

ORDINANCE NO. **11425**

AN ORDINANCE relating to the duties of the design commission, and amending Ordinance 10897, Sections 12 and 13 and K.C.C. 4.04.220 and .230.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:

SECTION 1. Ordinance 10897, Section 12 as amended and K.C.C. 4.04.220 are each hereby amended to read as follows:

Design Consultants A. Design consultants for above grade CIP projects may be selected only after the Project Program Plan has been approved by the council.

B. The process established for selecting design consultants will, pursuant to adopted project plans and budgets, include the definition and publication of each project's overall scope, schedule, total budget and consultant fees or fee schedule. Affirmative responses from consultants soliciting design work, shall be the primary basis for the evaluation and selection of design consultants. The executive process shall, pursuant to K.C.C. 4.16, consider all requirements under the Minority/Women's Business Enterprises program.

C. The Implementing Agency shall be included in the process to review and make recommendations to the executive regarding the selection of design consultants for all CIP projects((+)). ~~((Where applicable, consultants shall be selected from the list of design consultants recommended by the design commission, pursuant to K.C.C. 4.04.230.))~~

SECTION 2. Ordinance 10897, Section 13 as amended and K.C.C. 4.04.230 are each hereby amended to read as follows:

Design Commission. A. Functions. There is hereby established a five-member King County design commission. The design commission shall review the qualifications of ((design

1 ~~consultants soliciting county work for above grade CIP projects~~
2 ~~with design costs over \$50,000.))~~ a short list of consultants
3 provided by the Implementing Agency from the design consultants
4 who have solicited work for a specific above grade CIP project
5 with design costs over \$50,000. The short list shall include
6 up to seven design consultants, and shall include the highest
7 qualified MWBE soliciting work on the project. The design
8 commission shall recommend in priority order the top three to
9 five design consultants to the Implementing Agency based on
10 consultant selection criteria established by the executive and
11 as required under King County Code 4.04. (~~When an MWBE firm is~~
12 ~~not included in the top three firms recommended by the design~~
13 ~~commission, t))~~ The highest qualified MWBE soliciting work on a
14 project shall ((also)) always be included in the list that is
15 submitted to the Implementing Agency. The design commission
16 may review the design of specific CIP projects when requested
17 to do so by the executive. Each executive design review
18 request shall specify design features and design stages which
19 are to be reviewed.

20 **B. Membership.** The King County design commission shall
21 consist of five members limited to (~~one~~) two four-year terms
22 and subject to executive appointment and council confirmation.
23 The design commission shall include one member from each of
24 the following categories:

- 25 1. Landscape Architect
- 26 2. Architect
- 27 3. Urban Planner
- 28 4. Registered Professional Civil Engineer
- 29 5. Citizen Representative

30 The initial citizen representative shall be appointed for
31 four years. Of the remaining four positions, two members shall
32 initially serve for two years and two members shall initially

1 serve for three years. All subsequent terms shall be for four
2 years.

3 C. Compensation for members of the design commission
4 shall be at a rate of twenty-five dollars for each hour while
5 in meetings including travel time to commission meetings
6 provided that, total compensation for one day shall not exceed
7 two hundred dollars. Commission members shall be reimbursed
8 for all necessary and reasonable costs incurred by them in
9 performance of the duties of the commission including the cost
10 of travel to commission meetings. Reimbursement for travel and
11 related expenses shall be in accordance with established county
12 travel policies. Expenditures for commission services shall be
13 charged to individual CIP projects.

14 INTRODUCED AND READ for the first time this 23rd day
15 of May, 1994.

16 PASSED this 25th day of July, 1994.

KING COUNTY COUNCIL
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

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18 Passed by a vote of 11 to 0.

Kent Pullen
Chair

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25 ATTEST:

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28 Gerald A. Peterson
29 Clerk of the Council

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31 APPROVED this 2nd day of August, 1994

Doug Lohr
King County Executive

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39 Attachments: None