



KING COUNTY

1200 King County Courthouse
516 Third Avenue
Seattle, WA 98104

Signature Report

July 10, 2018

Ordinance 18765

Proposed No. 2018-0270.1

Sponsors Lambert

1 AN ORDINANCE approving the Carnation 2015

2 Comprehensive Water System Plan.

3 STATEMENT OF FACTS:

4 1. King County has adopted K.C.C. chapter 13.24, which requires
5 approval of comprehensive plans for water utilities that distribute or obtain
6 water in unincorporated King County as a prerequisite for operating in
7 unincorporated King County, receiving approval for annexation proposals,
8 being granted right of way franchises, and being given approval for right
9 of way construction permits. K.C.C. 13.24.060 prescribes the
10 requirements for approval of such plans, including consistency with state
11 and local planning requirements.

12 2. The city of Carnation's previous water system plan was prepared in
13 2009. Both Washington state Department of Health and King County
14 regulations require water system plans to be updated every six years.

15 3. The city's service area is within King County and the city has adopted a
16 water system plan ("the plan").

17 4. King County has adopted a comprehensive plan that includes water
18 supply policies in its provisions for facilities and services (policies F-101
19 through F-254) that call for consistency with other adopted plans, support

20 for regional water supply planning, pursuit of reclaimed water, water
21 conservation and protection of water resources.

22 5. K.C.C. chapter 13.24 requires the utilities technical review committee
23 to review and make a recommendation to the King County executive and
24 council on the plan and the requirements under K.C.C. chapter 13.24 and
25 consistency with the King County Comprehensive Plan. The utilities
26 technical review committee has reviewed the planning data and city
27 operations and has found:

28 a. The plan uses population and employment forecasts developed by the
29 Puget Sound Regional Council for the city's service area;

30 b. Portions of the city's service area are in unincorporated King County;

31 c. The capital facility plan is adequate to meet anticipated facility and
32 service needs;

33 d. The plan is consistent with applicable Washington state water quality
34 laws; and

35 e. The plan is consistent with other pertinent county adopted plans and
36 policies.

37 6. The Washington state Department of Health approval is pending upon
38 King County's approval of the plan.

39 7. The city did not have to complete a State Environmental Policy Act
40 review for the plan as the system has fewer than one thousand connections
41 and is categorically exempt from review.

42 8. The city's operations and facilities meet multiple existing statutory,

43 administrative and planning standards. As the city's operations, facilities
44 and planning meet the requirements of the King County Code and are
45 consistent with the King County Comprehensive Plan, the utilities
46 technical review committee has recommended approval of the plan.
47 BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:

48 SECTION 1. The Carnation 2015 Comprehensive Water System Plan,
49 Attachment A to this ordinance, is hereby approved as a water system plan.
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Ordinance 18765 was introduced on 6/18/2018 and passed by the Metropolitan King County Council on 7/9/2018, by the following vote:

Yes: 9 - Mr. von Reichbauer, Mr. Gossett, Ms. Lambert, Mr. Dunn,
Mr. McDermott, Mr. Dembowski, Mr. Upthegrove, Ms. Kohl-Welles
and Ms. Balducci
No: 0
Excused: 0

KING COUNTY COUNCIL
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Joseph McDermott, Chair



ATTEST:

Melani Pedroza, Clerk of the Council

APPROVED this 13 day of July, 2018.

Dow Constantine, County Executive

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Attachments: A. 2015 Comprehensive Water System Plan - City of Carnation