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Introduced by: BRUCE LAING
PAUL BARDEN

Proposed No.: 91-602

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4 MOTION NO. 8396

5 A MOTION authorizing the county executive to
6 enter into interlocal agreements with the
7 cities of Seattle and Bellevue regarding the
8 financing of emergency medical services.

9 WHEREAS, King County wishes to place before the qualified
10 voters of King County a county-wide proposition authorizing the
11 levy of an additional regular property tax for support of
12 emergency medical services within the county, and

13 WHEREAS, RCW 84.52.069 requires approval of the legislative
14 authority of each city within the county with a population
15 exceeding 50,000 prior to placement of such a proposition on the
16 ballot, and

17 WHEREAS, on August 6, 1991, the city of Federal Way passed a
18 resolution which authorized King County to place the emergency
19 medical services levy on the November 5, 1991 general election
20 ballot, and satisfies the requirements of RCW 84.52.069, and

21 WHEREAS, representatives of the county, and the cities of
22 Seattle and Bellevue, have negotiated agreements which would
23 satisfy the requirements of RCW 84.52.069, and

24 WHEREAS, interlocal cooperation agreements setting forth the
25 substance of those agreements have been transmitted to the
26 council with a request that the county executive be authorized to
27 execute said agreements;

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

Pursuant to RCW 39.34.080, the county executive is hereby authorized to execute interlocal cooperation agreements with the cities of Seattle and Bellevue, regarding the financing of emergency medical services, said agreements to be substantially the same as those attached and incorporated herein by reference.

PASSED this 9th day of September, 19 91.

KING COUNTY COUNCIL
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Lois North
Chair

ATTEST:

Gerald A. Peterson
Clerk of the Council

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INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT

Regarding Emergency Medical Services

BETWEEN

THE CITY OF BELLEVUE

AND

KING COUNTY

FILED NO. 16906
CITY OF BELLEVUEDATE 9-3-91CITY CLERK JaniceJ. CouncilRes. 5424-05420

THIS AGREEMENT, is entered into by and between the City of Bellevue (the "City") and King County (the "County");

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the County desires to place before the qualified electors of King County a ballot proposition authorizing the County to levy an additional regular property tax on all taxable property within King County for the support of emergency medical services pursuant to the powers granted it in RCW 84.52.069, as amended; and

WHEREAS, the City has given its approval for said levy pursuant to resolution of the City Council; and

WHEREAS, the City provides emergency medical services, which include basic and advanced life support services within its own jurisdiction and also by contract to Medina, Clyde Hill, Yarrow Point, Hunts Point, Beaux Arts, and Fire District #14; and

WHEREAS, by contract the City also provides advanced life support services to Mercer Island, Issaquah, portions of Kirkland and Redmond, and to portions of Fire District #10 and Fire District #25; and

WHEREAS, the parties desire to allocate a portion of said property tax levy revenues to the City for support of its emergency medical services program; and

WHEREAS, this Agreement is authorized pursuant to the Interlocal Cooperation Act, RCW 39.34; now, therefore, the parties agree as follows:

1. The County shall submit to the qualified electors of King County at a special election to be held therein on November 5, 1991 in conjunction with the state-wide general election to be held on the same date or at such other time

as the County may determine, subject to the provisions of RCW 29.13.010 regarding the calling of a special county election, a proposition authorizing the levy of an additional regular property tax on taxable property within the County pursuant to RCW 84.52.069, as amended, in the sum of not more than 25 cents per thousand dollars of assessed valuation, each year for six years beginning in 1992 for expenses incurred in the provision of emergency medical services.

2. This Agreement shall commence upon the authorization of the qualified electors of King County of the additional regular property tax levy as set forth in RCW 84.52.069, as amended, and the imposition of said levy by King County Council ordinance. This Agreement shall terminate December 31, 1997. The County shall incur no obligation for the payments specified hereinafter except to the extent that the additional regular property tax authorized by RCW 84.52.069, as amended, is approved by the voters of King County, is actually levied and the tax revenues resulting therefrom are collected and the terms of this Agreement are fulfilled.

3. This cooperative undertaking shall be administered by the King County Emergency Medical Services Division. The City and the County shall negotiate contracts each year for six years beginning in 1992 to provide for the actual administration of services by the City. The City agrees that any equipment purchased in whole or in part with tax levy revenues is upon its purchase or receipt the property of the City and shall be used only for the purposes set forth in RCW 84.52.069, as amended.

4. King County agrees to provide to the City of Bellevue funds for the support of basic life support services in an amount proportionate to the total funds to be made available annually for basic life support services to all jurisdictions within the County's paramedic service area. Such amount shall be determined annually for basic

life support services to all jurisdictions within the County's paramedic service areas. Such amount shall be determined annually as follows:

- a) one-third based on the City's assessed value as a percentage of the total assessed value of all jurisdictions in the County's paramedic service areas.
- b) one-third based on the City's aid calls for the previous year as a percentage of the total number of aid calls of all jurisdictions in the County's paramedic service areas.
- c) one-third based on the City's population as a percentage of the total population of the County's paramedic service areas.

5. King County agrees to provide to the City funds for the support of basic life support services to the City of Bellevue, and such other jurisdictions it contracts with to provide such services annually in an amount to be derived pursuant to Section 4 above: PROVIDED, that so long as the City of Bellevue continues to provide basic life support services to such jurisdictions, it shall receive funding of not less than \$647,233 annually during the period of this described Agreement unless the sum of the percentages in sections 4(a), (b) and (c) above declines: PROVIDED FURTHER, in an event one of the above jurisdictions terminates its agreement with the City of Bellevue for basic life support services or the City terminates its agreement with one of the jurisdictions the amount the City shall receive from the County shall be reduced proportionately in accordance with Section 4 above. It shall be the responsibility of the City of Bellevue to secure the said written agreements from such jurisdictions prior to the release of said funds by the County.

6. The City agrees to provide advanced life support services to the Cities of Bellevue, Medina, Mercer Island, Issaquah, portions of Kirkland and Redmond, Towns of Clyde Hill, Yarrow Point, Hunts Point, Beaux Arts, and King County Fire Protection District No. 14 and to those portions of

King County Fire Protection Districts No. 10 and No. 25 being served as of January 1, 1992 and to such other areas as may be mutually agreed to in writing by the City and the County.

7. King County agrees to provide to the City of Bellevue funds for the support of advanced life support services as provided in the King County Emergency Medical Services System Paramedic Service Area Standards on the basis of a standard paramedic unit cost which shall be not less than \$629,911 annually.


8. The City agrees to comply with the King County Emergency Medical Services System Paramedic Service Area Standards in force as of the effective date of this Agreement and such modifications as are subsequently recommended by the King County Division of Emergency Medical Services.

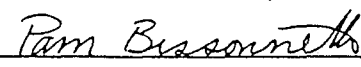
9. Upon approval by the qualified electors of King County of the additional regular property tax levy described herein, this Agreement shall supercede and terminate all previous agreements between the parties relating to emergency medical services property tax levies.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have signed this Agreement on the date first above stated.

KING COUNTY

THE CITY OF BELLEVUE

By: 
Title: King County Executive
Date: September 9, 1991

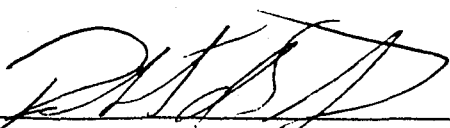
By: 
Title: Deputy City Manager
Date: September 6, 1991

Acting under authority of
Motion: 8396

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Prosecuting Attorney


Assistant City Attorney