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Introduced by: Greg Nickels

Proposed No.: 93-622

MOTION NO. 9141

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2 A MOTION authorizing the Executive to
3 negotiate and execute an agreement with
4 the City of Seattle that will provide up
5 to \$50,000 from the Stadium Operating
6 Fund to pay for a share of the cost of a
7 comprehensive downtown traffic study that
8 will be performed under Seattle's
9 direction.

10 WHEREAS, the vital economic interests of a community
11 depend upon an effective transportation and parking pattern,
12 and

13 WHEREAS, Kingdome tenants and patrons are significantly
14 affected by traffic congestion in the south downtown area
15 caused in part by the south ferry access and the completion of
16 the I-90 off-ramp, and

17 WHEREAS, the presence of the Kingdome contributes to
18 traffic congestion in the south downtown area of Seattle, and

19 WHEREAS, King County supports the use of mass transit as a
20 means to relieve traffic congestion, and

21 WHEREAS, King County has been asked by the city of Seattle
22 to participate in a comprehensive traffic study of the south
23 downtown area including the Kingdome, in connection with the
24 city of Seattle, phase two of the multi-modal terminal study,
25 and

26 WHEREAS, this study will result in a commitment to action
27 by participating agencies, and

28 WHEREAS, this need has been demonstrated in various
29 studies including the Kingdome Master Plan and the Port of
30 Seattle Container Access Study, and

31 WHEREAS, this study will bring together all major entities
32 that affect and are affected by traffic in the area, including
33 the Port, the city of Seattle, the state, METRO, King County
34 and principal private sector entities;

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

2 A. The executive is hereby authorized to negotiate and
3 execute an agreement with the city of Seattle that will provide
4 up to \$50,000 from funds currently appropriated in the Stadium
5 Operating Fund to pay for King County's share of a
6 comprehensive downtown traffic study.

7 B. The scope of work for such study shall be attached to
8 and incorporated by reference to the agreement.

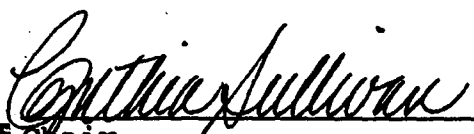
9 C. The agreement and the referenced scope of work shall
10 indicate how the Kingdome will benefit from the performance of
11 the study.

12 PASSED this 4th day of October, 1993

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KING COUNTY COUNCIL
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON


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VICE Chair

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ATTEST:

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Clerk of the Council

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Attachments: