



KING COUNTY

1200 King County Courthouse
516 Third Avenue
Seattle, WA 98104

Signature Report

Ordinance 20025

Proposed No. 2025-0291.2

Sponsors Dembowski

1 AN ORDINANCE relating to the county property tax
2 levies for collection in 2026, and implementing RCW
3 84.55.120.

4 BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:

5 SECTION 1. The council is under an obligation by charter to enact revenue
6 measures that support the budget appropriation ordinance by December 1, 2025, for the
7 2026 budget. This ordinance sets the amount of property tax to be collected for the
8 regular property tax levy, the transit levy, the road district levy, the conservation futures
9 levy, marine levy, and the county hospital levy. In accordance with RCW 84.55.120, the
10 council has given proper notice of this ordinance to the public.

11 SECTION 2. For collection of the property tax levies in 2026, the council hereby
12 authorizes property tax changes compared to the amounts authorized for collection in
13 2025 as follows:

Levy	Estimated Dollar Increase	% Increase	Estimated Total Levy
Regular Levy (includes new 2025 voter-approved AFIS levy under Ordinance 19884, and parks levy under Ordinance 19922)	\$76,117,047	7.80362%	\$1,051,524,285

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Regular - Transit	\$226,074	0.66198%	\$34,377,195
Road District	\$628,221	0.61489%	\$102,796,146
Conservation Futures	\$1,171,070	2.16902%	\$55,161,810
Emergency Medical Services (New 2025 voter-approved levy, under Ordinance 19950)	\$37,135,098	19.35771%	\$228,971,340
Marine	\$71,818	1.00000%	\$7,253,643
County Hospital	\$50,271,732	57.99653%	\$136,952,317

- 14 The 2026 estimated levies above are exclusive of increases resulting from new
15 construction, increases in value of state-assessed property, and estimated amounts
16 necessary to fund tax refunds.

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17 SECTION 3. Upon enactment, the clerk is directed to forward this ordinance to
18 the assessor in accordance with RCW 84.52.070.

Ordinance 20025 was introduced on 10/7/2025 and passed as amended by the
Metropolitan King County Council on 12/9/2025, by the following vote:

Yes: 7 - Balducci, Barón, Dembowski, Dunn, Fain, Perry and von
Reichbauer

Excused: 1 - Mosqueda

KING COUNTY COUNCIL
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Signed by:

Sarah Perry

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Sarah Perry, Chair

ATTEST:

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Melani Hay

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Melani Hay, Clerk of the Council

APPROVED this ____ day of 12/19/2025, ____.

Signed by:

Girmay Zahilay

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Girmay Zahilay, County Executive

Attachments: None

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