



**KING COUNTY**

1200 King County Courthouse  
516 Third Avenue  
Seattle, WA 98104

**Signature Report**

**February 22, 2011**

**Ordinance 17036**

**Proposed No. 2011-0058.1**

**Sponsors Dunn**

1 AN ORDINANCE establishing April 26, 2011, as the date  
2 of a special election on the question of annexation of the  
3 city of Enumclaw to the King County rural library district;  
4 and declaring an emergency.

5 BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:

6 **SECTION 1. Findings:**

7 A. The city of Enumclaw, Washington, by Resolution No. 1406, has determined  
8 that it is in the public interest and general welfare to provide for the annexation of the city  
9 of Enumclaw into the King County rural library district in accordance with chapter 27.12  
10 RCW.

11 B. City of Enumclaw Resolution No. 1406 satisfies the provisions of chapter  
12 27.12 RCW for qualification for annexation.

13 C. The city of Enumclaw, by Resolution No. 1406 initiated the annexation into  
14 the library district.

15 D. Pursuant to chapters 29A.04 RCW, the metropolitan King County council  
16 deems an emergency exists for the purpose of calling a special election to be held on the  
17 question of this annexation on April 26, 2011.

18 **SECTION 2.** A special election shall be held on the 26th day of April 2011, in  
19 accordance with chapter 27.12 RCW within the territory of the proposed annexation, for

20 the purpose of submitting the question of annexation to the King County rural library  
21 district.

22 SECTION 3. The number of registered voters within the subject area is estimated  
23 at 6,014, as nearly as may be determined from available records.

24 SECTION 4. Pursuant to RCW 29A.04.321, it is hereby deemed that an  
25 emergency exists for purposes of calling a special election. The King County director of  
26 elections is hereby requested to assume jurisdiction to call and conduct a special election  
27 and submit to the registered voters within the subject area of the proposition as set forth  
28 in section 4 of this ordinance. The clerk of the council is hereby authorized and directed  
29 to transmit the proposition to the director of elections in substantially the following form,  
30 with such additions, deletions or modifications in the ballot title as may be required for  
31 the propositions listed below by the King County prosecuting attorney:

32 PROPOSITION 1:

33 Should the City of Enumclaw be annexed to and be a part of the King County  
34 Rural Library District?

35  Yes  No

36 SECTION 5. The director of elections is hereby authorized and requested to  
37 prepare and distribute a local voters' pamphlet, pursuant to K.C.C. 1.10.010, for the  
38 special election called for in this ordinance, the cost of the pamphlet to be included as  
39 part of the cost of the special election.

40 SECTION 6. RCW 29A.32.280 provides that for each measure from a  
41 jurisdiction that is included in a local voters' pamphlet, the legislative authority of that  
42 jurisdiction shall formally appoint a committee to prepare arguments advocating voter

43 approval of the measure and a committee to prepare arguments advocating voter rejection  
44 of the measure.

45 SECTION 7. In accordance with RCW 29A.32.280, the following individuals are  
46 appointed to serve on the voters' pamphlet committees, each committee to write a  
47 statement for or against the proposed annexation ballot measure:

48	FOR	AGAINST
49	1.	1.
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51	3.	3.

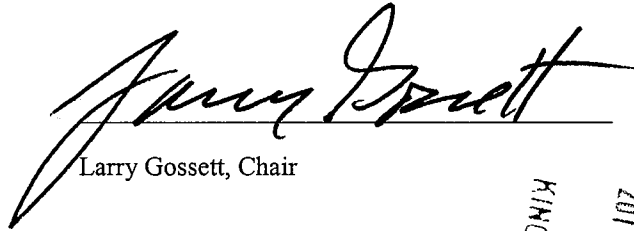
52 SECTION 8. The council finds as a fact and declares that an emergency exists

53 and that this ordinance is necessary for the immediate preservation of public peace, health  
54 or safety or for the support of county government and its existing public institutions.  
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Ordinance 17036 was introduced on 2/7/2011 and passed by the Metropolitan King  
County Council on 2/22/2011, by the following vote:

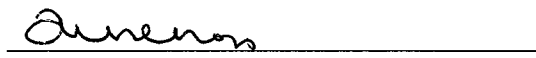
Yes: 9 - Mr. Phillips, Mr. von Reichbauer, Mr. Gossett, Ms. Hague,  
Ms. Patterson, Ms. Lambert, Mr. Ferguson, Mr. Dunn and Mr.  
McDermott  
No: 0  
Excused: 0

KING COUNTY COUNCIL  
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON



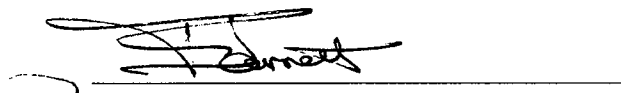
Larry Gossett, Chair

ATTEST:



Anne Noris, Clerk of the Council

APPROVED this 4<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2011.



Dow Constantine, County Executive

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Attachments: None