

MOTION NO. 911

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2 A MOTION adopting an interim policy on the
3 procedure for implementing R.C.W. 43.21C.03(c),
4 State Environmental Policy Act of 1971, as it
relates to applications under the King County
zoning code and subdivision regulations.

5 WHEREAS, R.C.W. 43.21C.03(c) requires that the County shall
6 include in every recommendation or report on proposals for
7 legislation and other major actions significantly affecting the
8 quality of the environment, a detailed statement by the re-
9 sponsible official on the environmental impact of the proposed
10 action, and

11 WHEREAS, applications submitted under the King County
12 Zoning Code and Subdivision regulations may on occasion entail
13 major actions significantly affecting the quality of the en-
14 vironment, and

15 WHEREAS, the Director of the Department of Planning receives
16 applications under the King County Zoning and Subdivision regu-
17 lations and prepares a report of recommendation thereon,

18 NOW, THEREFORE BE IT MOVED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:

19 The following interim policy on the procedure for imple-
20 menting R.C.W. 43.21C.03(c), State Environmental Policy Act of
21 1971, in relation to applications under the King County Zoning
22 Code and Subdivision regulations is hereby adopted:

23 The Director of the Department of Planning is deemed to be
24 the responsible official as stipulated in the State Environ-
25 mental Policy Act of 1971.

26 The Department of Planning shall make a preliminary exami-
27 nation of the application in light of usual operating conditions
28 and restrictions. It shall take into consideration the size of
29 the project, the natural systems to be affected, development
30 standards and criteria of the County, and any other pertinent
31 information available to the department. The Department of
32 Planning shall obtain the comments and recommendations from
33 interested agencies. Thereafter the department shall determine

