile signature)</u> 26 County Executive 27 ATTEST: 28 MARY M. JONES, Administrator-Clerk of the Council 29 (facsimile signature) 30 Clerk of the Council 31 SECTION 4. The Bonds shall be signed on behalf of the 32 County by either the manual or facsimile signature of the County

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Executive, shall be attested by either the manual or facsimile signature of the Administrator-Clerk of the County Council (or her Deputy Clerk on her behalf), and shall have the seal (or facsimile thereof) of the County Council affixed thereto by imprinting the same thereon. Each of the interest coupons attached thereto shall be signed with the facsimile signatures of those officials.

SECTION 5. A special fund of the County is created in the office of the Comptroller of King County, Washington, to be known as the "Farmland and Open Space Acquisition Fund" (the "Acquisition Fund"). The principal proceeds received from the sale of the Bonds shall be paid into that fund. The money received from the sale of the Bonds shall be expended solely for the purposes set forth in Ordinance No. 4341 and this ordinance and none of that money shall be used for the replacement of equipment. Interest or earnings received from the interim investment of such money pursuant to Ordinance No. 4341 shall be deposited in the Acquisition Fund, and shall not exceed the applicable limits provided by the federal statutes and regulations respecting arbitrage.

SECTION 6. A special fund of the County has been duly created known as the "King County General Obligation Bond Redemption Fund" (the "Bond Fund"), which fund shall be drawn upon for the purpose of paying the principal of and interest on the Bonds and other unlimited tax levy general obligation bonds of the County. The accrued interest and premium, if any, received from the sale of the Bonds shall be deposited in such fund. The County hereby irrevocably covenants that it will make annual levies of taxes without limitation as to rate or amount upon all the property in the County subject to taxation in an amount sufficient, together with other money which may become legally available and used for such purposes, to pay the principal of and

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interest on the Bonds and any other unlimited tax levy general obligation bonds of the County payable out of the Bond Fund as such principal and interest shall become due. All of such taxes so collected shall be paid into the Bond Fund, and none of the money in the Bond Fund shall be used for any other purpose than the payment of the principal of and interest on unlimited tax levy general obligation bonds of the County. The full faith, credit and resources of the County are hereby irrevocably pledged for the annual levy and collection of such taxes and the prompt payment of such principal and interest.

An amount equal to the interest to become due on the Bonds on December 1, 1981, may be loaned by and transferred from the Acquisition Fund to the Bond Fund, and if so loaned and transferred, shall be used for the sole purpose of paying the interest due on the Bonds on such date and shall be repaid with interest out of the first taxes collected that are levied to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds.

SECTION 7. The County covenants that any interest, income or profits received from the investment of proceeds of sale of the Bonds shall not exceed the then applicable limits provided by federal statutes and regulations respecting arbitrage and that it will not otherwise violate those applicable limits.

SECTION 8. The Bonds shall be sold for cash at public sale upon sealed bids to be received at the office of the Administrator-Clerk of the Council, Room 402, King County Courthouse, Seattle, Washington, until the hour of 10:00 a.m., local time, on a date to be fixed by Motion of the County Council. The Administrator-Clerk is authorized and directed to advertise the Bonds for sale in the manner required by law and to give such additional notice as she shall deem to be in the best interests of the County.

The terms of such sale are set forth in the Notice of Bond Sale and Bid Form contained in Exhibit A and attached hereto, the provisions thereof and form of which are approved and made a

1 part of this ordinance by this reference. 2 SECTION 9. Upon the sale of the Bonds, the proper County 3 officials are hereby authorized and directed to do everything necessary for the prompt printing, execution and delivery thereof, 5 the appropriate use and application of the proceeds of such sale, 6 and the execution of the certificates necessary to the delivery 7 thereof. 8 SECTION 10. Ordinance No. 4752 is repealed. SECTION 11. Any act done pursuant to the authority and 10 prior to the effective date of this ordinance is hereby ratified 11 and confirmed. 12 INTRODUCED and read for the first time this 30 th day of 13 March , 1981. 14 PASSED by the Council at a regular meeting thereof on the 15 20th day of april 16 KING COUNTY COUNCIL KING COUNTY) 17 18 19 20 ATTEST: 21 22 DEPUTY Clerk of the Council 23 APPROVED this /st day of May 24 25 26 27 King County Executive 28 29 30 31 32 33

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#### EXHIBIT A

#### NOTICE OF BOND SALE

#### KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

\$40,000,000

### UNLIMITED TAX GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS, 1981,

#### (FARM AND OPEN SPACE)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that sealed bids will be received by the County Council of King County, Washington, at the office of the Administrator-Clerk of the County Council, Room 402, King County Courthouse, Seattle, Washington, until the hour of 10:00 a.m., local time, on

\_\_\_, 1981,

for the purchase of all or none of \$40,000,000 "Unlimited Tax General Obligation Bonds, 1981, (Farm and Open Space)" of King County, at which time and place such bids will be publicly opened, read and evaluated.

All of the bonds will be dated \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 1981; will be in denominations of \$5,000 each; will be payable both principal and interest in lawful money of the United States at the office of the Comptroller of King County in Seattle, Washington, or, at the option of the holder, at either fiscal agency of the State of Washington in Seattle, Washington, or New York, New York; and will be in coupon form with interest payable on December 1, 1981, and semiannually thereafter on the first days of June and December of each year. The bonds will be numbered from 1 upward consecutively and will mature on December 1 of each of the following years in the following amounts:

Year	Amount	Year	Amount
1983	\$ 965,000	1993	\$2,085,000
1984	1,045,000	1994	2,250,000
1985	1,125,000	1995	2,430,000
1986	1,215,000	1996	2,625,000
1987	1,315,000	1997	2,835,000
1988	1,420,000	1998	3,060,000
1989	1,530,000	1999	3,305,000
1990	1,655,000	2000	3,570,000
1991	1,785,000	2001	3,855,000
1992 <sup>-</sup>	1,930,000		=,,,,,,,,

King County has reserved the right to redeem the bonds of this issue in whole, or in part in inverse numerical order, on December 1, 1993, and any interest payment date thereafter at par plus accrued interest to the date of redemption.

The County reserves the right to purchase any of the bonds on the open market at a price not in excess of par plus accrued interest to date of purchase.

The unlimited tax levy general obligation bonds will be secured by an annual levy of taxes without limitation as to rate or amount upon all the property within the County subject to taxation in an amount sufficient, together with other money which may become legally available and used for such purposes, to pay the principal of and interest on the bonds as they become due.

Bidders shall submit bids on blank forms furnished by the County, and each bid shall conform to the following requirements:

- 1. The net effective interest rate on the bonds shall not exceed 8% per annum, and each installment of interest on each bond shall be evidenced by a single coupon.
- 2. One or more coupon rates of interest may be fixed for the bonds but such rate or rates must be in multiples of 1/8 or 1/20 of 1%.
- 3. A single coupon interest rate must be fixed for all bonds maturing on the same date.
- 4. The spread between the highest and lowest coupon rates shall not exceed 2%.
- 5. Coupons specified for bonds maturing on December 1, 1995, and thereafter, shall not be less than the coupon interest rate specified for the preceding maturity year.
- 6. Each bid shall provide for payment of accrued interest to date of delivery and shall specify either (a) the lowest rate or rates of interest and premium above par at which the bidder will purchase the bonds, or (b) the lowest rate or rates of interest at which the bidder will purchase the bonds at par.
- 7. Each bid shall state the total interest cost, total premium, the net interest cost to the County and the net effective interest rate thereunder, but such statements shall not be considered a part of the bid.
- Each bid shall be sealed and shall be accompanied by a good faith deposit of \$2,000,000, evidenced by a certified or bank cashier's check made payable to the Comptroller of King County, Washington, which check shall be security for the performance of such bid and shall be held for liquidated damages in case the successful bidder fails to take up and pay for the bonds within forty days, if tendered for delivery, after the acceptance thereof. The County may deposit the good faith deposit into the King County Farmland and Open Space Acquisition Fund and invest the same for its benefit pending the payment for and delivery of the bonds. The purchaser shall not be credited for such earnings. The faith checks of all bidders except that of the The good successful bidder will be returned as soon as possible after the bids have been opened and evaluated. The award of such bonds, if any, by the County Council will be made not later than 12:00 noon, local time, on the date when bids are opened.

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The bonds will be awarded to the bidder offering to purchase all of the same at the lowest net interest cost, subject to the right of the County to reject any and all bids and to readvertise the bonds for sale in the manner provided by law. No bid for less than the entire issue will be considered. The County Council reserves the right to waive any irregularities that may appear in any bid or the bidding process.

The bonds will be delivered to the purchaser at New York, New York, or Chicago, Illinois, at the County's expense, or at such other place as the purchaser and the Comptroller of King County may mutually agree upon at the expense of the purchaser. Settlement in full shall be made at the time of delivery and shall be in Federal Funds available on the date and at the place of delivery, except that the principal amount of the good faith deposit of the purchaser shall be applied to the purchase price of the bonds.

If, prior to the delivery of the bonds, the income receivable by the holders thereof shall be taxable by the terms of any federal income tax law, the successful bidder may at its option be relieved of its obligation to purchase the bonds, and in such case the deposit accompanying its bid will be returned, without interest.

It is anticipated that CUSIP identification numbers will be printed on the bonds, but neither the failure to print such number on any bond nor any error with respect thereto shall constitute cause for a failure or refusal by the purchaser thereof to accept delivery of and pay for the bonds in accordance with the terms of the purchase contract. Expense related to the printing of CUSIP numbers on the bonds shall be paid for by the issuer, except that the CUSIP Service Bureau charge for the assignment of the numbers shall be the responsibility of and shall be paid for by the purchaser.

The County will pay the cost of printing the bonds, and will furnish without cost to the purchaser thereof the unqualified approving opinion of Roberts, Shefelman, Lawrence, Gay & Moch approving the legality of the issuance of the bonds, which legal opinion will be printed on each bond. The legal opinion shall state that bond counsel expresses no opinion on the completeness or accuracy of any official statement, offering circular or other sales material relating to the issuance of the bonds prepared by the County or its financial advisor or otherwise used in connection with such bonds.

A no-litigation certificate in the usual form will be included in the closing papers.

Further information regarding the details of such bonds and the ordinance fixing their purposes, covenants and terms, together with financial data with reference to the County, will be found in an official statement which may be obtained upon request made to the undersigned, Deputy Clerk of the County Council, King County Courthouse, Seattle, Washington 98104, or made to Harper, McLean Financial Corp., 1504 Third Avenue, Seattle, Washington 98101, financial consultants.

Deputy Clerk of the County Council, King County, Washington

#### KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

FORM OF PROPOSAL

#### FOR PURCHASE OF BONDS

\$40,000,000

UNLIMITED TAX GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS, 1981,

(FARM AND OPEN SPACE)

County Council of King County King County Courthouse Seattle, Washington 98104

For \$40,000,000 King County, Washington, "Unlimited Tax General Obligation Bonds, 1981, (Farm and Open Space)" to be dated \_\_\_\_\_\_, 1981, and to mature on December 1 of each of the years 1983 through 2001 in the amounts shown below, with interest payable on December 1, 1981, and semiannually thereafter on the first days of June and December of each year, we will pay the sum of \$40,000,000, a premium of \$\_\_\_\_\_\_ and accrued interest from \_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 1981, to the date of their delivery for bonds to bear interest at the annual coupon rates set forth below:

Maturity	Amount	Coupon	Maturity	Amount	Coupon
Dec. 1, 1983	\$ 965,000	8	Dec. 1, 1993	\$2,085,000	
Dec. 1, 1984	1,045,000	<u></u> 8	Dec. 1, 1994	2,250,000	8
Dec. 1, 1985	1,125,000	8	Dec. 1, 1995	2,430,000	<del></del>
Dec. 1, 1986	1,215,000	<u> </u>	Dec. 1, 1996	2,625,000	<del></del>
Dec. 1, 1987	1,315,000	<b></b> %	Dec. 1, 1997	2,835,000	8
Dec. 1, 1988	1,420,000	·8	Dec. 1, 1998	3,060,000	<del></del> 8
Dec. 1, 1989	1,530,000	8	Dec. 1, 1999	3,305,000	8
Dec. 1, 1990	1,655,000	*	Dec. 1, 2000	3,570,000	8
Dec. 1, 1991	1,785,000		Dec. 1, 2001	3,855,000	8
Dec. 1, 1992	1,930,000	<del></del> 8	•	· . •	

This bid is submitted in accordance with and subject to all provisions contained in the official Notice of Sale of these bonds attached hereto and made a part of this bid.

A certified or bank cashier's check in the sum of \$2,000,000 payable to the order of the Comptroller of King County, Washington, is hereby attached, which check is to be returned to us if this bid is not accepted. If this bid is accepted, this check shall be retained, and may be invested, by the County Comptroller and when the bonds are delivered and paid for under the terms of this bid, the principal amount thereof shall be considered as an advance part payment thereon and shall be retained as and for liquidated damages in case we fail to take up and pay for the bonds at the price agreed upon under the terms of this bid. No interest earned on the amount of this check shall be credited to the purchase price of the bonds.

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#### NOTICE OF BOND SALE

#### KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

\$40,000,000

UNLIMITED TAX GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS, 1981, (FARM AND OPEN SPACE)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that sealed bids will be received by the County Council of King County, Washington, at the office of the Administrator-Clerk of the County Council, Room 402, King County Courthouse, Seattle, Washington, until the hour of 10:00 a.m., local time, on

\_\_\_\_\_, 1981,

for the purchase of all or none of \$40,000,000 "Unlimited Tax General Obligation Bonds, 1981, (Farm and Open Space)" of King County, at which time and place such bids will be publicly opened, read and evaluated.

All of the bonds will be dated \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 1981; will be in denominations of \$5,000 each; and will mature in varying amounts from December 1, 1983, to December 1, 2001, inclusive. The bonds will be sold for not less than par and accrued interest and shall bear interest at the rate or rates of not to exceed 8% per annum, payable semiannually.

The unlimited tax levy general obligation bonds will be secured by an annual levy of taxes without limitation as to rate or amount upon all the property within the County subject to taxation in an amount sufficient, together with other money which may become legally available and used for such purposes, to pay the principal of and interest on the bonds as they become due.

The bonds will be delivered to the purchaser at New York, New York, or Chicago, Illinois, at the County's expense, or at such other place as the purchaser and the Comptroller of King County may mutually agree upon at the expense of the purchaser. Settlement in full shall be made at the time of delivery and shall be in Federal Funds available on the date and at the place of delivery, except that the principal amount of the good faith deposit of the purchaser shall be applied to the purchase price of the bonds.

The County will pay the cost of printing the bonds, and will furnish without cost to the purchaser thereof the unqualified approving opinion of Roberts, Shefelman, Lawrence, Gay & Moch approving the legality of the issuance of the bonds, which legal opinion will be printed on each bond. The legal opinion shall state that bond counsel expresses no opinion on the completeness or accuuracy of any official statement, offering circular or other sales material relating to the issuance of the bonds prepared by the County or its financial advisor or otherwise used in connection with such bonds. A no-litigation certificate in the usual form will be included in the closing papers.

The official Notice of Bond Sale and further information regarding the details of the bonds and the ordinance fixing their purposes, covenants and terms, together with financial data with reference to the County, will be found in an official statement which may be obtained upon request made to the undersigned, Deputy Clerk of the County Council, King County Courthouse, Seattle, Washington 98104, or made to Harper, McLean Financial Corp., 1504 Third Avenue, Seattle, Washington 98101, financial consultants.

Deputy Clerk of the County Council, King County, Washington

#### NOTICE OF BOND SALE

#### KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

\$40,000,000

UNLIMITED TAX GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS, 1981, (FARM AND OPEN SPACE)

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for the purchase of all or none of \$40,000,000 "Unlimited Tax General Obligation Bonds, 1981, (Farm and Open Space)" of King County, at which time and place such bids will be publicly opened, read and evaluated.

All of the bonds will be dated \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 1981; will be in denominations of \$5,000 each; and will mature in varying amounts from December 1, 1983, to December 1, 2001, inclusive. The bonds will be sold for not less than par and accrued interest and shall bear interest at the rate or rates of not to exceed 8% per annum, payable semiannually.

The unlimited tax levy general obligation bonds will be secured by an annual levy of taxes without limitation as to rate or amount upon all the property within the County subject to taxation in an amount sufficient, together with other money which may become legally available and used for such purposes, to pay the principal of and interest on the bonds as they become due.

The bonds will be delivered to the purchaser at New York, New York, or Chicago, Illinois, at the County's expense, or at such other place as the purchaser and the Comptroller of King County may mutually agree upon at the expense of the purchaser. Settlement in full shall be made at the time of delivery and shall be in Federal Funds available on the date and at the place of delivery, except that the principal amount of the good faith deposit of the purchaser shall be applied to the purchase price of the bonds.

The County will pay the cost of printing the bonds, and will furnish without cost to the purchaser thereof the unqualified approving opinion of Roberts, Shefelman, Lawrence, Gay & Moch approving the legality of the issuance of the bonds, which legal opinion will be printed on each bond. The legal opinion shall state that bond counsel expresses no opinion on the completeness or accuracy of any official statement, offering circular or other sales material relating to the issuance of the bonds prepared by the County or its financial advisor or otherwise used in connection with such bonds. A no-litigation certificate in the usual form will be included in the closing papers.

The official Notice of Bond Sale and further information regarding the details of the bonds and the ordinance fixing their purposes, covenants and terms, together with financial data with reference to the County, will be found in an official statement which may be obtained upon request made to the undersigned, Deputy Clerk of the County Council, King County Courthouse, Seattle, Washington 98104, or made to Harper, McLean Financial Corp., 1504 Third Avenue, Seattle, Washington 98101, financial consultants.

Deputy Clerk of the County Council, King County, Washington