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reside in unincorporated King County.

## KING COUNTY

1200 King County Courthouse 516 Third Avenue Seattle, WA 98104

## **Signature Report**

June 23, 2003

## Ordinance 14688

**Sponsors** Patterson and Lambert

1 AN ORDINANCE increasing the size of the King County 2 commission on governance; and amending Ordinance 3 14514, Section 3. 4 5 6 BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY: 7 SECTION 1. Ordinance 14514, Section 3, is hereby amended to read as follows: 8 A. The commission shall consist of ((nine)) eleven voting members. The 9 members shall be appointed by the executive from nominations submitted by a selection 10 committee consisting solely of the county executive, the chair of the council, the 11 prosecuting attorney and the presiding judge of the superior court. The selection 12 committee shall reach consensus on all nominations to the commission. The 13 appointments shall be subject to confirmation by the council. 14 B. When making nominations to the commission, the selection committee shall

appoint at least one member from academia and higher education, one member from

organized labor ((and)), one member from business and industry and two members who

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18	C. When making the remaining nominations to the commission, the selection
19	committee should consider candidates representing the following categories of
20	professional experience: accounting and finance; law, criminal justice and law
21	enforcement; academia and higher education; municipal government; public
22	transportation; roads and freight mobility; organized labor; the clergy; business and
23	industry; real estate and land use; social and human services; and environmental
24	conservation. The selection committee should also consider candidates representing
25	different geographic areas within the county, racial and ethnic backgrounds and gender.
26	D. All appointees should have:
27	1. Either or both a working knowledge of local government operations and
28	financing, or significant experience in one or more of the professional categories listed in
29	subsections B and C of this section;
30	2. A strong commitment to responsible, effective and efficient government in
31	King County;
32	3. An ability to work with differing viewpoints to find solutions to complex
33	problems; and
34	4. A willingness to commit the time necessary to attend commission meetings
35	and activities.
36	E. No appointee shall hold or be a candidate for elected office while serving on
37	the commission.
38	F. The selection committee shall submit all nominations to the executive and the

executive shall transmit to the council the appointments to the commission, including

40 names and contact information of the ((nine)) eleven commission members((, by 41 December 6, 2002)). 42 Ordinance 14688 was introduced on 6/16/2003 and passed by the Metropolitan King County Council on 6/23/2003, by the following vote: Yes: 13 - Ms. Sullivan, Ms. Edmonds, Mr. von Reichbauer, Ms. Lambert, Mr. Phillips, Mr. Pelz, Mr. McKenna, Mr. Constantine, Mr. Hammond, Mr. Gossett, Ms. Hague, Mr. Irons and Ms. Patterson No: 0 Excused: 0 KING COUNTY COUNCIL KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON Cynthia Sullivan, Chair ATTEST: Anne Noris, Clerk of the Council

Attachments None

Ron Sims, County Executive