



KING COUNTY

1200 King County Courthouse
516 Third Avenue
Seattle, WA 98104

Signature Report

September 26, 2001

Ordinance 14215

Proposed No. 2001-0388.2

Sponsors Irons

1 AN ORDINANCE approving the Northeast Sammamish
2 Sewer and Water District Water Comprehensive Plan.

3

4

5 PREAMBLE:

6 K.C.C. chapter 13.24 requires approval of comprehensive plans for water
7 utilities as a prerequisite for granting right-of-way franchises and approval of
8 right-of-way construction permits.

9 The Northeast Sammamish Sewer and Water District Water
10 Comprehensive Plan ("plan") discusses water service to existing and future
11 populations within the district service area. The service area includes urban and
12 rural unincorporated areas and properties within the city of Sammamish. The
13 service area is comprised almost entirely of single-family residences.

14 The district currently provides water service to approximately nine
15 thousand people; when the service area is fully developed under existing zoning,
16 about ten thousand three hundred people will reside there.

17 Wells currently supply all of the water for the district. Existing water
18 rights are sufficient to supply both the annual and instantaneous water needs of
19 the district through 2020.

20 The plan contains a six-year capital improvement program valued at
21 approximately five million dollars. The capital improvements planned include
22 installation of transmission and distribution mains, and various improvements to
23 wells and reservoirs.

24 The King County utilities technical review committee (UTRC) reviewed
25 and conditionally approved the plan on February 14, 2001. The conditions of
26 approval, technical changes to the plan, are reflected in the plan version attached
27 to this ordinance. The UTRC recommends that the council approve the plan.

28 The district prepared a determination of non-significance for the plan on
29 April 6, 1999, in accordance with the state Environmental Policy Act. The
30 district intends to adopt the plan after King County approval.

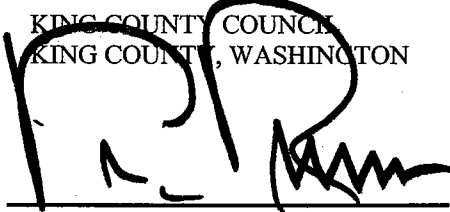
31 BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:

32 SECTION 1. The Northeast Sammamish Sewer and Water District Water
33 Comprehensive Plan, Attachment A to this ordinance, is hereby approved, so long as the

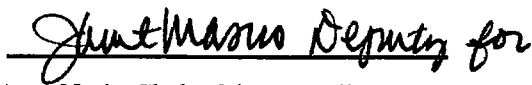
34 district provides to the utilities technical review committee a copy of its rate study when
35 it is completed and any revised rate structures that are adopted by the district. By this
36 condition, the county is not seeking to exercise or assert any control on the district's
37 authority to set its rates and charges.
38

Ordinance 14215 was introduced on 7/23/01 and passed as amended by the Metropolitan King County Council on 9/24/01, by the following vote:

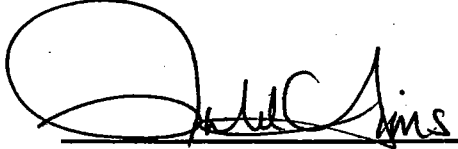
Yes: 11 - Mr. von Reichbauer, Ms. Miller, Ms. Fimia, Mr. Phillips, Mr. Pelz, Ms. Sullivan, Mr. Pullen, Mr. Gossett, Ms. Hague, Mr. Thomas and Mr. Irons
No: 0
Excused: 2 - Mr. McKenna and Mr. Nickels

KING COUNTY COUNCIL
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Pete von Reichbauer, Chair

ATTEST:


Anne Noris, Clerk of the Council

APPROVED this 5 day of October, 2001.


Ron Sims, County Executive

Attachments A. Northeast Sammamish Sewer and Water District Water Comprehensive Plan

ORDINANCE 14215

**Northeast Sammamish Sewer and Water District
Water Comprehensive Plan**

**December 1999
Revised June 2001**

ATTACHMENT(S) AVAILABLE IN ARCHIVES