



KING COUNTY

1200 King County Courthouse
516 Third Avenue
Seattle, WA 98104

Signature Report

November 15, 2005

Motion 12221

Proposed No. 2005-0462.1

Sponsors Edmonds, Constantine, Lambert,
Phillips, Dunn and Hague

1 A MOTION authorizing the chair of the council to extend
2 the contract for services with the Ferguson Group to
3 represent the county during the United States 109th
4 Congress, 2nd session.

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7 WHEREAS, the county is a subdivision of the state of Washington, and
8 WHEREAS, the county's services, operations and finances are to a significant
9 extent controlled by the actions of the state and federal governments, and

10 WHEREAS, the actions of the United States Congress affect the county's
11 services, operations and finances, and

12 WHEREAS, the grants, proposals and actions of the federal executive branch
13 affect the delivery of services to the citizens of King County, and

14 WHEREAS, the attack on the United States of September 11, 2001, and the
15 subsequent efforts against terrorism have resulted in added expenses and demands on the
16 taxpayers of King County, and

17 WHEREAS, it is in the interest of the residents of the county for the county to
18 have representation during the United States 109th Congress, 2nd session, on a broad
19 range of complex issues, and

20 WHEREAS, the Ferguson Group has successfully met and exceeded every
21 contractual requirement within the original contract with the county, and

22 WHEREAS, the Ferguson Group would provide the high level of expertise
23 needed to represent the county during the United States 109th Congress, 2nd session, and

24 WHEREAS, Motion 10651, Section III, as amended, and OR 1-020 requires the
25 council to authorize the council chair to sign contracts in excess of twenty-five thousand
26 dollars;

27 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT MOVED by the Council of King County:

28 The chair of the metropolitan King County council is hereby authorized to extend
29 the contract with the Ferguson Group in an amount not to exceed two hundred and forty-
30 nine thousand dollars, for the following services:

31 A. Representing the county before and monitoring actions by the United States
32 109th Congress, 2nd session, and the federal administration, and

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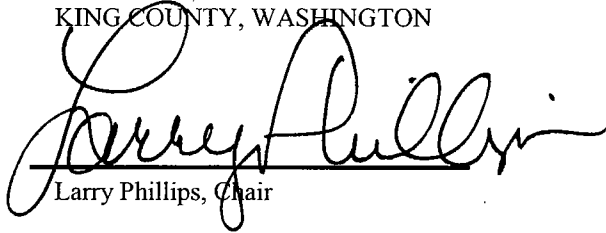
33 B. Advocating on the county's behalf on policy issues including but not limited to
34 those contained in the county's adopted federal agenda.

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Motion 12221 was introduced on 10/31/2005 and passed by the Metropolitan King
County Council on 11/14/2005, by the following vote:

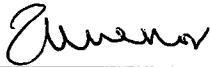
Yes: 12 - Mr. Phillips, Ms. Edmonds, Mr. von Reichbauer, Ms. Lambert, Mr.
Pelz, Mr. Dunn, Mr. Ferguson, Mr. Hammond, Mr. Gossett, Ms. Hague, Ms.
Patterson and Mr. Constantine
No: 0
Excused: 1 - Mr. Irons

KING COUNTY COUNCIL
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON



Larry Phillips, Chair

ATTEST:



Anne Noris, Clerk of the Council

Attachments None