



KING COUNTY

1200 King County Courthouse
516 Third Avenue
Seattle, WA 98104

Signature Report

September 12, 2000

**RECORDS & ELECTIONS
DIVISION**

Ordinance 13933

RECEIVED BY: L. Sanchez

Proposed No. 2000-0500.2

Sponsors Irons and Miller

1 AN ORDINANCE establishing the date for an election on the
2 question of annexation of the city of Sammamish into the King
3 County rural library district; and declaring an emergency.

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6 **STATEMENT OF FACTS:**

7 The city of Sammamish, Washington, by Ordinance 02000-66 has
8 initiated the proposed annexation and expressed its intent to join the
9 King County rural library district, finding that the public interest will be
10 served thereby.

11 City of Sammamish Ordinance 02000-66 satisfies RCW 27.12.010 (5)
12 and 27.12.360 and requests the calling of an election to be held among
13 the qualified voters in the city.

14 The board of trustees of the King County rural library district by
15 Resolution No. 2000-6 has concurred with the proposal in accordance
16 with RCW 27.12.360.

17 For the issue to be on the November 7, 2000, ballot, the ordinance must
18 be effective by September 22, 2000.

19 BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:

20 SECTION 1. A special election shall be held on November 7, 2000, within the
21 city of Sammamish. The ballot proposition shall be in substantially the following form in
22 accordance with RCW 27.12.370:

23 “Shall the city of Sammamish, Washington, be annexed to and be part of the King
24 County Rural Library District?

25 YES []

26 NO []”

27 SECTION 2. The King County manager of the records and elections division is
28 hereby requested to assume jurisdiction and conduct a special election and submit to the
29 registered voters within the subject area the proposition set forth in section 1 of this
30 ordinance. The clerk of the council is hereby authorized and directed to transmit said
31 proposition to the manager of records and elections in substantially the above form, with
32 such additions, deletions or modifications in the ballot title as may be required for the
33 proposition by the King County prosecuting attorney. Notice of the elections shall be
34 published as required by law.

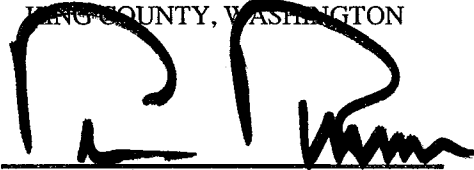
35 SECTION 3. The county council finds as a fact and declares that an emergency
36 exists and that this ordinance is necessary for the immediate preservation of public peace,

37 health or safety or for the support of county government and its existing public
38 institutions.
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Ordinance 13933 was introduced on 9/5/00 and passed by the Metropolitan King County Council on 9/11/00, by the following vote:

Yes: 13 - Mr. von Reichbauer, Ms. Miller, Ms. Fimia, Mr. Phillips, Mr. Pelz,
Mr. McKenna, Ms. Sullivan, Mr. Nickels, Mr. Pullen, Mr. Gossett, Ms.
Hague, Mr. Vance and Mr. Irons
No: 0
Excused: 0

KING COUNTY COUNCIL
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON



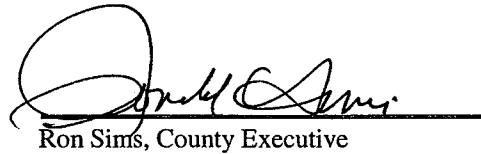
Pete von Reichbauer, Chair

ATTEST:



Anne Noris, Clerk of the Council

APPROVED this 18 day of September, 2000.


Ron Sims, County Executive

Attachments A. City of Sammamish Ordinance 02000-66, B. King County Rural Library District Board Resolution No. 2000-6

**CITY OF SAMMAMISH
WASHINGTON**

ORDINANCE NO. O2000-66

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SAMMAMISH, WASHINGTON, DECLARING THE CITY'S INTENT TO JOIN AND BE ANNEXED TO THE KING COUNTY RURAL LIBRARY DISTRICT; REQUESTING THE CONCURRENCE OF THE LIBRARY DISTRICT BOARD OF TRUSTEES; AND REQUESTING THE KING COUNTY COUNCIL TO CALL A SPECIAL ELECTION IN THE CITY ON THE PROPOSITION OF WHETHER THE CITY SHOULD BE ANNEXED TO THE LIBRARY DISTRICT

WHEREAS, RCW 35.02.130 authorizes the City Council of the City of Sammamish to submit a ballot proposition to the voters of the City to authorize annexation of the City by a library district; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to RCW 27.12.360 the process of annexation is initiated by an ordinance of the City Council stating the City's intent to join the library district and finding that the public interest will be served thereby; and

WHEREAS, as the City has no City Library Board, the State Librarian shall be notified of this proposed ordinance pursuant to RCW 27.12.360; and

WHEREAS, if the library district concurs in the annexation, notification thereof shall be transmitted to the King County Council which shall then call a special election to be held in the City at the time and in the manner provided in RCW 27.12.370;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAMMAMISH, WASHINGTON, DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Declaration of Intent and Finding. The City of Sammamish hereby declares its intent to join and be annexed to the King County Rural Library District. Having reviewed the options for providing library service to the residents of the City, the City Council finds that the public interest will best be served by annexation of the City to the Library District.

Section 2. Request for Concurrence of Library District. Pursuant to RCW 27.12.360, the City Council requests that the Board of Trustees of the King County Rural Library District concur in the proposed annexation of the City to the Library District. The City Clerk is authorized and requested to forward a certified copy of this ordinance to the Board of Trustees of

the Library District and to the State Librarian.

Section 3. Transmittal to County Council and Request for Special Election. Pursuant to RCW 27.12.360 and RCW 27.12.370, if the Board of Trustees of the King County Rural Library District concurs in the annexation, the City Clerk is authorized and requested to notify, and to send a certified copy of this ordinance and a copy of the Library District's concurrence, to the King County Council. The King County Council is requested to call by resolution an election to be held in the City of Sammamish on November 7, 2000, (the General Election Ballot), for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters of the City the proposition of whether the City should annex to the King County Rural Library District. The King County Council is also requested to give notice of the election as provided in RCW 29.27.080. The proposition to be submitted at the special election shall be in the form of a ballot title as follows:

PROPOSITION

ANNEXATION OF THE CITY OF SAMMAMISH
TO THE KING COUNTY RURAL LIBRARY DISTRICT

Shall the City of Sammamish be annexed to and be a part of the King County Rural Library District?

YES

NO

Section 4. Annexation. If a majority of persons voting on the annexation proposition vote in favor of annexation, then the City of Sammamish shall be annexed to and constitute a part of the King County Rural Library District effective immediately upon certification of the election results.

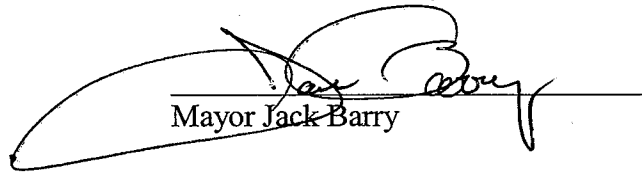
Section 5. Severability. Should any section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance, or its application to any person or circumstance, be declared unconstitutional or otherwise invalid for any reason, or should any portion of this Ordinance be pre-empted by state or federal law or regulation, such decision or pre-emption shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance or its application to other persons or circumstances.

Section 6. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall be published in the official newspaper of the City, and shall take effect and be in full force five (5) days after the date of publication.

**ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL AT A REGULAR MEETING THEREOF ON
THE 5th DAY OF JULY, 2000.**

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CITY OF SAMMAMISH



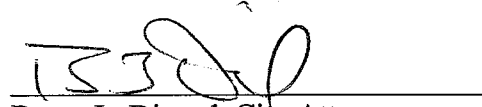
Mayor Jack Barry

ATTEST/AUTHENTICATED:



Melonie Anderson, City Clerk

Approved as to form:



Bruce L. Disend, City Attorney

Filed with the City Clerk: June 29, 2000
Passed by the City Council: July 5, 2000
Date of Publication: July 8, 2000
Effective Date: July 13, 2000

King County Rural Library District

Board of Trustees

13933

Resolution No. 2000-6

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE KING COUNTY RURAL LIBRARY DISTRICT CONCURRING, SUBJECT TO CONDITION, WITH THE ANNEXATION OF THE CITY OF SAMMAMISH INTO THE KING COUNTY RURAL LIBRARY DISTRICT.

WHEREAS, the City of Sammamish has passed an ordinance which initiates the process for a special election to determine whether Sammamish shall be annexed into the King County Rural Library District, and

WHEREAS, RCW 27.12 provides a process for the annexation of cities and towns into rural library districts, and

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees believes that the annexation would be in the best interest of all involved, and

WHEREAS, the several steps to be taken to meet the boundary changes requirements necessitate the taking of this action by the Library District.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE KING COUNTY RURAL LIBRARY DISTRICT THAT:

The Board of Trustees of the King County Rural Library District does hereby concur with the City of Sammamish in its intent to annex to the King County Rural Library District. Measure to be on the November, 2000 ballot.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 7th DAY OF AUGUST, 2000.

Charlotte B. Spitzer
Karen E. Glover
[Signature]
James Gray