

MOTION NO. 4525

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2 A MOTION authorizing the County Executive to
3 make application to the Farmers Home Adminis-
4 tration for funds in an approximate amount of
5 \$15,000 to continue support of the rural planning
6 portion of the economic development planning
7 performed by Housing and Community Development.

8 WHEREAS, the preservation of agricultural land is a key priority
9 of the county government, and

10 WHEREAS, a rational growth management policy is another key concern
11 of the county government, and

12 WHEREAS, economic development planning and implementation can provide
13 necessary jobs within the densely populated urban areas of the county, and
14 a suitable level of employment where people live in rural areas, and

15 WHEREAS, economic development can assist in providing the necessary
16 support industries to renew agriculture in King County, and

17 WHEREAS, economic development can bolster reinvestment in farms and
18 other aspects of local agriculture, and

19 WHEREAS, the Farmers Home Administration of the United States
20 Department of Agriculture has entered into a program of rural development
21 through Area Development Assistance Planning Grants, and

22 WHEREAS, the County is already allocating block grant funds for
23 economic development purposes.

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

25 1. The King County Executive is hereby authorized to submit
26 an application on the behalf of King County to the Farmers Home Administra-
27 tion in the approximate amount of \$15,000 to continue funding the rural
28 development portion of its economic development planning;

29 2. The King County Executive is hereby authorized to file and
30 execute such application and contracts as are required by the grantor;

31 3. The King County Executive is also authorized to enter into
32 and execute such subcontracts as are necessary for the implementation of
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1 the project;

2 4. The United States Department of Agriculture is hereby assured
3 full compliance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act.

4 PASSED this 8th day of October, 19 79.

5 KING COUNTY COUNCIL
6 KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

7 *Ruby Chow*
8 Chairman

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10 ATTEST:

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12 *Deputy M. Owens* DEPUTY
13 Clerk of the Council