

MOTION

NO. 711

A MOTION AUTHORIZING APPLICATION TO THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT FOR GRANT ASSISTANCE ON URBAN BEAUTIFICATION AND IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS PROVIDED UNDER 42 U.S.C. 1500 C-2, HOUSING ACT OF 1961, SECTION 706 AS AMENDED.

WHEREAS, the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development is authorized to make grants under 42 U.S.C. 1500 C-2, Housing Act of 1961, Section 706, as amended, to local public governments for urban beautification projects, and

WHEREAS, King County desires to beautify and improve open space and other public urban land to facilitate their increased use and enjoyment, and

WHEREAS, a local beautification program that is compatible with the local comprehensive plan is one requirement of the grant program, and

WHEREAS, the King County Department of Planning, through action taken on December 17, 1971, has reviewed and approved the beautification program and recommends the adoption of said program by the County Council,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the County Council of King County, Washington, as follows:

1. That the County Beautification Program, attached hereto, is adopted as the guideline for King County Urban Beautification and Improvement Program projects.

2. That the County Executive is hereby authorized to execute and file an application with the U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development for a grant whose maximum can be fifty percent of the cost above the established base cost, and that King County will provide the balance of the funds.

3. That the County Executive is hereby authorized and directed to execute such contracts as are required by the U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development.

4. That the Federal/State Grant Coordinator is hereby authorized to provide additional information and to furnish such documents as may be required by the U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development and to act as the authorized correspondent for King County.

5. That the proposed urban beautification projects are in accordance with the beautification program of King County, of importance to the development of King County as reflected in the comprehensive planning, and that, should said grant application be approved, King County will undertake, carry out and complete said urban beautification activities designated in said application and approved by the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

6. That other governmental units in King County may participate in said federal program under King County's application and program, if so desired, by such governmental units, and that the County Executive is further authorized to enter into a contract or agreement to this end.

7. That the United States of America and the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development be, and they hereby are, assured of full compliance by King County with the regulations of the said Federal department effectuating Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964.

8. That the United States of America and the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development be, and they hereby are, assured of full compliance by King County with the Federal labor standards

imposed under Title VII of the Housing Act of 1961, as amended.

PASSED this 17th day of January, 1972.

KING COUNTY COUNCIL
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

TRACY J. OWEN
Chairman

ATTEST:

LEE KRAFT

Administrator-Clerk of the Council