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The Honorable Dave Upthegrove

Chair, King County Council

Room 1200

C O U R T H O U S E

Dear Councilmember Upthegrove:

This letter transmits a proposed Motion confirming the reappointment of Laurie Benson, who resides in council district eight, to the King County Rural Forest Commission, for the remainder of a three-year term expiring September 30, 2025. With this reappointment, Ms. Benson will switch positions on the board, from the WA State DNR representative to an at-large representative.

Ms. Benson's application, financial disclosure, board profile, and reappointment letter are enclosed to serve as supporting and background information to assist the Council in considering confirmation.

Thank you for your consideration of the proposed legislation. If you have any questions about this reappointment, please have your staff call Rick Ybarra, Boards & Commissions Liaison, at 206-263-9651.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures

cc: King County Councilmembers

ATTN: Stephanie Cirkovich, Chief of Staff

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Laurie Benson