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WHEREAS, the State of Washington, and in particular King County, has been bountifully endowed with an abundant variety of wildlife; and

WHEREAS, the citizens of King County have shown their concern generously through the importation and preservation of our wildlife; and

WHEREAS, the 1970 lightening caused forest fires in Washington, would have created a permanent disaster in wildlife preservation within our State if it were not for the concern of our citizens in the restoration of wildlife habitat; and

WHEREAS, the devastating winters of 1971 and 1972 have created a uniquely serious hardship on our wildlife; and

WHEREAS, the period of March 19 - 25, 1972 will be observed throughout the Nation as National Wildlife Week,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT MOVED by the Council of King County:

The Council of King County does hereby proclaim March 19 - 25 as National Wildlife Week and urges all citizens to renew their efforts and support of this vital nature assisting conservation observance.

PASSED this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of February, 1972.

KING COUNTY COUNCIL  
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Tracy J. Owen  
Tracy J. Owen, Chairman

ATTEST:

Lee Kraft  
County Council Administrator