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Introduced by:

Bill Reams Ron Sims Audrey Gruger

Proposed No:

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ORDINANCE NO. 8650

AN ORDINANCE relating to a proposed amendment of Article 8, Section 815, King County Charter, concerning the contracts and competitive bidding, submitting same to the voters of the county and establishing a date of election.

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BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:

SECTION 1. There shall be submitted to the qualified voters of King County for their approval and ratification or rejection, at the next general election to be held in this county, an amendment to Article 8, section 815 of the King County Charter to read as follows:

Contracts and Competitive Bidding.

The construction of all public buildings and works shall be performed by independent contractors, except that county road projects having a value of less than ((fifteen)) twenty-five thousand dollars shall be performed by county employees. Whenever the county would have been required to do so by general law if it had not adopted this charter, it shall purchase all property and award all contracts by competitive bidding in accordance with procedures established by ordinance. Provided that, when permitted by law, there shall be established a small works roster composed of all contractors who have requested to be placed on it and who are properly licensed to perform such work in this state. The county may award contracts using this roster for all contracts of one hundred thousand dollars or less, in accordance with procedures to be established by ordinance.

SECTION 2. The manager of the division of records and
elections shall cause notice of the proposed amendment of the
King County charter to be published in accordance with the State
Constitution and general law and placed upon the ballot at the
next general election on November 8, 1988.
INTRODUCED AND READ for the first time this 22nd day
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KING COUNTY COUNCIL KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON
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Clerk of the Council
APPROVED this 23rd day of SEPTEMBER, 1988.
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