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Introduced by: PAUL BARDEN
GREG NICKELS

Proposed No.: 90 - 668

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ORDINANCE NO. _____

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3 AN ORDINANCE calling for a special election to be held on
4 September 18, 1990, to submit to the voters of King County a
5 proposition authorizing imposition of a county sales and use
6 tax of one-tenth of one percent, in addition to any other
7 taxes authorized by law, to be expended exclusively for crim-
8 inal justice purposes, and DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

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10 BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:

11 SECTION 1. This ordinance is enacted pursuant to Washington Laws of 1990,
12 2d ex. sess., chap. 1, sec. 901. It is found and declared that an emergency
13 exists requiring the submission to the voters of the County at a special elec-
14 tion to be held therein on September 18, 1990, a proposition authorizing the
15 imposition of a sales and use tax with a rate equal to one-tenth of one
16 percent of the selling price (in the case of a sales tax) or the value of
17 the article used (in the case of a use tax), which shall be in addition to any
18 other taxes authorized by law, and shall be collected from those persons who
19 are taxable by the state pursuant to chapters 82.08 and 82.12 RCW upon the
20 occurrence of any taxable event within the county with the moneys received
21 from such tax to be expended exclusively for criminal justice purposes.

22 SECTION 2. The manager of the King County records and elections division,
23 as ex officio supervisor of all elections held in King County, is authorized
24 and requested also to find the existence of such emergency and to assume
25 jurisdiction of and to call and conduct such special election to be held
26 within the County on September 18, 1990, and to submit to the qualified voters
27 of the County at such special election the proposition set forth below. The
28 Clerk of the Council is authorized and directed to certify a proposition to
29 the manager of King County records and elections division in substantially the
30 following form:
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PROPOSITION NO. _____

King County Sales and Use Tax for Criminal Justice Purposes

Shall King County be authorized to impose a sales and use tax with a rate equal to one-tenth of one percent of the selling price (in the case of a sales tax) or value of the article used (in the case of a use tax), which shall be in addition to any other taxes authorized by law, with the moneys received from such tax to be used exclusively for criminal justice purposes, all as provided in King County Ordinance No. 9576 ?

Sales and use tax authorizedyes

Sales and use tax authorized no

SECTION 3. If the authorizing proposition referenced in this Ordinance is approved by the majority of persons voting, the sales and use tax authorized therein shall be fixed and imposed by subsequent ordinance in accordance with the terms of chapter 82.14 RCW, as amended.

SECTION 4. The county council finds as a fact and declares an emergency exists and that this ordinance is necessary for the immediate preservation of public peace, health or safety or the support of county government and its existing public institution.

INTRODUCED AND READ for the first time this 23rd day of

July, 1990

PASSED this 3rd day of August, 1990

KING COUNTY COUNCIL
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Lois North
Chair

ATTEST:

Guadalupe A. Pater
Clerk of the Council

APPROVED this 3rd day of August, 1990.

Don Hill
King County Executive