



KING COUNTY

1200 King County Courthouse
516 Third Avenue
Seattle, WA 98104

Signature Report

November 15, 2007

Ordinance 15960

Proposed No. 2007-0559.2

Sponsors Ferguson

1 AN ORDINANCE relating to the county property tax
2 levies for collection in 2008, and implementing RCW
3 84.55.120.

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5 BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:

6 SECTION 1. The council is under an obligation by charter to enact revenue
7 measures that support the budget appropriation ordinance by December 1, 2007, for the
8 2008 budget. This ordinance sets the amount of property tax to be collected for the
9 regular property tax levy, the road district levy, the conservation futures levy and the
10 emergency medical services levy. In accordance with RCW 84.55.120, the council has
11 given proper notice of this ordinance to the public.

12 SECTION 2. For collection of the property tax levies in 2008, the council hereby
13 authorizes property tax increases over the amounts authorized for collection in 2007 as

14 follows:

Levy	Estimated Dollar Increase	% Increase	Estimated Total Levy
Regular	\$22,958,435	7.2%	\$343,970,728
Road District	\$785,867	1%	\$79,372,601
Conservation Futures	\$151,838	1%	\$15,335,610

15 The increases shown above are exclusive of any amounts resulting from new construction
16 valued in 2007, any increases in value of state-assessed property for 2007 and any
17 amounts necessary to fund tax refunds paid in 2007. The increase in the regular levy
18 includes an estimated \$3,632,549 (exclusive of new construction) to be levied in
19 accordance with a voter-approved lid lift for parks operations and an estimated
20 \$16,241,856 (exclusive of new construction) to be levied in accordance with a voter-
21 approved lid lift for parks expansion.

22 SECTION 3. Upon enactment, the clerk is directed to forward this ordinance to
23 the assessor in accordance with RCW 84.52.070.

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Ordinance 15960 was introduced on 10/22/2007 and passed as amended by the Metropolitan King County Council on 11/13/2007, by the following vote:

Yes: 8 - Mr. Gossett, Ms. Lambert, Mr. von Reichbauer, Mr. Dunn, Mr. Ferguson, Mr. Phillips, Ms. Hague and Mr. Constantine

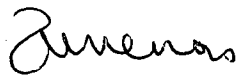
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Excused: 1 - Ms. Patterson

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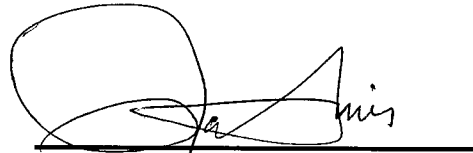

Larry Gossett, Chair

ATTEST:



Anne Noris, Clerk of the Council

APPROVED this 26 day of NOVEMBER, 2007.



Ron Sims, County Executive

Attachments None

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