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MOTION NO. 8415

1
2 A MOTION authorizing the County executive
3 to make a grant application for three years
4 of funding in the approximate amount of
5 \$1,201,247 to develop a disease and injury
6 surveillance system and intervention model
7 in day care programs in Seattle-King
8 County.

9 WHEREAS, children who attend day care programs are at high
10 risk for certain types of infectious diseases and in turn may
11 secondarily infect adults in the home and in the day care
12 setting, and

13 WHEREAS, injuries are the most important cause of mortality
14 and serious disability in children of day care age, and day
15 care settings are frequent sites for injury in preschool
16 children, and

17 WHEREAS, the epidemiology of illness and injury in day care
18 settings needs further clarification, and

19 WHEREAS, there is an increasing trend of employment of both
20 parents and an increasing tendency to place young children in
21 day care settings, and

22 WHEREAS, the economic impact of child day care associated
23 morbidity is substantial, and

24 WHEREAS, the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) is
25 authorized to make grants of funds to develop surveillance
26 systems and intervention models for disease and injury
27 prevention in day care programs, and

28 WHEREAS, the grant funds will allow the development and
29 evaluation of an intervention model over a three year period to
30 minimize illness and injury in day care settings, and

31 WHEREAS, the developed model can be replicated in other
32 areas of the country, and

33 WHEREAS, the council recognizes that the funds secured
34 through an approval of the application by the Centers for
35 Disease Control will support the entire cost of the study;

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

2 A. The King County executive is hereby authorized to make
3 application for funds in the approximate amount of \$1,201,247
4 to the Centers for Disease Control for development of a disease
5 and injury surveillance system and intervention model in day
6 care programs over a three year period on behalf of King
7 County;

8 B. The King County executive is hereby authorized to file
9 and execute such contracts as are required by the grantor;

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

13 D. The Centers for Disease Control is hereby assured of
14 full compliance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act.

15 PASSED this 23rd day of September, 1991.

16 KING COUNTY COUNCIL
17 KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

18 Lois North
19 Chair

20 ATTEST:

21 Gerald A. Seta
22 Clerk of the Council