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MOTION NO. 7408

A MOTION expressing the appreciation of the King County Council to GARY GRANT for his strong effective leadership as King County Council Chair during the years 1987 - 1988.

WHEREAS, GARY GRANT was elected to serve as a King County Councilman from from District 9 in 1987 and is the only member chosen by his peers to serve as Chair for four years, during 1984-1985, and 1987-1988, and

WHEREAS, under his leadership, during 1987 and 1988, the Council has adopted significant legislation, which includes, in part:

establishing four citizens ad hoc advisory committees that developed recommendations which reestablished recycling as the County's priority in reducing solid waste; initiating the development of a juvenile arson prevention program;

developing the Health and Human Services Policy for allocation of the 1988 unincorporated sales tax dedicated by the Council for health and human services for the citizens of King County;

initiating the DNA genetic print evidence gathering and storage program for successful prosecution of sexual assault cases;

creating the Summer Day Camp Reading/Scholarship Program; establishing a Family and Children's Commission;

initiating an emergency response system pilot project for the elderly and handicapped;

authorizing a successful bond election to rehabilitate the juvenile detention facility;

authorizing a home detention program to reduce the non-violent jail population;

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extending the voter information pamphlet program, first initiated for the 1987 general election; initiating the Automated Finderprint Identification System; requiring sprinkler systems in some new construction, and passing additional fire control measures, and WHEREAS, though charting an ambitious and sometimes controversial course for the Council, GARY GRANT maintained his sense of humor and characteristic wit; NOW THEREFORE, BE IT MOVED by the Council of King County; The King County Council wishes to show appreciation to GARY GRANT for his hard work and leadership during his 1987-1988 terms as Chair of the King County Council. 3rd day of January PASSED this KING COUNTY COUNCIL KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON Chairman ATTEST: 2239C/1dt/1-03-89