

MOTION NO. 4912

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2 A MOTION acknowledging the receipt of an interim
3 report from the King County Energy Planning
4 Project Steering Committee, recognizing the
5 urgent need for a Comprehensive Community Energy
6 Management Action Plan, and adopting tentative
7 goals common with the City of Seattle to direct
8 the further development of a Draft Action Plan
9 for the King County area.

10 WHEREAS, various energy sources are basic requirements for
11 all human endeavor and achievement, and

12 WHEREAS, most of the energy sources for this region are
13 imported from outside the area which represents a substantial
14 economic burden on our community, and their continued supply is
15 beyond our direct control, and

16 WHEREAS, the energy security and future well-being of our
17 community requires us to use available energy supplies efficiently,
18 to develop new sources within the region, and to make adequate
19 preparation for supply interruptions, and

20 WHEREAS, in anticipation of these requirements the County
21 has embarked on a Comprehensive Energy Planning Project and has
22 appointed a Project Steering Committee and Community Task Forces
23 to direct its development, and

24 WHEREAS, the Energy Planning Project has completed its
25 initial data collection and analysis tasks, has worked through
26 policy and advisory committees to develop issues and policy guid-
27 ance, and has prepared an interim report on energy management
28 goals adopted by the Steering Committee, and

29 WHEREAS, King County and the City of Seattle have many
30 mutual energy needs and concerns and Seattle's Energy Ltd. staff
31 and Citizen Committee and the King County Energy Planning Project
32 staff and Steering Committee have agreed, in principle, to a set
33 of common energy goals set out below;

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

1 A. The following tentative energy management goals for a
2 secure and sustainable energy future are established for King
3 County:

- 4 1. Assure a sufficient and reliable supply of energy
5 to meet reasonable consumer needs.
- 6 2. Assure that all consumers use energy wisely.
- 7 3. Reduce local per capita energy consumption while
8 maintaining a desirable living and working environment.
- 9 4. Make energy choices which maintain or improve the
10 quality of the environment.
- 11 5. Maximize opportunities to make energy choices and
12 decisions at the local level and decrease reliance on energy
13 supplies that are not subject to local controls.
- 14 6. Encourage the vigorous development of renewable energy
15 resources and reduce dependence on non-renewable energy supplies.
- 16 7. Continue and expand energy conservation efforts and
17 increase use of energy efficient technology.
- 18 8. Assure the development of an energy supply system
19 that is resilient and diverse.
- 20 9. Make energy choices which match the type and
21 temperature of energy supply to the most appropriate requirements
22 of each end use.
- 23 10. Assure energy efficient land use, transportation, and
24 economic development plans and policies.

25 B. The interim Report on the Energy Plan development from
26 the Steering Committee is hereby accepted and approved as a
27 suitable guide for the development of a draft action plan.
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1 C. The Executive and County Council support the ongoing
2 efforts in working with the City of Seattle and intend to
3 continue the effort by developing and adopting, where feasible
4 and appropriate, final joint goals, policies and programs for
5 the management of energy.

6 PASSED this 9th day of June, 1980

7 KING COUNTY COUNCIL
8 KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

9 Bill Reams
10 Chairman

11 ATTEST:

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15 DEPUTY Clerk of the Council
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