

April 2, 1996

Introduced By:

Jane Hague
Rob McKenna
Greg Nickels

clerk/4/3/96 rtajc

Proposed No.:

96-324

9828

MOTION NO. _____

A MOTION relating to the review of the draft Ten-Year Regional Transit System Plan.

WHEREAS, the Central Puget Sound Regional Transit Authority (RTA) has prepared a draft Ten-Year Regional Transit System Plan, and

WHEREAS, the Plan will affect King County transit services and facilities, and county roads, and

WHEREAS, the RTA Board will consider local jurisdictions' advice before adopting the final Plan in May 1996;

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

The executive is requested to form with the council an RTA Joint Review Team. The Team should include council staff and staff from the department of transportation's divisions of transit, transportation planning, and roads and engineering; the department of finance; the office of budget and strategic planning; and the executive's office.

The RTA Joint Review Team's work program should address at least the following critical issues:

- The effect of RTA sales tax and motor vehicle excise tax increases upon King County's existing revenue streams, and of RTA bonded indebtedness upon regional municipal bonding capacity;
- The impact of regional express bus service upon Metro Transit Six-Year Plan service hour allocation, trip headways, costs per rider and OR/OE;
- The effect of proposed electric light rail and commuter rail alignments upon transit ridership, and upon transit operations in the Downtown Seattle Transit Tunnel, including the effect of electric light rail extensions up to and including SeaTac airport and Northgate;

1
2
3
4
5
6
7
8
9
10
11
12
13
14
15
16
17

- The RTA draft Plan's consequences for Metro Transit capital facilities over the ten-year period of phase one;
- The draft Plan's implications for transportation planning, including transportation concurrency management and the County road CIP fund.

The RTA Joint Review Team will report to the Council through the Council's Transportation Committee.

PASSED by a vote of 11 to 0 this 1st day of April,
1996.

KING COUNTY COUNCIL
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Louise Miller
VICE Chair

ATTEST:

Gerald A. Peterson
Clerk of the Council

Attachments: None