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Introduced by: LOIS NORTH

Proposed No. 82-144

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ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

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2 AN ORDINANCE adopting Titles 1, 2, 3, 4,  
3 6, 7, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17,  
4 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, and 46 a  
5 codification of the permanent and general  
6 ordinances of King County, Washington,  
7 and repealing Ordinances 1160, 1129,  
8 1002 and 950 and K.C.C. Code Adoption  
9 Sections 1-15.

10 BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:

11 SECTION 1. Ordinances 1160, 1129, 1002 and 950 and  
12 K.C.C. Code Adoption Sections 1-15, are hereby repealed.

13 SECTION 2. Adoption. Pursuant to the requirement of  
14 King County Charter Section 880, Titles 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 10,  
15 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, and 46  
16 of the "King County Code", dated 1981, as compiled by King  
17 County Council staff, a codification of permanent and general  
18 ordinances of King County, are hereby adopted.

19 SECTION 3. Title--Citation--Reference. This code shall  
20 be known as the "King County Code" and it shall be sufficient to  
21 refer to said code as the "King County Code" in any prosecution  
22 for the violation of any provision thereof or in any proceeding at  
23 law or equity. It shall be sufficient to designate any ordinance  
24 adding to, amending, correcting or repealing all or any part or  
25 portion thereof as an addition to, amendment to, correction or  
26 repeal of the "King County Code". Further, reference may be had  
27 to the titles, chapters, sections and subsections of the "King  
28 County Code" and such reference shall apply to that numbered  
29 title, chapter, section or subsection as it appears in the code.

30 SECTION 4. Rules of Construction. The adoption of this  
31 code shall establish the laws of King County of a general and  
32 permanent nature in effect as of the effective date of this  
33 ordinance, except that nothing herein shall be construed as  
changing the meaning of any such laws and, as a rule of  
construction, in case of any omissions or any inconsistency  
between any of the provisions of this code and the laws existing

1 immediately preceding this enactment, the previously existing  
2 laws shall control.

3 SECTION 5. Reference applies to all amendments. When-  
4 ever a reference is made to this code as the "King County Code"  
5 or to any portion thereof, or to any ordinance of the County of  
6 King, Washington, the reference shall apply to all amendments,  
7 corrections and additions heretofore, now or hereafter made.

8 SECTION 6. Title, chapter and section headings. Title,  
9 chapter and section headings contained herein shall not be deemed  
10 to govern, limit, modify or in any manner affect the scope,  
11 meaning or intent of the provisions of any title, chapter or  
12 section hereof.

13 SECTION 7. Prohibited acts include causing, permitting.  
14 Whenever in this code any act or omission is made unlawful, it  
15 shall also be unlawful to cause, allow, permit, aid, abet, suffer,  
16 or conceal the fact of such act or omission.

17 SECTION 8. Construction. The provisions of this code  
18 and all proceedings under it are to be construed with a view to  
19 effect its objects and to promote justice.

20 SECTION 9. Reference to specific ordinances. The  
21 adoption of this code shall not in any manner affect any specific  
22 reference to ordinances in the prior code, by number designation  
23 or otherwise, but such reference shall be construed to apply to  
24 the corresponding provisions contained within this code.

25 SECTION 10. Effect of code on past sections and  
26 obligations. Neither the adoption of this code nor the repeal or  
27 amendment hereby of any ordinance or part or portion of any  
28 ordinance of the county shall in any manner affect the prosecution  
29 for violations of ordinances, which violations were committed  
30 prior to the effective date hereof, nor be construed as a waiver  
31 of any license, fee or penalty at said effective date due and  
32 unpaid under such ordinances, nor be construed as affecting any of  
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1 the provisions of such ordinances relating to the collection of  
2 any such license, fee or penalty, on the penal provisions  
3 applicable to any violation thereof, nor be construed as affect-  
4 ing the validity of any bond or cash deposit in lieu thereof  
5 required to be posted, filed or deposited pursuant to any  
6 ordinance, and all rights and obligations existing under the  
7 laws in effect immediately prior to the effective date of this  
8 ordinance shall continue in full force and effect.

9 SECTION 11. Repeal shall not revive any ordinances. The  
10 repeal of an ordinance shall not repeal the repealing clause  
11 of such ordinance or revive any ordinance which has been repealed  
12 thereby.

13 SECTION 12. Exclusion of special ordinances. Every  
14 special ordinance of the county, whether or not contained in  
15 whole or in part within the code, is not affected by the adoption  
16 or operation of this code. It is the intent and purpose of  
17 this code adoption to exclude from repeal any and all ordinances  
18 not of a general nature.

19 SECTION 13. Effective date. This code shall become  
20 effective on the date the ordinance adopting this code as the  
21 "King County Code" shall become effective.

22 SECTION 14. Constitutionality. If any section,  
23 subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this code is for any  
24 reason held to be invalid or unconstitutional, such decision  
25 shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this  
26 code. The council hereby declares that it would have passed  
27 this code, and each section, subsection, sentence, clause and  
28 phrase thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more  
29 sections,

1 subsections, sentences, clauses or phrases had been declared in-  
2 valid or unconstitutional, and if for any reason this code  
3 should be declared invalid or unconstitutional, then the prior  
4 ordinance or ordinances shall be in full force and effect.

5 INTRODUCED AND READ for the first time this 22nd day of  
6 March, 1982.

7 PASSED this 26th day of April, 1982.

8 KING COUNTY COUNCIL  
9 KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

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12 Lois North  
13 Chairman

14 ATTEST:

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16 Dorothy M. Ruene  
17 DEPUTY Clerk of the Council

18 APPROVED this 7th day of May, 1982.

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21 Randy Ruene  
22 King County Executive  
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