#### OFFICIAL NOTICE OF SALE

# \$34,300,000(1)

# KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON LIMITED TAX GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS, 2017, SERIES B

Electronic bids for the Limited Tax General Obligation Bonds, 2017, Series B (the "Bonds"), of King County, Washington (the "County"), will be received via the PARITY Electronic Bidding System ("Parity") in the manner described below on

### JULY 24, 2017, AT 9:00 A.M., PACIFIC TIME

or at such later date or time as may be established by the Director (the "Finance Director") of the Finance and Business Operations Division of the King County Department of Executive Services and communicated through Parity and i-Deal Prospectus, as described under "Modification, Postponement, Cancellation." All bids received with respect to the Bonds will be considered by the Metropolitan King County Council (the "County Council") at its regularly scheduled meeting on the day bids are received. If the County accepts a bid for the Bonds, the Bonds will be awarded to the successful bidder and the terms of the bid will be approved by the County Council at such meeting.

The Bonds will be sold on an all-or-none basis. Bids for the Bonds must be submitted electronically via Parity in accordance with its Rules of Participation and this notice, and no bid received after the time for receiving bids specified above will be considered. For further information about Parity, potential bidders may contact Parity at (212) 849-5021.

## Modification, Postponement, Cancellation

Bidders are advised that the County may modify the terms of this Official Notice of Sale prior to the time for receipt of bids, or postpone or cancel the sale of the Bonds, at its discretion. Any such modification, postponement, or cancellation will be provided to Parity and i-Deal Prospectus on or before July 21, 2017. As an accommodation to bidders, telephone, facsimile, or electronic notice of such modification, postponement, or cancellation will be given to any bidder requesting such notice from the County's municipal advisor (the "Municipal Advisor") at the address and phone number provided under "Contact Information" below. Failure of any bidder to receive such notice will not affect the legality of the sale.

A copy of the County's Preliminary Official Statement (with this Official Notice of Sale), dated July 14, 2017, and further information regarding the details of the Bonds may be obtained from i-Deal Prospectus, a service of i-Deal LLC, at www.i-dealprospectus.com, or upon request to the Finance and Business Operations Division or the Municipal Advisor. See "Contact Information."

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<sup>(1)</sup> Preliminary, subject to change.

#### **Contact Information**

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Dan Gottlieb

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#### DESCRIPTION OF THE BONDS

The Bonds will be dated the date of their initial delivery (the "Issue Date"). The Bonds bear interest payable semiannually on each June 1 and December 1, beginning June 1, 2018, to the maturity of the Bonds. Interest will be calculated on the basis of a 360-day year consisting of twelve 30-day months. The Bonds will mature on the dates and in the amounts set forth on page i of the Preliminary Official Statement.

The Bonds are issuable only as fully registered bonds and, when issued, will be registered in the name of Cede & Co. as Bond owner and nominee for The Depository Trust Company ("DTC"). DTC will act as securities depository for the Bonds. Purchases of the Bonds will be made in book-entry form, in the denomination of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof. Purchasers will not receive certificates representing their interest in the Bonds purchased. The principal of and interest on the Bonds are payable by the fiscal agent for the State of Washington (currently U.S. Bank National Association) (the "Registrar"), to DTC, which in turn is obligated to remit such principal and interest to the DTC participants for subsequent disbursement to beneficial owners of the Bonds.

#### Maturities

The bidder for the Bonds will designate whether the principal amounts of the Bonds as set forth below will be retired on June 1 of each respective year as serial bonds maturing on such dates or as mandatory sinking fund redemptions of the Bonds maturing in the years specified by the bidder (the "Term Bonds").

Serial Maturity or Mandatory Sinking Fund Redemption (June 1)	Principal Amounts <sup>(1)</sup>	Serial Maturity or Mandatory Sinking Fund Redemption (June 1)	Principal Amounts <sup>(1)</sup>		
2018	\$ 2,950,000	2028	\$	290,000 (2)	
2019	3,605,000	2029		305,000 (2)	
2020	3,710,000	2030		320,000 (2)	
2021	3,845,000	2031		335,000 (2)	
2022	3,995,000	2032		355,000 (2)	
2023	4,175,000	2033		370,000 (2)	
2024	4,395,000	2034		390,000 (2)	
2025	1,690,000	2035		410,000 (2)	
2026	1,770,000	2036		430,000 (2)	
2027	505,000	2037		455,000 <sup>(2)</sup>	

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- (2) These amounts will constitute principal maturities of the Bonds unless Term Bonds are specified by the successful bidder, in which case these amounts may constitute mandatory sinking fund redemptions of the Term Bonds.

Term Bonds. If the successful bidder for the Bonds designates certain maturities as Term Bonds, the County will deposit money, consistent with the Ordinance (defined in the Preliminary Official Statement), and will retire the Term Bonds by purchase or redemption on June 1 in the years and amounts designated by the successful bidder to be mandatory sinking fund redemptions of the Term Bonds.

# Redemption of the Bonds

Optional Redemption. The County reserves the right to redeem outstanding Bonds maturing on or after June 1, 2028, in whole or in part, at any time on or after June 1, 2027, at the price of par plus accrued interest, if any, to the date fixed for redemption.

Mandatory Sinking Fund Redemption of Term Bonds. The County will redeem the Term Bonds, if not redeemed as described above or purchased under the provisions described in the Preliminary Official Statement under "Description of the Bonds—Mandatory Sinking Fund Redemption of Term Bonds," randomly (or in such manner as the Registrar determines), at the price of par plus accrued interest, on June 1 in the years and amounts specified by the successful bidder.

If the County redeems the Term Bonds under the optional redemption provisions described above or purchases or defeases the Term Bonds, the Term Bonds so redeemed, purchased, or defeased (irrespective of their redemption or purchase prices) will be credited at the par amount thereof against one or more scheduled mandatory redemption amounts for the Term Bonds. The County will determine the manner in which the credit is to be allocated. If no such determination is made, credit will be allocated on a pro rata basis.

#### **Purchase of Bonds**

The County has reserved the right and option to purchase any or all of the Bonds at any time at any price.

### Refunding or Defeasance of Bonds

The County may issue refunding obligations pursuant to the laws of the State or use money available from any other lawful source to pay when due the principal of and premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds, or any portion thereof included in a refunding or defeasance plan, and to redeem and retire, refund, or defease all or a portion of the then outstanding Bonds (the "Defeased Bonds"), and to pay the costs of the refunding or defeasance.

If money or noncallable Government Obligations (defined below) maturing at such time or times and bearing interest to be earned thereon in amounts (together with such money, if necessary) sufficient to redeem and retire, refund, or defease the Defeased Bonds in accordance with their terms are set aside in a special trust or escrow fund or account irrevocably pledged to that redemption, retirement, or defeasance of Defeased Bonds (the "Trust

Account"), then the Defeased Bonds will be deemed not to be outstanding under the Ordinance, no further payments need be made into the applicable redemption account for the payment of the principal of and interest on the Defeased Bonds, and the Owners of the Defeased Bonds will cease to be entitled to any covenant, pledge, benefit, or security of the Ordinance. The owners of Defeased Bonds will have the right to receive payment of the principal of and premium, if any, and interest on the Defeased Bonds from the Trust Account.

Notwithstanding the definition of Government Obligations in the Ordinance, Government Obligations is defined for the Bonds to mean direct obligations of or obligations the principal of and interest on which are unconditionally guaranteed by the United States of America.

#### Security

The Bonds are general obligations of the County. The County irrevocably covenants and agrees that, for as long as any of the Bonds are outstanding and unpaid, each year it will include in its budget and levy an *ad valorem* tax upon all the property within the County subject to taxation in an amount that will be sufficient, together with all other revenues and money of the County legally available for such purposes, to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds as the same will become due. The County irrevocably pledges that the annual tax to be levied for the payment of such principal and interest will be within and as a part of the tax levy permitted to counties without a vote of the people, and that a sufficient portion of the taxes to be levied and collected annually by the County prior to the full payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds will be and is irrevocably set aside, pledged, and appropriated for the payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds. The full faith, credit, and resources of the County are irrevocably pledged for the annual levy and collection of said taxes and for the prompt payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds as the same will become due.

The County always has made principal and interest payments on outstanding bonds and notes when due.

# BIDDING INFORMATION AND AWARD

# **Bidding Information**

Bidders are invited to submit bids for the purchase of the Bonds fixing the interest rate that the Bonds will bear. The interest rates bid for the Bonds must be in a multiple of 1/8 or 1/20 of 1%. No more than one rate of interest may be fixed for any single maturity of the Bonds. Bids will be without condition and may be submitted only electronically via Parity.

Bidders must specify interest rates equal to or greater than 4.00% for each maturity of the Bonds maturing on or after June 1, 2028. No bid will be considered for the Bonds that is less than an amount equal to 108% of the par value of the Bonds or more than an amount equal to 115% of the par value of the Bonds, or for less than the entire offering of the Bonds.

Bidders are requested to provide a list of any syndicate members with their bids or within 24 hours after submitting their bids. The County strongly encourages the inclusion of women and minority business enterprise firms in bidding syndicates.

# **Bidding Process**

By submitting an electronic bid for the Bonds, each bidder thereby agrees to the following terms and conditions:

- (i) If any provision in this Official Notice of Sale conflicts with information or terms provided or required by Parity, this Official Notice of Sale, including any modification or postponement communicated as described under "Modification, Postponement, Cancellation," will control.
- (ii) Bids may be submitted only via Parity. The bidder is solely responsible for making necessary arrangements to access Parity for purposes of submitting a bid timely and in compliance with the requirements of this Official Notice of Sale.

- (iii) The County has no duty or obligation to provide or assure access to Parity, and will not be responsible for the proper operation of Parity, or have any liability for any delays or interruptions or any damages caused by the use or attempted use of Parity.
- (iv) The County is using Parity as a communication mechanism, and not as an agent of the County.
- (v) Upon acceptance of a bid by the County, this Official Notice of Sale and the information that is electronically transmitted through Parity will form a contract between the bidder and the County.

If all bids the Bonds are rejected, the Finance Director may fix a new date and time for the receipt of bids by giving notice under the procedures as described under "Modification, Postponement, Cancellation" on or before the day prior to such new date and time.

#### Good Faith Deposit

The successful bidder for the Bonds is required to deliver a good faith deposit in the amount of \$350,000 by federal funds wire transfer to the Treasury Section of the Finance and Business Operations Division by no later than 90 minutes following the successful bidder's receipt of the verbal award. Wiring instructions will be provided to the successful bidder at the time of the verbal award.

The good faith deposit of the successful bidder for the Bonds will be retained by the County as security for the performance of such bid, and will be applied to the purchase price on the delivery of the Bonds to the successful bidder. Pending delivery of the Bonds, the good faith deposit for the Bonds may be invested for the sole benefit of the County.

If the Bonds are ready for delivery and the successful bidder fails to complete the purchase of the Bonds within 30 days following the acceptance of its bid, the applicable good faith deposit will be forfeited to the County, and, in that event, the County Council may accept the next best bid or call for additional proposals.

#### Insurance

Bids for the Bonds may not be conditioned upon obtaining insurance or any other credit enhancement. If the Bonds qualify for issuance of any policy of municipal bond insurance or commitment therefor at the option of a bidder, any purchase of such insurance or commitment therefor will be at the sole option and expense of the bidder and any increased costs of issuance of the Bonds resulting by reason of such insurance will be paid by the bidder, unless otherwise paid. Any failure of the Bonds to be so insured or of any such policy of insurance to be issued will not in any way relieve the successful bidder of its contractual obligations arising from the acceptance of its proposal for the purchase of the Bonds.

If the successful bidder for the Bonds purchases insurance for the Bonds, the County may require the successful bidder to furnish to the County and Bond Counsel a certificate in form and substance acceptable to Bond Counsel confirming that the insurance premium is less than the present value (calculated using the same yield as the yield on the insured Bonds) of the interest cost savings represented by the comparative differences between interest amounts that would have been payable on the various maturities of the insured Bonds at interest rates on the insured Bonds issued with and without the insurance on the insured Bonds.

#### Award

The Bonds will be sold to the bidder making a bid for the Bonds that conforms to the terms of the offering and that, on the basis of the lowest true interest cost, is the best bid. For the purpose of comparing bids only, each bid must state the true interest cost of the bid determined by doubling the semiannual interest rate (compounded semiannually) necessary to discount each debt service payment from the payment date to the date of the Bonds and to the price bid.

If there are two or more equal bids for the Bonds and those bids are the best bids received, the Finance Director will determine which bid will be presented to the County Council for its consideration. The County reserves the right to reject any or all bids submitted and to waive any formality in the bidding or bidding process. If all bids for an offering are rejected, the Bonds may be re-advertised for sale in the manner provided by law and as described above.

# Adjustment of Principal Amount and Bid Price After Bid Opening

The County has reserved the right to increase or decrease the preliminary principal amount of the Bonds by an amount not to exceed 10% of the principal amount of the Bonds following the opening of the bids for the Bonds. The County has also reserved the right to increase or decrease the preliminary principal amount of any maturity of the Bonds by 15% of the principal amount of that maturity.

The price bid by the successful bidder for the Bonds will be adjusted by the County on a proportionate basis to reflect an increase or decrease in the principal amount of the Bonds. In the event that the County elects to increase or decrease the principal amount of the Bonds after the bid pursuant to this Official Notice of Sale, the underwriter's discount for the Bonds, expressed in dollars per thousand, will be held constant. The County will not be responsible in the event and to the extent that any adjustment affects (i) the net compensation to be realized by the successful bidder, or (ii) the true interest cost of the winning bid or its ranking relative to other bids.

#### **Issue Price Information**

Competitive Sale. The County expects to determine the issue price of the Bonds under the special rule for competitive sales provided by Treasury Regulation Section 1.148-1(f)(3)(i) because the sale of the Bonds is expected to meet the following requirements (the "competitive sale requirements"):

- the County will disseminate this Official Notice of Sale to potential underwriters of municipal bonds in a manner that is reasonably designed to reach such potential underwriters;
- (ii) all bidders will have an equal opportunity to bid for the Bonds;
- (iii) the County will receive bids for the Bonds from at least three underwriters of municipal bonds who have established industry reputations for underwriting new issuances of municipal bonds; and
- (iv) the County will award the sale of the Bonds to the bidder who submits a bid in conformance with this Official Notice of Sale to purchase the Bonds at a price that produces the lowest true interest cost to the County, as set forth in this Official Notice of Sale under the heading "Award."

The winning bidder for the Bonds will be required to assist the County in establishing the issue price of the Bonds under the special rule for competitive sales by (i) providing to the Finance Director, in writing, immediately following the award of the sale of the Bonds to the winning bidder, the reasonably expected initial offering price to the public as of the sale date of each maturity of the Bonds on which the price bid by the winning bidder was based; and (ii) executing and delivering to the County on or before the Issue Date an issue price certificate setting forth for each maturity of the Bonds the reasonably expected initial offering price to the public as of the sale date on which the price bid by the winning bidder for the Bonds was based. The issue price certificate shall be substantially in the form of Exhibit 1 attached to this Official Notice of Sale, with such modifications as may be appropriate or necessary, in the reasonable judgment of the winning bidder, the County, and Bond Counsel.

Use of General Rule (10% Test) If Competitive Sale Requirements Not Met. If the County determines that the sale of the Bonds failed to meet the competitive sale requirements as previously described, the County will so advise the winning bidder for the Bonds, the bids for the Bonds will not be subject to cancellation by the winning bidder, and the County will determine the issue price for the Bonds on the basis of the first price at which a substantial amount (10%) of each maturity of the Bonds is sold to the public (the "10% test") under the general rule provided by Treasury Regulation Section 1.148-1(f)(2)(i). The County will not require the winning bidder to comply with the special "hold-the-offering-price rule" provided by Treasury Regulation Section 1.148-1(f)(2)(ii).

In this event, the winning bidder for the Bonds will be required to assist the County in establishing the issue price of the Bonds under the 10% test by:

- (i) providing to the Finance Director, in writing, immediately following the award of the sale of the Bonds to such winning bidder, the reasonably expected initial offering price to the public as of the sale date of each maturity of the Bonds on which the price bid by the winning bidder was based;
- (ii) advising the Finance Director, in writing, which maturities of the Bonds satisfy the 10% test as of the close of business on the next business day following the date of the award of the Bonds to the winning bidder and

- which maturities, if any, of the Bonds do not satisfy the 10% test as of the close of business on the next business day following the date of the award of the Bonds to the winning bidder ("undersold maturities");
- (iii) promptly reporting to the County the principal amounts of and prices at which undersold maturities of the Bonds are sold to the public until the earlier of the date on which the 10% test has been satisfied as to each maturity of the Bonds or the date on which all maturities of the Bonds have been sold to the public, whether or not the Issue Date has occurred; and
- (iv) delivering to the County on or before the Issue Date an issue price certificate substantially in the form of Exhibit 2 attached to this Official Notice of Sale, with such modifications as may be appropriate or necessary, in the reasonable judgment of the winning bidder, the County, and Bond Counsel.

## By submitting a bid, each bidder confirms that:

- (i) any agreement among underwriters, any selling group agreement, and each retail distribution agreement (to which the bidder is a party) relating to the initial sale of the Bonds to the public, together with the related pricing wires, contains or will contain language obligating each underwriter, each dealer who is a member of the selling group, and each broker-dealer that is a party to such retail distribution agreement, as applicable, to report the prices at which it sells to the public the unsold Bonds of each maturity allotted to it until it is notified by the winning bidder that either the 10% test has been satisfied as to the Bonds of that maturity or all Bonds of that maturity have been sold to the public, if and for so long as directed by the winning bidder and as set forth in the related pricing wires; and
- (ii) any agreement among underwriters relating to the initial sale of the Bonds to the public, together with the related pricing wires, contains or will contain language obligating each underwriter that is a party to a retail distribution agreement to be employed in connection with the initial sale of the Bonds to the public to require each broker-dealer that is a party to such retail distribution agreement to report the prices at which it sells to the public the unsold Bonds of each maturity allotted to it until it is notified by the winning bidder or such underwriter that either the 10% test has been satisfied as to the Bonds of that maturity or all Bonds of that maturity have been sold to the public, if and for so long as directed by the winning bidder or such underwriter and as set forth in the related pricing wires.

For the purpose of applying the 10% test, "public" means any person other than an underwriter or a related party to an underwriter, "related party" means any two or more persons who have greater than 50% common ownership, directly or indirectly, and "underwriter" means (i) the underwriter that is the winning bidder for the Bonds and any person that agrees pursuant to a written contract with the lead underwriter to form an underwriting syndicate to participate in the initial sale of the Bonds; and (ii) any person that agrees pursuant to a written contract directly or indirectly with a person described in clause (i) to participate in the initial sale of the Bonds to the public (including a member of a selling group or a party to a retail distribution agreement participating in the initial sale of the Bonds to the public).

## Delivery

The County will deliver the Bonds (consisting of one certificate per maturity) to DTC in New York, New York, or to the Registrar on behalf of DTC by Fast Automated Securities Transfer, prior to the date of closing. Closing will occur within 30 days after the Sale Date. Settlement will be in federal funds available in Seattle, Washington, on the date of issue of the Bonds (the "Date of Issue"). Delivery is expected to be August 10, 2017.

If, prior to the delivery of the Bonds, the interest receivable by the owners of the Bonds becomes includable in gross income for federal income tax purposes, or becomes subject to federal income tax other than as described in the Preliminary Official Statement, the successful bidder, at its option, may be relieved of its obligation to purchase the Bonds, and in that case the good faith deposit accompanying its bid will be returned without interest.

# Legal Matters

The Purchaser of the Bonds will be provided with the approving legal opinion of Hillis Clark Martin & Peterson P.S., Seattle, Washington, Bond Counsel, at the time of the delivery of the Bonds. A no-litigation certificate will be included in the closing papers of the Bonds.

#### **CUSIP Numbers**

It is anticipated that CUSIP identification numbers will be printed on the Bonds, but neither the failure to print such numbers on the Bonds nor any error with respect thereto will constitute cause for a failure or refusal by the successful bidder for the Bonds to accept delivery of and pay for the Bonds in accordance with the terms of this Official Notice of Sale.

The successful bidder for the Bonds is responsible for obtaining CUSIP numbers for the Bonds. The charge of the CUSIP Service Bureau will be paid by the successful bidder.

#### OTHER INFORMATION

#### **Ongoing Disclosure Undertaking**

To assist bidders in complying with paragraph (b)(5) of Rule 15c2-12, the County will undertake to provide certain annual financial information and notices of the occurrence of certain events. A description of this undertaking is set forth in the Preliminary Official Statement under "Legal and Tax Information—Continuing Disclosure Undertaking" and will also be set forth in the final Official Statement.

#### **Preliminary Official Statement**

The Preliminary Official Statement is in a form that the County has deemed final for the purpose of paragraph (b)(1) of Rule 15c2-12, but is subject to revision, amendment, and completion in a final Official Statement, which the County will deliver, at the County's expense, to the Purchaser of the Bonds through its designated representative not later than seven business days after the County's acceptance of the Purchaser's bid, in sufficient quantities to permit the Purchaser to comply with Rule 15c2-12.

By submitting the successful proposal, the Purchaser of the Bonds agrees:

- (i) to provide to the Finance and Business Operations Division, in writing, within 24 hours after the acceptance of the bid, pricing and other related information, including the Initial Reoffering Price of each maturity of the Bonds, necessary for completion of the final Official Statement;
- (ii) to disseminate to all members of the underwriting syndicate, if any, copies of the final Official Statement, including any amendments or supplements prepared by the County;
- (iii) to take any and all actions necessary to comply with applicable rules of the SEC and the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board ("MSRB") governing the offering, sale, and delivery of the Bonds to the ultimate purchasers, including the delivery of a final Official Statement to each investor who purchases the Bonds; and
- (iv) to file the final Official Statement or cause it to be filed with the MSRB within one business day following its receipt from the County.

# Official Statement

At closing, the County will furnish a certificate of an official or officials of the County, stating that, to the best knowledge of such official(s), as of the date of the Official Statement and as of the Date of Issue of the Bonds:

- (i) the information (including financial information) regarding the County contained in the Official Statement was and is true and correct in all material respects and did not and does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit any statement or information which is necessary to make the statements therein, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading (however, the County will make no representation regarding Bond Counsel's forms of opinion or the information provided by DTC, U.S. Bank National Association, the Purchaser of the Bonds, or any entity providing bond insurance or other credit facility); and
- (ii) the descriptions and statements, including financial data, of or pertaining to other bodies and their activities contained in the Official Statement have been obtained from sources that the County believes to be reliable and the County has no reason to believe that they are untrue in any material respect.

Divided at Scattle, Washington, this 14th day	or July, 2017.
Ву:	/s/ Ken Guy
	Ken Guy
	Director of Finance and Business Operations Division
	Department of Executive Services

# OFFICIAL NOTICE OF SALE—EXHIBIT 1 FORM OF ISSUE PRICE CERTIFICATE—COMPETITIVE SALE

# \$34,300,000(1)

# KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON LIMITED TAX GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS, 2017, SERIES B ISSUE PRICE CERTIFICATE

The undersigned, on behalf of	(the	"Underwriter"), he	ereby	certifies :	as set	forth	below v	vith	respect
to the sale of the above-captioned obligations (	the "	Bonds").	•						p

#### **Defined Terms**

- (i) Maturity means Bonds having the same maturity date and credit and payment terms.
- (ii) Public means any person other than an Underwriter or a related party to an Underwriter. The term "related party" for purposes of this certificate generally means any two or more persons who have greater than 50% common ownership, directly or indirectly.
- (iii) Sale Date means July 24, 2017, the date on which the sale of the Bonds was awarded to the Underwriter pursuant to its bid.
- (iv) Underwriter means (a) the Underwriter, as the winning bidder to purchase the Bonds and any person that agrees pursuant to a written contract with the Underwriter as the lead underwriter to form an underwriting syndicate to participate in the initial sale of the Bonds to the Public, and (b) any person that agrees pursuant to a written contract directly or indirectly with a person described in clause (a) of this paragraph to participate in the initial sale of the Bonds to the Public (including a member of a selling group or a party to a retail distribution agreement participating in the initial sale of the Bonds to the Public).

# Reasonably Expected Initial Offering Price

- (i) As of the Sale Date, the reasonably expected initial offering prices of the Bonds to the Public by the Underwriter are the prices listed in Schedule A (the "Expected Offering Prices"). The Expected Offering Prices are the prices for the Maturities of the Bonds used by the Underwriter in formulating its bid to purchase the Bonds. Attached as Schedule B is a true and correct copy of the bid provided by the Underwriter to purchase the Bonds.
- (ii) The Underwriter was not given the opportunity to review other bids prior to submitting its bid.
- (iii) The bid submitted by the Underwriter constituted a firm offer to purchase the Bonds.

The representations set forth in this certificate are limited to factual matters only. Nothing in this certificate represents the Underwriter's interpretation of any laws, including specifically Sections 103 and 148 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, and the Treasury Regulations thereunder. The undersigned understands that the foregoing information will be relied upon by the County with respect to certain of the representations set forth in the Tax Certificate and with respect to compliance with the federal income tax rules affecting the Bonds, and by Bond Counsel in connection with rendering its opinion that the interest on the Bonds is excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes, the preparation of the Internal Revenue Service Form 8038-G, and other federal income tax advice that it may provide to the County from time to time relating to the Bonds.

	[UNDERWRITER]
Ву:	
Name:	

<sup>(1)</sup> Preliminary, subject to change.

# OFFICIAL NOTICE OF SALE—EXHIBIT 2 FORM OF ISSUE PRICE CERTIFICATE—GENERAL RULE (10% TEST)

# \$34,300,000(1)

# KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON LIMITED TAX GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS, 2017, SERIES B ISSUE PRICE CERTIFICATE

The undersigned, on behalf of	_ (the "Underwriter"), hereby	certifies	as	set	forth	below	with
respect to the sale and issuance of the above-captioned obligations (the "Bonds").							

#### **Defined Terms**

- (i) Maturity means Bonds having the same maturity date and credit and payment terms.
- (ii) Public means any person other than an Underwriter or a related party to an Underwriter. The term "related party" for purposes of this certificate generally means any two or more persons who have greater than 50% common ownership, directly or indirectly.
- (iii) [Undersold Maturity means any Maturity at least 10% of which has not been sold to the Public at the same price.
- (iv)] Underwriter means (a) the Underwriter as the winning bidder to purchase the Bonds and any person that agrees pursuant to a written contract with the Underwriter as the lead underwriter to form an underwriting syndicate to participate in the initial sale of the Bonds to the Public, and (b) any person that agrees pursuant to a written contract directly or indirectly with a person described in clause (a) of this paragraph to participate in the initial sale of the Bonds to the Public (including a member of a selling group or a party to a retail distribution agreement participating in the initial sale of the Bonds to the Public).

## Sale of the Bonds

(i) As of the date of this certificate, for each Maturity of the Bonds listed below, the first price at which at least 10% of each such Maturity of the Bonds was sold to the Public is its respective price listed below.

<sup>(1)</sup> Preliminary, subject to change.

Maturity	Principal Amount (\$)	Interest Rate (%)	First Sale Price of at Least 10% (% of Par)	Expected Offering Price (% of Par)	Total Dollar Price Based on Lower of Sale Price or Offer Price (\$)
2018					
2019					
2020					
2021					
2022					
2023					
2024					
2025					
2026					
2027					
2028					
2029					
2030					
2031					
2032					
2033					
2034					
2035					
2036					
2037					
Total				7	

[(ii) As of the date of this certificate, the Maturities of the Bonds listed below are Undersold Maturities.

# [INSERT SCHEDULE OF UNDERSOLD MATURITIES]

The Underwriter will promptly report to the County the prices at which the Undersold Maturities of the Bonds are sold to the Public until the earlier of the date on which the 10% test has been satisfied as to each Undersold Maturity of the Bonds or the date on which all Undersold Maturities of the Bonds have been sold to the Public.]

The representations set forth in this certificate are limited to factual matters only. Nothing in this certificate represents the Underwriter's interpretation of any laws, including specifically Sections 103 and 148 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, and the Treasury Regulations thereunder. The undersigned understands that the foregoing information will be relied upon by the County with respect to certain of the representations set forth in the Tax Certificate and with respect to compliance with the federal income tax rules affecting the Bonds, and by Bond Counsel in connection with rendering its opinion that the interest on the Bonds is excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes, the preparation of the Internal Revenue Service Form 8038-G, and other federal income tax advice that it may provide to the County from time to time relating to the Bonds.

		[UNDERWRITER]	
	Ву:		
	Name:		
Dated: [ISSUE DATE]			