



**King County
Meeting Proceedings**

1200 King County Courthouse
516 Third Avenue
Seattle, WA 98104

Law, Justice and Human Services Committee

Councilmembers: Larry Gossett, Chair; Kathy Lambert, Vice Chair; Carolyn Edmonds, Dwight Pelz, Rob McKenna, Dow Constantine

Staff: Doug Stevenson (296-1631), Lead Staff Analyst; Clifton Curry (296-0358), Analyst; Gennevie Cook, Committee Assistant (205-5079)

Room 1001

May 30, 2002

1:30 PM

SPECIAL MEETING

Call to Order

The Law, Justice and Human Services Committee special meeting was called to order at 1:45 p.m. in the Metropolitan King County Courthouse Council Chambers, 10th Floor, by Chair Larry Gossett.

Roll Call

Present: Mr. Gossett, Ms. Edmonds, Mr. Pelz, Mr. McKenna, Mr. Constantine and Mr. Pullen
Excused: Ms. Lambert

1. Approval of Minutes of May 16, 2002

A motion was made by Councilmember Edmonds to approve the meeting minutes of May 16, 2002 as presented. The motion passed.

Discussion and Possible Action

2. [Proposed Substitute Ordinance No. 2002-0163.2](#)

Mr. Gossett

AN ORDINANCE implementing the district court redistricting committee's amendment to the districting plan for the 2002 general election and amending the district court plan to reduce the number of electoral divisions from nine to three beginning January 6, 2003; amending Ordinance 9282, Section 1, as amended, and K.C.C. 2.68.010, Ordinance 4549, Section 3, as amended, and K.C.C. 2.68.020, Ordinance 8935, Section 3, and K.C.C. 2.68.060, Ordinance 8935, Section 4, as amended, and K.C.C. 2.68.070, Ordinance 9427, Section 7, as amended, and K.C.C. 2.68.078, Ordinance 10476, Section 2, as amended, and K.C.C. 2.68.085, Ordinance 8935, Section 4, as amended, and K.C.C. 2.68.070, Ordinance 9427, Section 7, as amended, and K.C.C. 2.68.078 and Ordinance 10476, Section 2, as amended, and K.C.C. 2.68.085, recodifying K.C.C. 2.68.060 and decodifying K.C.C. 2.68.050 and K.C.C. 2.68.300.

Clif Curry, Council Staff, briefed and answered questions from the Committee.

The Honorable Brian Gain, King County Superior Court Presiding Judge and Chair, King County District Court Redistricting Committee, answered questions from the Committee.

A motion was made by Councilmember McKenna to adopt amendment #4. The motion failed 2-4 with Councilmembers Constantine, Pelz, Edmonds and Gossett voting no and Councilmember Lambert excused.

A motion was made by Councilmember Edmonds to adopt amendment #5. The motion passed 4-2 with Councilmembers Pullen and McKenna voting no and Councilmember Lambert excused.

A motion was made by Councilmember Edmonds to adopt a title amendment. The motion passed 4-0 with Councilmember Lambert excused.

A motion was made by Ms. Edmonds that this matter be Recommended Do Pass Substitute. The motion carried by the following vote:

Votes: Yes: 4 - Mr. Gossett, Ms. Edmonds, Mr. Pelz and Mr. Constantine
No: 2 - Mr. McKenna and Mr. Pullen
Excused: 1 - Ms. Lambert

3. **Proposed Ordinance No. 2002-0164**

Mr. Gossett

AN ORDINANCE consolidating the number of district court districts from nine to three and making technical corrections to the districting plan; amending Ordinance 9282, Section 1, and K.C.C. 2.68.010, Ordinance 4549, Section 3, and K.C.C. 2.68.020, Ordinance 8935, Section 3, and K.C.C. 2.68.060, Ordinance 8935, Section 4, as amended, and K.C.C. 2.68.070, Ordinance 8935, Section 5, as amended, and K.C.C. 2.68.075, Ordinance 9427, Section 7, as amended, and K.C.C. 2.68.078 and Ordinance 10476, Section 2, as amended, and K.C.C. 2.68.085, adding a new section to K.C.C. chapter 2.68, recodifying K.C.C. 2.68.060 and decodifying K.C.C. 2.68.050 and 2.68.300.

Clif Curry, Council Staff, briefed and answered questions from the Committee.

Deferred

Adjournment

There being no further business to come before the Committee, the meeting adjourned at 2:28 p.m.

Approved this _____ day of _____.

Clerk's Signature