



KING COUNTY

1200 King County Courthouse
516 Third Avenue
Seattle, WA 98104

Signature Report

February 20, 2002

Motion 11380

Proposed No. 2002-0056.1

Sponsors Lambert and Gossett

1 A MOTION adopting the 2002 work program for the law,
2 justice and human services committee.

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 WHEREAS, the law, justice and human services committee is charged with
making policy recommendations regarding all county law and justice, public health and
human services programs, and

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 WHEREAS, the program areas assigned to the committee represent over three-
quarters of the county's current expense budget, and

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 WHEREAS, King County is experiencing unprecedented, continuing shortfalls in
the current expense fund, and

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 WHEREAS, the law, justice and human services committee believes the
deepening financial problems require an intensive and comprehensive review of policy
options and priorities in its assigned areas, and

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 WHEREAS, the committee has, therefore, developed a work plan for 2002 to
facilitate its review of policy options and development of policy recommendations to help
deal with these on-going financial problems, and

18 WHEREAS, the committee is seeking full council involvement in and support for
19 its work program;

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

21 The law, justice and human services committee's 2002 work program, as attached
22 to this motion, is hereby adopted.

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Motion 11380 was introduced on 2/4/2002 and passed by the Metropolitan King County Council on 2/19/2002, by the following vote:

Yes: 11 - Ms. Sullivan, Ms. Edmonds, Mr. von Reichbauer, Ms. Lambert, Mr. Phillips, Mr. McKenna, Mr. Constantine, Mr. Pullen, Ms. Hague, Mr. Irons and Ms. Patterson

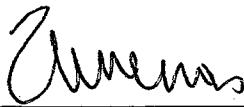
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Excused: 2 - Mr. Pelz and Mr. Gossett

KING COUNTY COUNCIL
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON


Cynthia Sullivan, Chair

ATTEST:



Anne Noris, Clerk of the Council

Attachments A. Law, Justice and Human Services Committee 2002 Work Program, revised 2-07-02

Law Justice & Human Services Committee**2002 Work Program**2002 Goals

- **Juvenile Justice:** To promote continued reductions in youth crime, youth involvement and racial disproportionality in the juvenile justice system and the cost of adjudication and incarceration, in accord with the adopted Juvenile Justice Operational Master Plan (JJOMP).
- **Adult Justice:** To adopt policies and plans for the adult justice system that significantly increase efficiency and effectiveness, reduce racial disproportionality and produce cost savings in a manner similar to improvements brought to the juvenile system by the JJOMP.
- **Treatment Options:** To assure that cost/effective treatment options are included in the adult justice system and that these options are to the maximum extent possible integrated with the on-going chemical dependency and mental health treatment systems.
- **Human Services:** To increase emphasis on human services that are proving successful in reducing involvement in the criminal justice system.
- **Public Health:** To provide direction, if necessary, regarding reduction in Public Health services due to potential loss of state funding for core services.

Key Work Items for 2002

ITEM	ACTION	DATE
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Overview of Committee Work Areas and Work Plan 	Approval of Work Program by motion	1 st Feb. meeting
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Initial review of District Court proviso issues regarding reduction of jail use and implementation of unallocated budget reduction 	Committee oversight & direction to District Court and Exec.	1 st Mar. meeting
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Briefing on Adult Justice Operational Master Plan issues and options, including alternatives to secure detention, options regarding treatment, continuation of the NRF and Cedar Hills programs, streamlining of booking and hearing processes and better use of computer technology. Briefing on Jail cost drivers including medical and other treatment cost drivers Council visit to Multnomah Co. Corrections System Action on AJOMP motion 	Approval of motion providing further council direction regarding options to be considered in the AJOMP	1 st Mar. meeting 2 nd Mar. meeting 5 th Fri. in March 1 st April meeting
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Plan for use of Juvenile Justice Investment Funds (required by budget proviso) & update on implementation of the Juvenile Justice Operational Master Plan 	Approval of plan by motion	2 nd Mar. meeting
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Briefing on state budget impacts on Public Health and Public Health allocation of community clinic funding. 	Committee direction (or possible motion) regarding reductions, if necessary	1 st April meeting
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Briefing on implementation of driving with suspended license programs 	Committee direction to District Court	2 nd April meeting
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Briefing on Executive budget reduction targets for Law/Justice, Health & Human Services agencies 	Approval of motion providing council direction regarding possible reductions in these areas.	2 nd April meeting -- joint with BFM
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Progress report on city involvement in Child Care 	Committee direction to the Executive	2 nd April meeting
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Revised Aging Program Funding Policy 	Approval of policy by motion	2 nd April
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Briefing on Sheriff's efforts to address the "racial profiling" issue 	Committee direction to the Sheriff	1 st May meeting
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Revisions to the Mental Health Managed Care Plan 	Approval of plan by motion	May/June
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> District Court plans to reduce jail use and implement budget reductions (budget proviso requirement) 	Approval of plans by motion	May/June
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Adult Justice Operational Master Plan (budget proviso requirement) 	Approval of plan by ordinance and release of \$2 M in Jail funding	June/July/Sept