Introduced by:

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Proposed No.:

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ORDINANCE NO.

AN ORDINANCE extending the deadline of the temporary moratorium on the issuance of building permits for facilities accessory to a permitted public utility facility and conditional use permits for radio frequency electromagnetic transmitters and appurtenances on Vashon and Maury Islands and amending Ordinance 6765, Sections 1 through 4 as amended and K.C.C. 20.12.327.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:

SECTION 1. Ordinance 6765, Sections 1 through 4 and K.C.C. 20.12.327 are hereby amended to read as follows:

- A. Findings. The King County council finds 'that:
- l. The location of radio frequency electromagnetic transmitters and appurtenances are a public health concern to the residents of Vashon and Maury Islands.
- 2. The department of parks planning and ((eommunity development)) resources has begun a study of regulations governing the location of radio frequency electromagnetic transmitters and appurtenances with proposed regulations due for council consideration in ((1986-or-early)) 1987.
- B. Moratorium established. There is hereby established a moratorium which prohibits the issuance of conditional use permits as defined by K.C.C. 21.44.030 and building permits for facilities accessory to a permitted public utility facility as defined by K.C.C. 21.08.070 B in R, S, $((G_7))$ A-R, B, C, M, A, FR, and QM zones for radio frequency electromagnetic transmitters, and appurtenances on Vashon and Maury Islands, provided, however, that this moratorium shall not prohibit the issuance of such permits for the relocation or replacement of existing radio frequency electromagnetic transmitters owned and operated by public police and fire agencies.

For purposes of this section the term "radio frequency electromagnetic transmitters" shall mean any antenna, facility or equipment designed to generate radio waves with the frequency range of 3 MH_2 to 100 GH_2 .

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- C. Duration. The temporary moratorium shall be in effect until the King County council adopts revised regulations for radio frequency electromagnetic transmitters and appurtenances or ((June-30)) December 31, 1987, whichever occurs first.
- Implementation. All bonafide applications for conditional use permits and building permits for public utilities for radio frequency electromagnetic transmitters, and appurtenances pending as of the effective date of this section shall be processed in the normal manner within normally prescribed deadlines. However, no new applications for conditional use and building permits as described in subsection B of this section will be accepted by King County.

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APPROVED this 2nd day of July,

County Executive