



King County
Meeting Agenda

1200 King County Courthouse
516 Third Avenue
Seattle, WA 98104

**Growth Management and Natural Resources
Committee**

*Councilmembers: Larry Phillips, Chair; Jane Hague, Vice Chair;
Dow Constantine, Reagan Dunn, Larry Gossett*

*Staff: Mike Reed (296-1627), Lead Analyst; Ricardo Bautista (296-0329), Analyst;
Marilyn Cope (296-1671), Analyst; Jennifer Giambattista (296-1646), Analyst*

Janice Mansfield (296-1683), Committee Assistant

Room 1001

April 17, 2007

9:30 AM

**Joint Meeting With Operating Budget, Fiscal Management and Mental
Health Committee**

Call to Order

Roll Call

Briefing

1. **[Briefing No. 2007-B0088](#)**

2008 Proposed Parks Levy Discussion

Marilyn Cope and Susan Neely, Council Staff

**The joint meeting with the Operating Budget, Fiscal Management & Mental Health Committee will conclude and the meeting of Growth Management and Natural Resources Committee will continue for the purpose of completion of the regular agenda.*

2. **Approval of Minutes**

Minutes of April 10, 2007

Discussion and Possible Action

Consent Calendar

3. **[Proposed Motion No. 2006-0508](#)**

Mr. Dunn

A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of Edie Jorgensen, who resides in council district nine, to the King County Issaquah creek valley groundwater protection committee, as an unincorporated area council representative.

Mike Reed, Council Staff



Sign language and communication material in alternate formats can be arranged given sufficient notice (296-1000).

TDD Number 296-1024.

ASSISTIVE LISTENING DEVICES AVAILABLE IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS.



4. [Proposed Motion No. 2006-0541](#) Ms. Hague and Mr. Phillips

A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of Michael Johnson, who resides in council district six, to the King County Redmond Bear Creek groundwater protection committee, serving as the chamber of commerce representative.

Mike Reed, Council Staff

5. [Proposed Motion No. 2006-0544](#) Ms. Lambert

A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of Don West, who resides in council district three, to the King County Redmond Bear Creek groundwater protection committee, serving as the sewer and water utilities representative, position 2.

Mike Reed, Council Staff

Discussion and Possible Action**6. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2007-0224](#) Mr. Phillips**

AN ORDINANCE providing for the submission to the qualified electors of King County at a special election to be held in King County on August 21, 2007, of a proposition authorizing a property tax levy in excess of the levy limitation contained in chapter 84.55 RCW, for a period of six consecutive years, at a total rate of not more than \$0.07 per one thousand dollars of assessed valuation in the first year with annual increases in the levy amount by the percentage change in the consumer price index in years two through six, for the purpose of providing funds to enable the continued and increased operation, maintenance and capital programs supporting King County's regional and rural parks and recreation facilities and programs.

Marilyn Cope, Council Staff

7. [Proposed Ordinance No. 2007-0225](#) Mr. Phillips

AN ORDINANCE providing for the submission to the qualified electors of King County at a special election to be held in King County on August 21, 2007, of a proposition authorizing a property tax levy in excess of the levy limitation contained in chapter 84.55 RCW, for a period of six consecutive years, at a total rate of not more than \$0.05 per one thousand dollars of assessed valuation in the first year with annual increases in the levy amount by the percentage change in the consumer price index in years two through six, for the purpose of providing funds to King County, Seattle and suburban cities for trail and open space acquisitions, and for the purpose of providing funds to the Woodland Park Zoo for green space acquisitions, environmental education and conservation programs.

Marilyn Cope, Council Staff

8. Proposed Ordinance No. 2007-0241**Mr. Gossett**

AN ORDINANCE providing for the submission to the qualified electors of King County at a special election to be held on August 21, 2007, of a proposition to protect the public's investment in parks by authorizing a regular property tax levy in excess of the limitations contained in chapter 84.55 RCW, for a consecutive six-year period at a rate of not more than \$0.05 per one thousand dollars of assessed valuation in the first year and using the consumer price index to establish the limit factor for the levy in years two through six, for the purpose of providing funding to enable the continued and increased maintenance of King County park and recreation facilities, and community-based recreation programs; providing for potential resubmission of the proposition to the qualified electors of King County at the special election held in conjunction with the general election on November 6, 2007 should this measure be rejected by the qualified electors of King County at the August 21, 2007 election; and providing for other related matters.

Marilyn Cope, Council Staff

9. Proposed Ordinance No. 2007-0242**Mr. Gossett**

AN ORDINANCE providing for the submission to the qualified electors of King County at a special election to be held on August 21, 2007, of a proposition to fund acquisition and development of regional parks and open space by authorizing a regular property tax levy in excess of the limitations contained in chapter 84.55 RCW, for a consecutive six-year period at a rate of not more than \$0.05 per one thousand dollars of assessed valuation in the first year and using the consumer price index to establish the limit factor for the levy in years two through six, for the purpose of expanding parks and recreation opportunities through the acquisition of open space and regional trails, and increased education programs and facilities at Woodland Park Zoo; and providing for other related matters.

Marilyn Cope, Council Staff

10. Proposed Ordinance No. 2007-0169**Ms. Lambert**

AN ORDINANCE relating to implementing a recommendation from the 2005 rural economic strategies report; and amending Ordinance 10870, Section 332, as amended, and K.C.C. 21A.08.050.

Rick Bautista, Council Staff

Other Business**Adjournment**