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Introduced by: AUDREY GRUGER  
Proposed No.: 89 - 537

MOTION NO. 7599

A MOTION authorizing the County Executive to make a grant application for funds in the approximate amount of \$1,500,000 to support an AIDS demonstration project linking primary health care and drug treatment.

WHEREAS, intravenous drug users comprise the second largest risk group for AIDS nationally, and

WHEREAS, intravenous drug use is the mode of transmission in 70% of known heterosexual AIDS cases and in 73% of perinatal cases nationally, and

WHEREAS, the transmission of the human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) can be controlled by the reduction of behavioral risk factors among intravenous drug users, and

WHEREAS, there are 12,000-14,000 intravenous drug users in King County, and only about 1,500-2,000 of whom are in drug treatment, and

WHEREAS, the Department of Health and Human Services, through the Bureau of Health Care Delivery and Assistance, has requested proposals for demonstration projects integrating community-based health care and drug abuse treatment as a means of reducing the spread of HIV, and

WHEREAS, the Seattle-King County department of public health developed a grant proposal in cooperation with community health care and drug treatment agencies, and

WHEREAS, representatives of the health department briefed the council's Health, Housing, and Human Services Committee on the grant application at the June 28, 1989 meeting, and

WHEREAS, council approval of grant applications is required, and

1 WHEREAS, the grant will benefit King County by providing new  
2 venues for AIDS prevention outreach and medical and drug  
3 treatment services to intravenous drug users and their partners,  
4 and

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

6 A. The King County executive is hereby authorized to make  
7 application for funds in the approximate amount of \$1,500,000 to  
8 the Department of Health and Human Services, Bureau of Health  
9 Care Delivery and Assistance, for an AIDS demonstration project  
10 on behalf of King County;

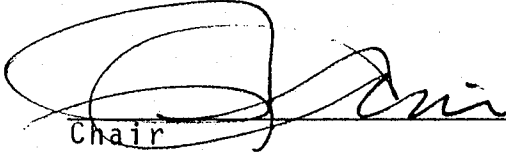
11 B. The King County executive is hereby authorized to file  
12 and execute such application, and to enter into and execute such  
13 contracts as are required by the grantor;

14 C. The King County executive is also authorized to enter  
15 into and execute such subcontracts as are necessary for the  
16 implementation of the project;

17 D. The Department of Health and Human Services is hereby  
18 assured full compliance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act.

19 PASSED this 24<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1989.

21 KING COUNTY COUNCIL  
22 KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

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24 Chair

25 ATTEST:

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27 Deputy Clerk of the Council  
28 Deputy