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A MOTION relating to the County's role in planning for utility rights-of-way.

The King County Council has received recommendations from the Environmental Development Commission on April 1970 and from a committee representing industry and county departments, chaired by Edward B. Sand, Director of the Department of Planning in January 1972, concerning the County's role in planning for utility rights-of-way of various types.

The King County Council feels that the Council should assume a leadership role in coordinating the planning for utility rights-of-way. A more aggressive role than is proposed in the Industry-County report should be pursued by the County. Advanced planning in cooperation with utility agencies would be very beneficial for several reasons, two of the more important being a systematic effort to make joint use including recreational use of utility rights-of-way and to ensure a closer relationship between land use planning and capital improvements with utility installations.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT MOVED by the Council of King County that the County Executive take whatever steps are required to accomplish the Council's intent expressed above. The Council wishes to be advised of what the program will consist of and whether any legislative action is required.

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

KING COUNTY COUNCIL  
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Arnold G. Olsen  
Chairman

ATTEST:

Lee Kraft  
Administrator-Clerk of the Council