



KING COUNTY

1200 King County Courthouse
516 Third Avenue
Seattle, WA 98104

Signature Report

August 15, 2000

Ordinance 13922

Proposed No. 2000-0413.1

Sponsors Gossett and Pullen

1 AN ORDINANCE amending the county's small works
2 roster alternative to advertisement and competitive bidding,
3 to comply with legislative changes; and amending
4 Ordinance 10581, Section 8, and K.C.C. 4.16.085.

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7 BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:

8 SECTION 1. Ordinance 10581, Section 8, and K.C.C. 4.16.085 are each hereby
9 amended as follows:

10 **Small works roster alternative to advertisement and competitive bidding.**

11 A. There is hereby created a small works roster system, which shall operate as a
12 uniform process to award contracts for public works projects with an estimated value of
13 ~~((one))~~ two hundred thousand dollars or less as an alternative, at the option of the county
14 on a project-by-project basis, to formal advertisement and competitive bidding. The
15 following procedures shall be followed in awarding all contracts using this roster system:

16 ~~((A.))~~ 1. Individual rosters within the system shall be composed of all contractors
17 who have requested to be placed ~~((thereon))~~ on the rosters and who are responsible and,
18 where required by law, properly licensed to perform such work in this state;

19 ~~((B. The county shall actively solicit participation by women-owned and
20 minority-owned business enterprises in accordance with the provisions of K.C.C. 4.18;~~

21 ~~C. Whenever possible,))~~ 2. Bids may be solicited from all appropriate
22 contractors on the appropriate small works roster or the county shall by invitation seek
23 bids from at least five separate contractors on an appropriate roster. Such an invitation
24 shall include an estimate of the scope and nature of the work to be performed as well as
25 the materials and equipment to be furnished. However, if the estimated cost of the work
26 is from one hundred thousand dollars to two hundred thousand dollars, and the county
27 chooses to solicit bids from less than all appropriate contractors on the appropriate small
28 works roster list, then the county must notify the remaining contractors that bids are
29 being solicited. The director may select the most appropriate method of notifying such
30 remaining contractors in compliance with RCW 39.04.155, now and as hereafter
31 amended;

32 ~~((D.))~~ 3. Once a contractor on a roster has been offered an opportunity to submit
33 a bid, that contractor shall not be offered another opportunity to submit a bid for any
34 other contract utilizing that same roster until all other contractors ~~((thereon, including
35 women-owned and minority-owned contractors,))~~ on the roster have been afforded an
36 opportunity to submit a bid; ~~((and))~~

37 (~~E.~~) 4. A contractor shall be removed, at the discretion of the manager, from a
38 small works roster after being deemed non(~~(-)~~)responsible to two consecutive invitations
39 to bid(~~(-)~~); and

40 (~~F.~~) 5. All contracts shall be awarded to the contractor submitting the lowest
41 responsible bid.

42 B. The director or his designee shall be responsible for the administration of the
43 small works roster system and shall prepare and adopt the forms, administrative
44 processes and operational procedures necessary to implement a small works roster system.

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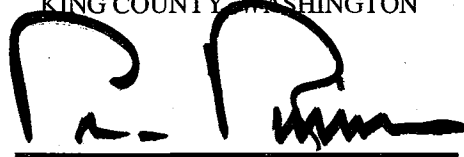
45 for different categories of anticipated work that complies fully with this section and all
46 applicable requirements of state law, including those ((set forth)) in RCW ((36.32.250))
47 36.32.235 and ((RCW)) chapter 39.04 RCW.

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Ordinance 13922 was introduced on 7/17/00 and passed by the Metropolitan King County Council on 8/14/00, by the following vote:

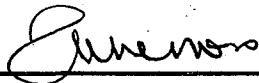
Yes: 13 - Mr. von Reichbauer, Ms. Miller, Ms. Fimia, Mr. Phillips, Mr. Pelz, Mr. McKenna, Ms. Sullivan, Mr. Nickels, Mr. Pullen, Mr. Gossett, Ms. Hague, Mr. Vance and Mr. Irons
No: 0
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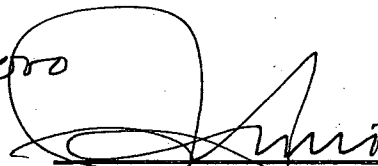
Pete von Reichbauer, Chair

ATTEST:



Anne Noris, Clerk of the Council

APPROVED this 20 day of August 2000



Ron Sims, County Executive

Attachments None