

### KING COUNTY

1200 King County Courthouse 516 Third Avenue Seattle, WA 98104

## **Signature Report**

**September 18, 2001** 

## Ordinance 14210

**Proposed No.** 2001-0353.2

Sponsors von Reichbauer

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11	through 20, records of King County, Washington.
12	3. The Washington State Department of Natural Resources (WSDNR)
13	stated on March 25, 1998, that the department supports the vacation as
14	presented in the petition. In addition, WSDNR encourages the concept of
15	executing the vacation at no cost to the petitioners. This is based on the
16	fact that WSDNR is considering the development of a new trailhead
17 ·	facility on the Mount Si County Road, across the street from 439th Place

18 Southeast. The vacation of the right-of-ways would help to minimize 19 public use conflicts regarding the use of this proposed public facility. 20 Allowing the eventual closure of Southeast 127th Place and 439th Place 21 Southeast to the public would considerably reduce the impact of moving 22 the trailhead for this neighborhood. 23 4. The vacation of the right-of-ways will allow the property owners to 24 control the entrance to their neighborhood and remove objections to the 25 construction of the much-needed parking lot for the new trailhead. The 26 Mt. Si Trail is heavily used and all parties expect there will be times of 27 overflow when the parking lot is full. Vacating the right-of-ways to the 28 Homeowners Association will avert conflicts between users of the trail 29 and the residents. 30 5. The department of transportation notified the various utilities companies serving the area and has been advised that Sallal Water 31 32 Association, CenturyTel Telephone Utilities of Washington and TCI 33 Cablevision of Washington require easements in the vacation area. Puget 34 Sound Energy has secured all nine easements within the proposed vacation 35 area. 36 6. The department of transportation records indicates that King County 37 has been maintaining Southeast 127th Place and 439th Place Southeast. 38 7. The department of transportation considers the subject right-of-ways 39 unnecessary as part of the county road system and believes the public

would benefit by the return of this area to the public tax rolls.

¥1	8. The right-of-ways are classified as "B-Class" and, in accordance with
12	K.C.C. 14.40.020, the compensation in the amount of \$61,185.95 is based
13	on seventy-five percent of the assessed value of the subject right-of-ways
14	which was determined from records of the department of assessments.
15	9. The road services division considers the subject right-of-ways
46	unnecessary as part of the county road system and believes the public
<b>4</b> 7	would benefit by the vacation of the right-of-ways and the construction of
48	the parking lot and new trailhead.
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50	public infrastructure. Additionally, public safety can be maximized.
51	Given these benefits to the public, WSDNR recommends that the county
52	consider eliminating the petitioner's or petitioners' compensation for the
53	vacation of the right-of-ways.
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55	that the council accept the benefit of the public infrastructure and public
56	safety in lieu of compensation for vacating portions of Southeast 127th
57	Place and 439th Place Southeast.
58	12. Due notice was given in the manner provided by law and a hearing
59	was held by the office of the hearing examiner on the 22nd day of Augus
60	2001.
61	13. In consideration of the benefits to be derived from the subject
62	vacation, the council has determined that it is in the best interest of the
63	citizens of King County to grant said petition.

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SECTION 2. In accordance with K.C.C. 14.40.020E the council waives all of the compensation for vacating Southeast 127th Place and 439th Place Southeast.

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Ordinance 14210 was introduced on 7/2/01 and passed by the Metropolitan King County Council on 9/17/01, by the following vote:

Yes: 12 - Mr. von Reichbauer, Ms. Miller, Ms. Fimia, Mr. Phillips, Mr. McKenna, Ms. Sullivan, Mr. Nickels, Mr. Pullen, Mr. Gossett, Ms. Hague,

Mr. Thomas and Mr. Irons

No: 0

Excused: 1 - Mr. Pelz

Pete von Reichbauer, Chair

ATTEST:

Structuarus Deputy Clerk for

Anne Noris, Clerk of the Council

APPROVED this 25 day of September 2001.

Ron Sims, County Executive

Attachments None



Ring County
Road Services Division
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201 South Jackson Street
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October 8, 2001

Clerk of the King County Council King County Council COURTHOUSE

RE:

Vacation of SE 127th Place and 439th Place SE

File V-2367; Petitioners: Mike Finnegan and others

#### Dear Councilmembers:

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If you have any questions, please contact Tommy Burdette, Vacations and Boundaries Engineer, at (206) 296-3731.

Sincerely,

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