

Introduced by: BILL REAMS

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A MOTION authorizing the County Executive to enter into a contract with the Washington State Department of Social and Health Services providing for County participation in the Rebellious Youth Project for a second year of operation.

WHEREAS, it is desirable to develop alternatives to detention for dependent/rebellious youth, and

WHEREAS, the Rebellious Youth Project might indirectly increase the availability of services that provide such an alternative,

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

The Council hereby authorizes the County Executive to enter into a contract with Washington State Department of Social and Health Services which provides for partial County funding of the Rebellious Youth Project for a second year of operation in the amount of \$15,810 provided the contract contains the following conditions:

1. DSHS recognizes that it has a statutory obligation to provide the direct services that are needed as an alternative to detention for rebellious youth. These services include counseling aimed at keeping youth in their homes or reuniting them with their families, providing appropriate out-of-home placement when necessary and coordinating these services;
2. The primary goal of the Rebellious Youth Project is to reduce the population of rebellious youth admitted to detention and evaluations will measure performance in achieving that goal;
3. The Rebellious Youth Project will not solicit County funding beyond the second year of operation; if the project continues past the second year it will be funded solely by DSHS;
4. The County will not be requested to fund any direct services that are developed as a result of the project;

1 5. The county will not be requested to fund any community
2 services coordination or client referral and follow-up services
3 developed as a result of this project;

4 6. Subject to evaluation of their effectiveness, continua-
5 tion of any services or processes developed by this project for
6 the Juvenile Court detention screening process shall be the
7 purview and responsibility of the Department of Juvenile services;

8 7. The Department of Juvenile Services, the Department of
9 Budget and Program Development, and the King County Council will
10 be regularly informed of project activities through quarterly
11 progress reports and will have access to all project data;

12 8. The project, using the funds budgeted for research and
13 evaluation, will perform an evaluation by the end of the first
14 six months of the second year.

15 9. The project director shall be required to meet periodic-
16 ally in the project target areas with invitations to all other
17 agencies currently dealing with services for this group of youth.

18 PASSED this 9th day of August, 1976.

19 KING COUNTY COUNCIL
20 KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

21 *David M. Rooney*
22 Chairman

23 ATTEST:

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25 *Dorothy M. Quinn*
26 Clerk of the Council
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