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Introduced by: R.R. "BOB" GREIVE
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Proposed No. 81-638

ORDINANCE NO. 5680

AN ORDINANCE calling for an election by the voters of King County to be held on November 3, 1981, to authorize the levying of an excise tax for the purpose of providing funds for the implementation and operation of an emergency services communications system, repealing Ordinance 5652, and declaring an emergency.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:

SECTION 1. This ordinance is enacted pursuant to Chapter 160, laws of 1981, Washington State Legislature. The terms, "emergency services communications system" and "telephone access line" shall have the meanings ascribed to them in Chapter 160.

SECTION 2. There shall be submitted to the qualified voters of King County for their approval or rejection, at the next general election to be held in this county, the proposition whether or not the county shall impose the excise tax described in Chapter 160:

PROPOSITION

ENHANCED 911 - EMERGENCY TELEPHONE SYSTEM

Shall King County impose an excise tax on the use of all telephone access lines in an amount not to exceed forty-five cents per month for each line for the purpose of paying for the implementation and operation of an enhanced 911 emergency telephone system, all as provided in King County Ordinance _____?

Tax, Yes /_____/

Tax, No. /_____/

SECTION 3. The manager of the Division of Records and Election shall cause notice of the proposed proposition to be published in accordance with the State Constitution and general law and placed upon the ballot of the County-wide election November 3, 1981.

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SECTION 4. The actual rate of tax to be imposed, procedures for administration and collection of the tax, the design of the system, and the requests for proposals issued pursuant to K.C.C. 4.16 shall be as hereafter determined by ordinance.

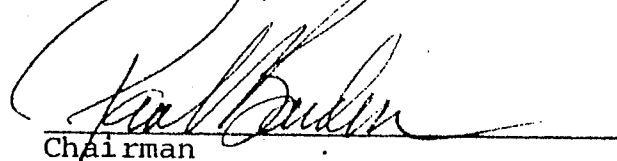
SECTION 5. Ordinance 5652 is hereby repealed.

SECTION 6. The County Council finds as a fact and declares that an emergency exists and that this ordinance is necessary for the immediate preservation of public peace, health or safety or for the support of county government and its existing public institutions.

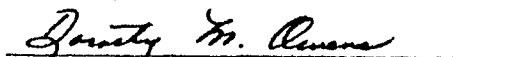
INTRODUCED AND READ for the first time this 18th day of September, 1981.

PASSED this 18th day of September, 1981.

KING COUNTY COUNCIL
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON


Chairman

ATTEST:


Deputy Clerk of the Council