



KING COUNTY

1200 King County Courthouse
516 Third Avenue
Seattle, WA 98104

Signature Report

August 31, 2009

Motion 13051

Proposed No. 2009-0451.2

Sponsors Lambert, Dunn and Phillips

1 A MOTION requesting the executive to develop a plan to
2 reduce the number of paper forms used in King County
3 government and increase the number of electronic forms.
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5 WHEREAS, paper forms are used throughout King County government by
6 employees and citizens, and

7 WHEREAS, the use of paper forms can be inefficient, costly and environmentally
8 harmful, and

9 WHEREAS, technology is now available to allow the secure use of electronic
10 forms for county business, and

11 WHEREAS, the county does not currently have a plan to: evaluate the business
12 need for existing paper forms; identify operational efficiencies if fewer or no paper forms
13 were used; develop a business plan to reduce or eliminate paper forms with funding
14 options; or create a work program for migrating operations to electronic forms;

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

16 A. The executive is requested to prepare a plan for reducing the number of paper
17 forms and replacing those forms with electronic forms. The plan shall estimate the

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18 number of paper forms currently in use in the county and set targets for reducing the
19 number of paper forms.

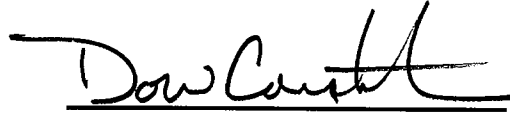
20 B. The executive is requested to electronically file with the clerk of the council
21 by April 30, 2010, a plan for reducing the number of paper forms. The executive shall
22 also email the plan to all councilmembers and the lead staff of the government
23 accountability and oversight committee, or its successor.

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Motion 13051 was introduced on 7/20/2009 and passed by the Metropolitan King County Council on 8/31/2009, by the following vote:

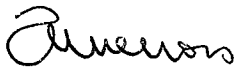
Yes: 8 - Mr. Constantine, Mr. Ferguson, Ms. Hague, Ms. Lambert, Mr. von Reichbauer, Mr. Gossett, Mr. Phillips and Ms. Patterson
No: 0
Excused: 1 - Mr. Dunn

KING COUNTY COUNCIL
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON



Dow Constantine, Chair

ATTEST:



Anne Noris, Clerk of the Council

Attachments None