King County

Proposed No. 2011-0462.1

KING COUNTY

1200 King County Courthouse 516 Third Avenue Seattle, WA 98104

Signature Report

January 17, 2012

Ordinance 17253

Sponsors Phillips

1		AN ORDINANCE relating to transportation concurrency;
2	_	adopting a new transportation concurrency travel shed
3		boundaries map; amending Ordinance 14050, Section 10,
4		as amended, and K.C.C. 14.70.230 and Ordinance 14050,
5		Section 14, as amended, and K.C.C. 14.70.270 and
6		repealing Ordinance 16266, Attachment B.
7	BE IT	ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:
8	SECT	ION 1. Ordinance 14050, Section 10, as amended, and K.C.C. 14.70.230
9	are each hereby amended to read as follows:	
10	A. Th	ne department shall perform a concurrency analysis and test for each travel
11	shed to determ	nine whether areas within the travel sheds are concurrent. The test for each
12	area shall be based on the level of service analysis results for the entire travel shed.	
13	Areas shall be deemed concurrent if eighty-five percent of the arterials within their travel	
14	shed meet level of service standards.	
15	B. Th	e department shall use the concurrency map currently in effect when
16	making a con	currency determination for a proposed development. The concurrency map
17	displayed in A	Attachment A to Ordinance 17040 is adopted as the official concurrency
18	map for King	County. The department shall make a determination of concurrency
19	according to t	the status indicated on the adopted concurrency map for the area in which

20	the proposed development is located. Attachment ((B)) \underline{A} to ((Ordinance 16266)) \underline{this}		
21	ordinance is a map indicating the boundaries of the travel sheds.		
22	SECTION 2. Ordinance 14050, Section 14, as amended, and K.C.C. 14.70.270		
23	are each hereby amended to read as follows:		
24	A. The concurrency map shall be updated annually as part of the budget process		
25	or when authorized by the county council by ordinance. The update process shall include		
26	the most recently adopted roads CIP, updated traffic volumes and updated travel time		
27	surveys and standards and methodologies as described in K.C.C. 14.70.220 and		
28	14.70.230. The concurrency map shall be submitted to council for its approval by		
29	ordinance. The updates shall be deemed adequate for the purposes of concurrency		
30	analysis and the concurrency map shall be used to determine the concurrency of proposed		
31	development projects.		
32	B. An annual report shall be prepared by the road services division on the		
33	concurrency program update. The annual report shall explain the technical assumptions,		
34	land use changes, network changes and other parameters used to update the concurrency		
35	map and/or travel shed boundary map. The annual report shall be submitted to the		
36	council along with the annual update required by subsection A. of this section. ((Eleven		
37	eopies)) A paper copy and an electronic copy of the report shall be filed with the clerk of		
38	the council, who shall retain the paper original and shall forward electronic copies to each		
39	councilmember and to the lead staff of the council's transportation committee, or its		
40	successor.		
41	C.1. An independent expert review panel on concurrency shall be established to:		
42	a. review the annual report on the concurrency update; and		

- b. evaluate proposed changes to the transportation concurrency process,
 analysis and test developed by the road services division.
 - 2. The panel shall be comprised of four to six persons and include representation from the development community, the environmental community, transportation planning professionals, the unincorporated area, the public at large and multimodal transportation interest groups. Each representative shall be appointed by the executive and confirmed by the council.
 - 3. A summary of the panel's review of the annual report on the concurrency update and its evaluation of proposed changes to the transportation concurrency process, analysis and test shall be included with the submittal of the annual report to the council.
 - D. The concurrency map is a result of the concurrency analysis and test, as described in subsection A. of this section. The concurrency map indicates if an area does or does not comply with adopted level of service standards. Any changes to the concurrency status of an area or areas on the concurrency map other than those resulting from the update process may only be accomplished by the council, through an ordinance, by changing any combination of the adopted level of service standards, or the list of funded projects in the most recently adopted CIP.

60 SECTION 3. Attachment B to Ordinance 16266, Transportation Concurrency

61 Travel Shed Boundaries map, is hereby repealed.

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Ordinance 17253 was introduced on 11/14/2011 and passed by the Metropolitan King County Council on 1/17/2012, by the following vote:

Yes: 6 - Mr. Phillips, Mr. Gossett, Ms. Patterson, Ms. Lambert, Mr.

Ferguson and Mr. McDermott

No: 0

Excused: 3 - Mr. von Reichbauer, Ms. Hague and Mr. Dunn

KING COUNTY COUNCIL KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

ATTEST:

Anne Noris, Clerk of the Council

APPROVED this 27 day of January, 201

Larry Gossett, Chair

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Dow Constantine, County Executive

Attachments: A. Transportation Concurrency Travel Shed Boundaries



