



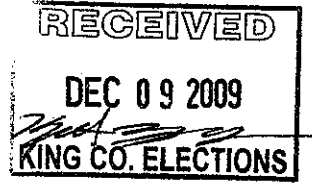
KING COUNTY

1200 King County Courthouse
516 Third Avenue
Seattle, WA 98104

Signature Report

December 8, 2009

Ordinance 16718



Proposed No. 2009-0629.2

Sponsors Patterson and Dunn

1 AN ORDINANCE establishing February 9, 2010, as the
2 date of a special election on the question of annexation of
3 the city of Renton to the King County rural library district;
4 and declaring an emergency.

5 BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:

6 **SECTION 1. Findings:**

7 A. The city of Renton, Washington, by Resolution No. 5479, has determined that
8 it is in the public interest and general welfare to provide for the annexation of the city of
9 Renton into the King County rural library district in accordance with chapter 27.12 RCW.

10 B. City of Renton Resolution No. 5479 satisfies the provisions of chapter 27.12
11 RCW for qualification for annexation.

12 C. The city of Renton, by Resolution No. 5479 initiated the annexation into the
13 library district.

14 D. Pursuant to chapters 29A.04 RCW, the metropolitan King County council
15 deems an emergency exists for the purpose of calling a special election to be held on the
16 question of this annexation on February 9, 2010.

17 **SECTION 2.** A special election shall be held on the 9th day of February, 2010, in
18 accordance with chapter 27.12 RCW within the territory of the proposed annexation, for

19 the purpose of submitting the question of annexation to the King County rural library
20 district.

21 SECTION 3. The number of registered voters within the subject area is estimated
22 at 45,486, as nearly as may be determined from available records.

23 SECTION 4. Pursuant to RCW 29A.04.321, it is hereby deemed that an
24 emergency exists for purposes of calling a special election. The King County director of
25 elections is hereby requested to assume jurisdiction to call and conduct a special election
26 and submit to the registered voters within the subject area of the proposition as set forth
27 in section 4 of this ordinance. The clerk of the council is hereby authorized and directed
28 to transmit the proposition to the director of elections in substantially the following form,
29 with such additions, deletions or modifications in the ballot title as may be required for
30 the propositions listed below by the King County prosecuting attorney:

31 PROPOSITION 1:

32 Should the City of Renton be annexed to and be a part of the King County Rural
33 Library District?

34 Yes No

35 SECTION 5. The director of elections is hereby authorized and requested to
36 prepare and distribute a local voters' pamphlet, pursuant to K.C.C. 1.10.010, for the
37 special election called for in this ordinance, the cost of the pamphlet to be included as
38 part of the cost of the special election.

39 SECTION 6. RCW 29A.32.280 provides that for each measure from a
40 jurisdiction that is included in a local voters' pamphlet, the legislative authority of that
41 jurisdiction shall formally appoint a committee to prepare arguments advocating voter

42 approval of the measure and a committee to prepare arguments advocating voter rejection
43 of the measure.

44 SECTION 7. In accordance with RCW 29A.32.280, the following individuals are
45 appointed to serve on the voters' pamphlet committees, each committee to write a
46 statement for or against the proposed annexation ballot measure:

47	FOR	AGAINST
48	1. Peter Hartley	1. Bruce Myka
49	2. Dave McCammon	2. Lynne Shioyama
50	3. Patricia Johnson	3. Virginia Decker

51 SECTION 8. The council finds as a fact and declares that an emergency exists

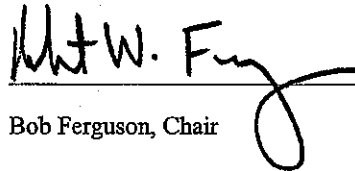
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53 and that this ordinance is necessary for the immediate preservation of public peace, health
54 or safety or for the support of county government and its existing public institutions.

Ordinance 16718 was introduced on 11/23/2009 and passed as amended by the
Metropolitan King County Council on 12/7/2009, by the following vote:

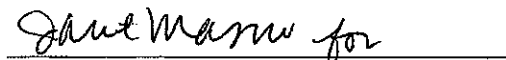
Yes: 7 - Mr. von Reichbauer, Mr. Gossett, Ms. Hague, Ms. Patterson,
Ms. Lambert, Mr. Ferguson and Mr. Dunn
No: 0
Excused: 1 - Mr. Phillips

KING COUNTY COUNCIL
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON



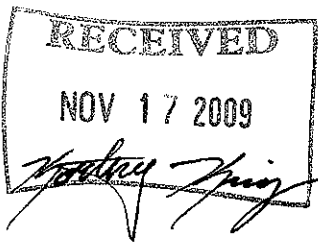
Bob Ferguson, Chair

ATTEST:



Anne Noris, Clerk of the Council

Attachments: None



CITY OF RENTON, WASHINGTON

ORDINANCE NO. 5479

CERTIFICATE
I, the undersigned City Clerk of the
City of Renton, Washington, certify
that this is a true and correct copy of
Ordinance #5479. Subscribed
and sealed this 6th day of Nov., 2009
Bonnie S. Walter
City Clerk

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF RENTON, WASHINGTON, STATING ITS INTENT
TO JOIN THE KING COUNTY LIBRARY SYSTEM.**

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RENTON, WASHINGTON, DOES ORDAIN AS
FOLLOWS:

- WHEREAS**, the City of Renton has a population of less than 100,000; and
- WHEREAS**, the King County Library System lies contiguous to the City of Renton; and
- WHEREAS**, it would be advantageous to the citizens of the City of Renton to become part of the King County Library System; and
- WHEREAS**, this Ordinance, previous to its adoption, has been submitted to the Library Board of the City of Renton for its review and recommendations;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RENTON, WASHINGTON, DOES
ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION I. It is the intention of the City of Renton to join the King County Library System.

SECTION II. The public interest will be served by such joinder.

SECTION III. Notification of this declaration of intent to join the King County Library System shall be transmitted to the King County Library System Board of Trustees to request their concurrence in this recommendation to annex.

SECTION IV. Pursuant to RCW 27.12.360 and 370, if the Board of Trustees of the King County Library System concurs in the annexation, the City Clerk is hereby directed to notify, and to send a certified copy of this Ordinance and a copy of the concurrence of the Board of

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Trustees of the King County Library System, to the King County Council. The King County Council is hereby requested to call a special election in February 2010 according to RCW 29A.04.321 and cause notice of such election to be given as provided in RCW 29A.52.351. The purpose of the election shall be to submit to the qualified voters within the City of Renton a ballot proposition in substantially the following form:

PROPOSITION 1

Should the City of Renton be annexed to and be a part of the King County Library District?

Yes No

SECTION V. Annexation: If a majority of persons voting on the annexation proposal shall vote in favor of annexation, the City of Renton shall be annexed to and constitute a part of the King County Library System.

SECTION VI. Severability: If any section, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance shall be held to be invalid or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, such invalidity or unconstitutionality shall not affect the validity or constitutionality of any other section, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance.

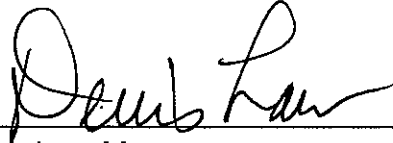
SECTION VII. This Ordinance shall be effective upon passage, approval and thirty (30) days after publication.

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL this 3rd day of August, 2009.

Bonnie I. Walton
Bonnie I. Walton, City Clerk

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APPROVED BY THE MAYOR this 3rd day of August, 2009.



Denis Law, Mayor

Approved as to form:



Lawrence J. Warren, City Attorney

Date of Publication: 8/7/2009 (summary)

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KING COUNTY RURAL LIBRARY DISTRICT BOARD OF TRUSTEES

RESOLUTION 2009-12

AUGUST 25, 2009

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

WHEREAS the City of Renton has passed an ordinance, which initiates the process for a special election to determine whether the City of Renton 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

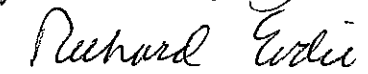
WHEREAS, the several steps to be taken to meet the boundary change requirements necessitate the taking of this action by the Library District.

NOW, THEREFORE, 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 Renton in its intent to annex to the King County Rural Library District.

ADOPTED by the Board of Trustees of the King County Rural Library District at an open, public, regular meeting thereof, notice of which was given to the extent required by law, held this 25th day of August, 2009.



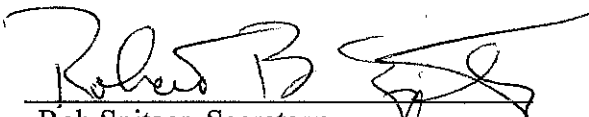
Jessica Bonebright, President



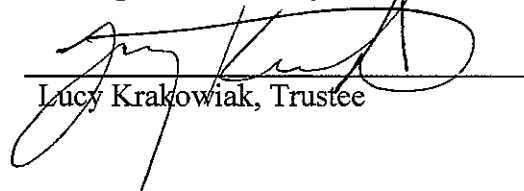
Richard Eadie, Trustee



Jim Wigfall, Trustee



Rob Spitzer, Secretary



Lucy Krakowiak, Trustee