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A MOTION appointing committees to write voter pamphlet statements for the September 15, 1998 special election regarding the proposed annexation of the City of Lake Forest Park into the King County Rural Library District.

WHEREAS, K.C.C. 1.10, as amended, provides for the publication and distribution of local voters pamphlets in conformity with the provisions of chapter 29.81A RCW for elections held in King County, and

WHEREAS, RCW 29.81A.080 provides that for each measure from a jurisdiction that is included in a local voters pamphlet, the legislative authority of that jurisdiction shall formally appoint a committee to prepare arguments advocating voter approval of the measure and a committee to prepare arguments advocating voter rejection of the measure, and

WHEREAS, Ordinance _____ establishes September 15, 1998 as the date for an election to determine whether the City of Lake Forest Park shall be annexed into the King County Rural Library District

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

The following individuals are appointed to serve on the voters pamphlet committee to write a statement for and against the proposed annexation ballot measure:

FOR

AGAINST

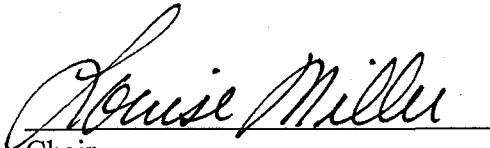
- 1. John Foy (Spokesperson)
- 2. Rick Stendera
- 3. Carolyn Armanini

- 1. None submitted
- 2.
- 3.

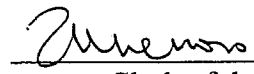
PASSED by a vote of 9 to 0 this 27th day of July

1998

KING COUNTY COUNCIL
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON


Chair

ATTEST:


Clerk of the Council

- Attachments:
- 1. City of Lake Forest Park Ordinance 741, dated June 25, 1998.
 - 2. King County Rural Library District Board of Trustees Resolution No. 1998-6, dated June 24, 1998
 - 3. Lake Forest Park Library Commission statement of concurrence, dated September 8, 1997
 - 4. King County Local Voter's Pamphlet Argument Committee Appointment Form

ORDINANCE NO. 741

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF LAKE FOREST PARK, WASHINGTON, DECLARING THE CITY'S INTENT TO JOIN AND BE ANNEXED TO THE KING COUNTY RURAL LIBRARY DISTRICT; REQUESTING THE CONCURRENCE OF THE LIBRARY DISTRICT BOARD OF TRUSTEES; AND REQUESTING THE KING COUNTY COUNCIL TO CALL AN ELECTION IN THE CITY ON THE PROPOSITION OF WHETHER THE CITY SHOULD BE ANNEXED TO THE LIBRARY DISTRICT.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Lake Forest Park has determined to submit a ballot proposition to the voters of the City to authorize annexation of the City by the King County Rural Library District; and

WHEREAS, the City Library Board has been notified of this proposed annexation, and that board recommends that the city be annexed by the Library District; and

WHEREAS, RCW 27.12.360 provides that the process of annexation is initiated by an ordinance of the City Council stating the City's intent to join the Library District, finding that the public interest will be served thereby, notifying the Library District of the proposed ordinance, and requesting that District's support for the annexation; and

WHEREAS, if the Library District concurs in the annexation, notification thereof shall be transmitted to the King County Council which shall then call an election to be held in the City at the time and in the manner provided in RCW 27.12.370; now, therefore,

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAKE FOREST PARK, WASHINGTON, DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Declaration of Intent and Finding. The City of Lake Forest Park hereby declares its intent to join and be annexed to the King County Rural Library District; and, after reviewing the options for providing library service to the residents of the City, the City Council finds that the public interest will best be served by annexation of the City to the Library District.

Section 2. Request for Concurrence of Library District. The City Council requests that the Board of Trustees of the King County Rural

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Library District concur in the proposed annexation of the City to the Library District. The City Clerk is authorized and directed to forward a certified copy of this ordinance to the Board of Trustees of the Library District.

Section 3. Transmittal to County Council and Request for Election. If the Board of Trustees of the King County Rural Library District concurs in the annexation, then, pursuant to RCW 27.12.360 and 27.12.370, the City Clerk is authorized and directed to send a certified copy of this Ordinance and a copy of the Library District's concurrence to the King County Council. The King County Council is requested to call by resolution an election to be held in the City of Lake Forest Park on September 15, 1998, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters of the City the proposition of whether the City should annex to the King County Rural Library District. The King County Council is also requested to give notice of the election as provided in RCW 29.27.080. The proposition to be submitted at the special election shall be in the form of a ballot title as follows:

PROPOSITION

ANNEXATION OF THE CITY OF LAKE FOREST PARK
TO THE KING COUNTY RURAL LIBRARY DISTRICT

Shall the City of Lake Forest Park be annexed to and be a part of the King County Rural Library District?


YES
NO

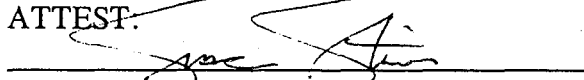
Section 4. Annexation. If a majority of persons voting on the annexation proposition vote in favor of annexation, then the City of Lake Forest Park shall be annexed to and constitute a part of the King County Rural Library District effective immediately upon certification of the results of the election.

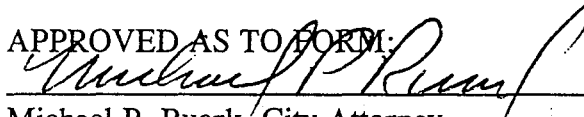
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PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL ON June 25, 1998.


David R. Hutchinson, Mayor

ATTEST: 
Susan Stine, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM: 
Michael P. Ruark, City Attorney

First Reading: January 13, 1998
Second Reading: June 11, 1998
Final Action: June 25, 1998
Date of Publication: July 6, 1998
Effective Date: _____

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King County Rural Library District

Board of Trustees

Resolution No. 1998-6

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE KING COUNTY RURAL LIBRARY DISTRICT CONCURRING, SUBJECT TO CONDITION, WITH THE ANNEXATION OF THE CITY OF LAKE FOREST PARK INTO THE KING COUNTY RURAL LIBRARY DISTRICT.

WHEREAS, the City of Lake Forest Park has passed an ordinance which initiates the process for a special election to determine whether Lake Forest Park shall be annexed into the King County Rural Library District, and

WHEREAS, RCW 27.12 provides a process for the annexation of cities and towns into rural library districts, and

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees believes that the annexation would be in the best interest of all involved, and

WHEREAS, the several steps to be taken to meet the boundary changes requirements necessitate the taking of this action by the Library District.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE KING COUNTY RURAL LIBRARY DISTRICT THAT:

The Board of Trustees of the King County Rural Library District does hereby concur with the City of Lake Forest Park in its intent to annex to the King County Rural Library District.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 24th DAY OF JUNE, 1998.

James M. Gimp

Charlotte B. Spitzer

William A. Gato

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18456 40th Pl. N.E.
Lake Forest Park, WA
June 16, 1998

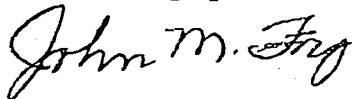
King County Library Board of Trustees
King County Library System
300 8th Ave. N.
Seattle, WA 98109

Dear Members of the Board:

Enclosed please find a copy of the resolution passed unanimously by the Lake Forest Park Library Commission at its September 8, 1997 meeting supporting annexation of the Lake Forest Park Library to the King County Library System. The Lake Forest City Council is moving to request annexation. The Lake Forest Library Commission fully supports this request and will work to pass it at the September election.

We urge the Board of Trustees to support the request to annex to the King County Library System. Thank you for your past support. We look forward to working with you on this important issue.

Sincerely yours,



John M. Foy, Chair
Lake Forest Park Library Commission



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Judges
Andrew K. Dolan
Douglas J. Smith

Administrator
Jane Poppe

**LAKE FOREST PARK
MUNICIPAL COURT**

17711 Ballinger Way N.E.
Lake Forest Park, WA 98155
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LIBRARY COMMISSION

I MOVE THAT THE LAKE FOREST PARK LIBRARY COMMISSION ADOPT AND SUPPORT THE RESOLUTION OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT COMMITTEE TO:

RECOMMEND TO THE CITY COUNCIL THAT A PROPOSAL TO ANNEX TO THE KING COUNTY LIBRARY SYSTEM BE PLACED BEFORE THE PEOPLE IN THE FORM OF A BALLOT MEASURE.

WE FURTHER SUPPORT THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE COMMITTEE THAT THE ANNEXATION ISSUE NOT BE MIXED WITH OTHER ISSUES; AND THAT IT BE CLEARLY STATED THAT IN THE FUTURE THE CITY COUNCIL MAY OR MAY NOT LOWER THE LEVY.

WE ALSO SUPPORT THE RECOMMENDATION THAT THE ELECTION ON ANNEXATION BE HELD IN TIME FOR THE ANNEXATION TO BE CERTIFIED BY JUNE 1, 1998 IN ORDER TO TAKE EFFECT JANUARY, 1999.

M/S/P September 8, 1997

