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Introduced by: PAUL BARDEN

Proposed No.: 85-674

MOTION NO. 6417

A MOTION supporting an application for a grant from the State's Community Economic Revitalization Board (CERB), to be submitted by King County Water District No. 19 to fund water and fire protection services and improvements, and promote economic development on Vashon Island.

WHEREAS, R.C.W. 43.160 authorizes the State's Trade and Economic Development Department to grant funds to eligible public jurisdictions for public improvements designed to stimulate private sector investment and employment opportunities, and

WHEREAS, the State's approving authority, the Community Economic Revitalization Board (CERB), awards funds on a competitive basis that includes information submitted by the applicant that other revenue or financing is not available, and

WHEREAS, King County Water District No. 19, Vashon Island will apply to the CERB program for a grant of approximately \$280,000 to construct a water tank to provide improved fire protection services to the island's businesses and residents, and,

WHEREAS, currently, inadequate water flow for fire protection services severely limits the construction of new industrial, commercial building and places a financial burden on existing businesses, and

1 WHEREAS, the district's application will be based on the
2 projection that water system improvements will result in over
3 seven million dollars in increased private sector investment and
4 the creation of fifty additional new jobs, and

5 WHEREAS, the district's proposed economic development project
6 is consistent with the land use policies of King County;

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

8 A. The Council supports the proposed application for
9 \$280,000 in CERB funds to be submitted by King County Water
10 District No. 19, and

11 B. The Council's support is based on a recognition of the
12 project as serving priority public needs of enhancing fire
13 protection services, increasing economic development oportunities
14 on Vashon Island.

15 PASSED this 16th day of December, 1985.

17 KING COUNTY COUNCIL
18 KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

19 Gary Grant
20 Chairman

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22 ATTEST:

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24 Bonnie M. Owens
25 Clerk of the Council