



KING COUNTY

1200 King County Courthouse
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Seattle, WA 98104

Signature Report

March 17, 2008

Motion 12723

Proposed No. 2008-0080.1

Sponsors Phillips

1 A MOTION establishing the due date for the next Regional
2 Wastewater Services Plan comprehensive review report.

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4 WHEREAS, the King County council adopted the Regional Wastewater Services
5 Plan ("RWSP") by Ordinance 13680 on November 23, 1999, adding a new chapter to the
6 King County Code, K.C.C. chapter 28.86, and

7 WHEREAS, the RWSP is an amendment to the King County Comprehensive
8 Water Pollution Abatement Plan and serves as the policy basis for providing wastewater
9 management services to the King County wastewater service area through 2030 and
10 beyond, and

11 WHEREAS, the King County council amended Ordinance 13680 by adoption of
12 Ordinance 15384 in March 2006 to eliminate redundancies in RWSP reporting
13 requirements, consolidate reporting requirements into fewer, but more comprehensive
14 reports, adjust due dates to reflect availability of information, and added a new section on
15 RWSP reporting policies to K.C.C. chapter 28.86, and

16 WHERE, Ordinance 15384 and K.C.C. 28.86.165 provide direction on the
17 contents and frequency of RWSP comprehensive review reports, calling for the King

18 County executive to submit the second RWSP comprehensive review report in September
19 2007, and that subsequent reports be prepared every three to five years as established by
20 the council and regional water quality committee ("RWQC") following their review of
21 the September 2007 report, and

22 WHEREAS, in accordance with Ordinance 13680, the executive submitted the
23 first RWSP comprehensive review, covering RWSP policy implementation from 1999
24 through 2003, to council and RWQC in April 2004, and

25 WHEREAS, in accordance with Ordinance 15384 and K.C.C. 28.86.165, the
26 executive submitted the second RWSP comprehensive review, covering RWSP policy
27 implementation from 2004 through 2006, to council and RWQC in September 2007, and

28 WHEREAS, Ordinance 15384 and K.C.C. 28.86.165 provide guidance that the
29 specific due date of the next comprehensive review be based upon the availability of
30 necessary information, the completion of key milestones and the time needed to collect
31 and analyze data, and

32 WHEREAS, the executive, through the transmittal letter that accompanied the
33 second RWSP comprehensive review report, recommended that the next RWSP
34 comprehensive review be submitted in September 2012 to cover RWSP policy
35 implementation from 2007 through 2011 based on availability of information and
36 completion of key milestones that are anticipated in 2010 and 2011, and

37 WHEREAS, the anticipated key milestones in 2010 and 2011 include completion
38 of Brightwater construction and startup, completion of the second combined sewer
39 overflow control program review, near completion of the infiltration and inflow initial
40 projects and publication of Puget Sound Regional Council's updated population and

41 employment growth forecast based on Puget Sound Regional Council's analysis of the
42 2010 census, and

43 WHEREAS, establishing September 2012 as the due date for the next RWSP
44 comprehensive review report provides time for executive staff to analyze the results
45 associated with these key milestones and determine the effects, if any, on RWSP
46 planning assumptions and facility needs, and include this information in the next RWSP
47 comprehensive review report, and

48 WHEREAS, in accordance with Ordinance 15384 and K.C.C. 28.86.165, the
49 executive shall continue to provide RWSP annual reports that are due each year in
50 September to cover the previous year's implementation of the major elements of the
51 RWSP to council and RWQC;

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

53 That the executive submit the next RWSP comprehensive review report, covering

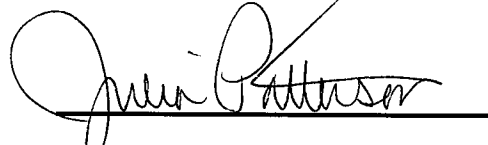
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54 RWSP policy implementation from 2007 through 2011, to council and RWQC in
55 September 2012.
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Motion 12723 was introduced on 2/11/2008 and passed by the Metropolitan King County Council on 3/17/2008, by the following vote:

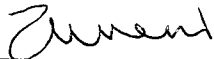
Yes: 9 - Ms. Patterson, Mr. Dunn, Mr. Constantine, Ms. Lambert, Mr. von Reichbauer, Mr. Ferguson, Mr. Gossett, Mr. Phillips and Ms. Hague
No: 0
Excused: 0

KING COUNTY COUNCIL
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON



Julia Patterson, Chair

ATTEST:



Anne Noris, Clerk of the Council

Attachments None