

MOTION NO. 1610

A MOTION expressing Council policy on sub-state planning districts.

WHEREAS, the Washington State Office of Planning and Community Development proposes a review of sub-state planning districts, and

WHEREAS, such proposed review includes the recognition of the need to work closely with local governments to build strong planning capabilities, and

WHEREAS, such review includes a redesignation of sub-state planning districts by Executive Order making counties the basic minimum planning district, and

WHEREAS, such plan also includes the possibility of joint county or Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area cooperative area-planning organizations,

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

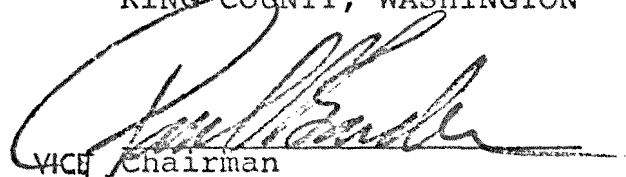
The Council supports the concept of designating counties as appropriate regional planning organizations on a cooperative basis with other concerned governments within county boundaries;

The Council requests no requirement be established for S.M.S.A. sub-state planning districts, and

King County, being the largest, most complex and divergent county in the state, should have the opportunity to be considered as a separate planning district as indicated in the proposed Office of Community Development plan for sub-state planning regions.

PASSED this 17th day of June, 1974.

KING COUNTY COUNCIL
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON


VICE Chairman

ATTEST:


Clerk of the Council