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Introduced by: Ron Sims

Proposed No.: 91 - 90

ORDINANCE NO. **9891**

AN ORDINANCE specifying county policy for
the procurement of vehicles which use
alternative fuel.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:

SECTION 1. Definitions. The following definitions shall
apply in the interpretation of this ordinance.

A. Alcohol. A mixture containing no less than eighty-five
percent methanol, ethanol or other alcohols, in any
combination, by volume.

B. Alternative Fuel. A means of propulsion by other than
gasoline or diesel fuel and shall include:

1. Alcohol.
2. Dual energy.
3. Electricity.
4. Natural gas.
5. Propane.
6. Human powered.

C. Director. Means the director of the King County fleet
administration division.

D. Dual Energy. Means capable of being operated using an
alternative fuel and gasoline or diesel fuel.

E. Purchased. Means purchased, leased, borrowed, obtained
by gift or otherwise acquired.

SECTION 2. The director shall ensure that at least fifty
percent of the vehicles purchased by King County in 1992 shall
operate using alternative fuel. At least seventy-five percent
of the vehicles purchased by King County in 1993 shall operate
using alternative fuel.

1 SECTION 3. In order to comply with Section 2 of this
 2 Ordinance, the director may purchase vehicles which are
 3 manufactured to operate on alternative fuel, convert newly
 4 purchased vehicles to operate on alternative fuel, or any
 5 combination thereof.

6 SECTION 4. Heavy equipment which is intended solely for
 7 off-road usage and for which the implementation of this
 8 Ordinance would be infeasible is exempt from the requirements
 9 of this ordinance.

10 INTRODUCED AND READ for the first time this 22nd day
 11 of January, 1991.

12 PASSED this 8th day of April, 1991.

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KING COUNTY COUNCIL
 KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Lois North
 Chair

ATTEST:

18 Guadalupe Pottun
 19 Clerk of the Council

20 APPROVED this 17th day of April, 1991.

21 Jim Hill
 22 King County Executive