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INTRODUCED BY: GARY GRANT

PROPOSED NO.: 87-379

MOTION NO. 6860

1 A MOTION recognizing National Public Works Week
2 May 17-23 and giving special commendations to Donald
3 J. LaBelle, Director, Department of Public Works as a
4 Top 10 Public Works Professional in the U.S.A.

5 WHEREAS, public works services provided in our county are an
6 integral part of our citizens' everyday life, and

7 WHEREAS, the health, safety and comfort of our citizens
8 depend on public works services, and

9 WHEREAS, these services depend on the planning, design, and
10 construction skills of public works professionals, and

11 WHEREAS, Donald J. LaBelle, Director, Department of Public
12 Works has been recognized by the American Public Works
13 Association as one of the top ten public works officials in the
14 United States, and

15 WHEREAS, Don's effectiveness as director of the department
16 of public works has been demonstrated in recent years by
17 developing a master plan guide for the King County International
18 Airport; updating new road standards and responding to the
19 demand for ongoing transportation planning; initiating surface
20 water control programs and facilities; and developing long-range
21 needs for disposal of solid waste.

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

23 May 17 through 23 shall be observed as Public Works Week, to
24 recognize the contributions of public works officials who every
25 day attend to our citizens' health, safety and comfort.

26 BE IT FURTHER MOVED

27 That special thanks and recognition are given to Donald J.
28 LaBelle for his contributions to the profession of public works
29 in the county, state and nation.

30 PASSED this 18th day of May, 1987.

31 KING COUNTY COUNCIL
32 KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Gary Grant
33 Chair

ATTEST:

Dorothy M. Owens
Clerk of the Council