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MOTION NO. **10671**

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A MOTION establishing parameters for the department of
public health five-year plan

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WHEREAS, the council has directed, through proviso in the 1999 Budget Ordinance, Ordinance 13340, that the department of public health, in conjunction with the board of health, shall develop a scope of work for a plan to guide the provision of public health services in King County for the next five years; and

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WHEREAS, the board of health has reviewed and forwarded a proposed scope of work for such plan, with the condition that the department, working with council staff, continue to refine the proposed scope of work to address council interests; and

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WHEREAS, the council is seeking a plan that: provides a framework for answering basic questions concerning mission, assessment, strategies and resource needs; that provides for an integrated, comprehensive view of the agency which connects its various operational activities and program expenditures to agreed-upon goals; and that supports presentation of clear and meaningful program and budget issues in the context of the agency's mission; and

1 WHEREAS, a key structural component of the plan will be the program or
2 expenditure categories which define the organization of the plan, and which should lend
3 themselves to describing levels of effort for the major functional activities of public health;

4 NOW, THEREFORE BE IT MOVED by the Council of King County: That the
5 scope of work for the public health plan forwarded by the board of health be expanded to
6 incorporate, in an interrelated way, the following elements: Mission; Assessment;
7 Strategies; Resources. With specific regard to Strategies, the scope of work should
8 delineate the following functions: Emergency Medical Services; population-based health
9 including a sub-component for environmental health; targeted community health
10 prevention services; primary care assurance/clinical health services; and management and
11 central business practices.

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AND BE IT FURTHER MOVED, that this expanded plan be adopted by the council, to guide the development of the public health plan required by the proviso in the 1999 Budget Ordinance, Ordinance 13340.

PASSED by a vote of 13 to 0 this 26th day of April, 1999.

KING COUNTY COUNCIL
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Louise Miller
Chair

ATTEST:

[Signature]
Clerk of the Council

Attachments: