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PROPOSED NO. 90-609

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ORDINANCE NO.

AN ORDINANCE relating to the interim use of Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds for projects which benefit lower income persons, and authorizing the King County executive to enter into loan agreements necessary to effect the projects, and making a supplemental appropriation of \$55,000 to the Grants Fund, amending Ordinance 9221, Section 74, as amended.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:

SECTION 1. Definitions. Unless the context otherwise requires, the terms defined in this section shall, for all purposes of this ordinance and of any ordinance supplemental hereto, have the meanings specific; words importing the singular number include the plural number and vice versa:

"County" means King County, Washington.

"Council" means the county council of King County, Washington.

"Community Development (CD) Interim Loan" shall mean the making of short-term financing loans to assist in the development of Community Development Block Grant eligible economic development projects.

"Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds" shall be those entitlement monies King County receives through the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development and are dedicated to the CDBG fund.

SECTION 2. It is found and determined that it is necessary and appropriate and in the best interests of King County to make a CD Interim Loan in the amount of five hundred fifty thousand dollars to North Star Casteel, Inc. The loan will be used to purchase pollution control equipment and other equipment to modernize its operation and to refinance existing indebtedness. It is anticipated that ten jobs will be created which will primarily benefit lower income persons.

SECTION 3. It is further found and determined that it is necessary and appropriate and in the best interests of King County to make a CD Interim Loan in the amount of one million five hundred thousand dollars to Pacific Coast Coal Company. The loan will be used to purchase equipment for a coal processing plant and for working capital. It is anticipated that a new coal plant will result in twenty new jobs which will primarily benefit lower income persons.

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SECTION 4. It is further found and determined that it is necessary and appropriate and in the best interests of King County to make a CD Interim loan to the Housing Authority of the County of King in the amount of three million one hundred thousand dollars. The loan will be used to purchase land and pay for soft costs related to the 148-unit Glenbrook manufactured housing development. It is anticipated that nearly all of the housing units will benefit lower income persons. People at risk of being displaced from mobile home parks converting to other uses will be given the opportunity to purchase units.

SECTION 5. It is further found and determined that it is necessary and appropriate and in the best interests of King County to make a CD Interim Loan to the Resource Center for the Handicapped in the amount of eight hundred seventy five thousand dollars. The funds will be used to purchase land and buildings which they currently use to operate a training facility for disabled individuals. The majority of students served by this community facility are lower income persons.

SECTION 6. For the purpose of making these CD Interim Loans, the sum of five million eight hundred twenty five thousand dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary to fund these four projects shall be disbursed from the King County CDBG Letter of Credit on deposit with the United States Department of the Treasury.

SECTION 7. There is hereby approved and adopted a supplemental appropriation of \$55,000 to the Grants Fund from the Housing Authority of the County of King for contracted services with the National Development Council. The services shall be rendered in conjunction with the Glenbrook housing project and other housing and economic development projects which present special opportunities. The National Development Council shall assist King County to analyze the feasibility of projects, develop pro formas, negotiate sales and option agreements, and secure financing for projects.

1	SECTION 8. Ordinance No. 9221, Section 74, as amended, is hereby
2	amended by adding thereto and inserting therein the following:
3	GRANTS FUND - From the Grants Fund - Operating there is hereby appro-
4	priated to:
5	Grants Fund \$55,000
6	SECTION 9. Should any section, subsection, paragraph, sentence, clause
7	or phrase of this ordinance be declared unconstitutional or invalid for
8	any reason, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining
9	portion of this ordinance.
10	INTRODUCED AND READ for the first time this 9th day of
11	July , 1990.
12	PASSED this 23rd day of July, 1990.
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14	KING COUNTY COUNCIL
15	KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON
16	Chair Morth
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18	ATTEST:
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20	Clerk of the Council
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22	APPROVED this 6th day of August, 1990.
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24	King County Executive
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