



KING COUNTY

1200 King County Courthouse
516 Third Avenue
Seattle, WA 98104

Signature Report

Motion 15467

Proposed No. 2019-0308.2

Sponsors McDermott

1 A MOTION making an appointment to fill a judicial
2 vacancy in the east division, northeast electoral district
3 judge position number five of the King County district
4 court.

5 WHEREAS, a judicial vacancy exists in the east division, northeast electoral
6 district judge position number five of the King County district court, and

7 WHEREAS, RCW 3.34.100 authorizes the county legislative body to fill judicial
8 vacancies in district court, and

9 WHEREAS, K.C.C. chapter 2.70 provides for the metropolitan King County
10 council to fill judicial vacancies in district court, and

11 WHEREAS, in accordance with K.C.C. 2.70.020.D., candidates must have a
12 current rating of, at a minimum, "qualified" for a district court judicial position from the
13 King County Bar Association and at least one other bar association operating in King
14 County with an eligible judicial candidate evaluation process, and

15 WHEREAS, a rating of the Seattle King County Bar Association is valid for three
16 years, and

17 WHEREAS, for those eligible candidates, the committee of the whole reviewed
18 candidate ratings from the Seattle King County Bar Association and other bar
19 associations with an established judicial candidate evaluation procedure, reviewed written

20 materials concerning each candidate and conducted interviews with the final candidates
21 in accordance with K.C.C. chapter 2.70, and

22 WHEREAS the council has carefully considered the qualifications of the final
23 candidates;

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

25 Jill Klinge is hereby appointed to fill the judicial vacancy in the east

26 division, northeast electoral district judge position number five of the King County
27 district court.
28

Motion 15467 was introduced on 7/10/2019 and passed by the Metropolitan King County Council on 7/24/2019, by the following vote:

Yes: 9 - Mr. von Reichbauer, Mr. Gossett, Ms. Lambert, Mr. Dunn, Mr. McDermott, Mr. Dembowski, Mr. Upthegrove, Ms. Kohl-Welles and Ms. Balducci



KING COUNTY COUNCIL
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Rod Dembowski", is written over a horizontal line.

Rod Dembowski, Chair

ATTEST:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Melani Pedroza", is written over a horizontal line.

Melani Pedroza, Clerk of the Council

Attachments: None