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PROPOSED NO.:

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ORDINANCE NO. 9332

AN ORDINANCE relating to the Washington State Public Water System Coordination Program (RCW 70.116), ratifying the coordinated water system plan for the Skyway critical water supply service area, and recommending final approval by the Washington State Department of Health Services.

## PREAMBLE:

Based on a preliminary assessment of water systems and fireflows, King County, by Ordinance 7893, designated the Skyway area a critical water supply service area pursuant to the provisions of the Public Water System Coordination Act, RCW 70.116.

The county established a water utility coordinating committee (WUCC) for the purpose of developing a coordinated water system plan (CWSP) for the area. The WUCC, having completed the plan and having obtained the necessary service area agreements from all the water utilities affected by the plan, has submitted the CWSP to the county for review and ratification.

On April 26, 1988, a Determination of Non-Significance was made pursuant to the State Environmental Policy Act.

Pursuant to K.C.C. 13.24, the Utility Technical Review Committee reviewed the CWSP and recommends ratification.

Ratification means certification by the county legislative authority according to the standards of RCW 70.116 that the CWSP is consistent with the county's adopted land use plans and policies.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:

SECTION 1. The Skyway coordinated water system plan (CWSP), is ratified in accordance with the regulations of the Washington State Department of Health (DOH) found in WAC 248-56. The King County council finds the CWSP to be consistent with the county's adopted land use plans and policies as called for in RCW 70.116 and K.C.C. 13.24 and recommends that DOH approve it.

SECTION 2. A water conservation program is an integral element of the Skyway Coordinated Water System Plan. All purveyors shall develop a conservation element as part of their individual water comprehensive plan. The conservation program to

reduce water consumption as outlined in an addendum to Skyway Coordinated Water System Plan shall be in place and operating by 1995 and will be reviewed at that time for its effectiveness by the Washington State Department of Health with assistance from the Water Utility Coordinating Committee. King County will monitor the effectiveness of purveyor conservation plans in conjunction with the approval of their water comprehensive plans. 1990 will be the base year used to establish the average annual per capital water consumption figure for measurement purposes, adjusted for any weather abnormalities or previous reductions as a result of an existing conservation program. purveyors within the Skyway critical water supply service area shall achieve a 6.5 percent per capita reduction in water use from the 1990 average annual per capita consumption figure (base year measurement) by 1995. A minimum total reduction in average per capita water consumption of eight percent from the 1990 base figure is the goal for the Skyway Coordinated Water System Plan by the year 2000. INTRODUCED AND READ for the first time this 5th February , 1990. PASSED this 26th day of February, 1990. KING COUNTY COUNCIL KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON Lois North ATTEST: Council APPROVED this 12th day of MARCH, 1996.

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