Introduced by: Bill Reams 78-671

MOTION NO.

£3676

A MOTION authorizing the County Executive to make a grant application for funds in the approximate amount of \$200,000 to support health screening and alcohol treatment, for detainees and prisoners in the county jail.

WHEREAS, the Department of Justice, LEAA is providing funds to local governments to support projects which establish or improve health screening, referral and treatment for persons with certain problems such as alcohol abuse, mental retardation and mental illness, and

WHEREAS, the County Council recognizes the need to support medical screening for jail detainees and prisoners to guarantee proper health treatment, and

WHEREAS, the County Council recognizes the need to support medical screening for jail detainees and prisoners for the purpose of identifying certain medical problems including alcohol abuse, mental illness and mental retardation, and recommending appropriate treatment, and

WHEREAS, the Council of King County finds that provision of such services is in the public interest, and

WHEREAS, the Council recognizes an obligation to provide the approximate amount of \$40,000 as a cash match in support of the projects.

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

1. The King County Executive is hereby authorized to make application for funds in the approximate amount of \$100,000 to the Department of Justice, LEAA for the Jail Health Screening and Referral Project and in the approximate amount of \$100,000 to the Department of Justice, LEAA for the Jail Alcohol Abuse Identification and Treatment Project on behalf of King County;

2. No funds shall be appropriated to support these functions until the Executive recommends whether King County will pay the local cash match requirement in total or partially based on the participation of the City of Seattle.

3. The Department of Justice, LEAA is hereby assured full compliance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act.

PASSED this 2/St day of August, 19/

KING COUNTY COUNCIL KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Berne Strum
Chairman

ATTEST:

Deputy Clerk of the Council

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