



KING COUNTY

1200 King County Courthouse
516 Third Avenue
Seattle, WA 98104

Signature Report

September 20, 2016

Motion 14737

Proposed No. 2016-0440.1

Sponsors McDermott

1 A MOTION appointing Gregory J. Beardsley, who resides
2 in council district eight, to a term of four years on the
3 Vashon Island ferry advisory committee.

4 WHEREAS, RCW 47.60.310 provides for the appointment of ferry advisory
5 committees to express to the management of Washington state ferries the views of local
6 community groups regarding the service provided by the state ferry system and any
7 problems being experienced within the area served by the ferry system, and

8 WHEREAS, RCW 47.60.310 provides for Vashon Island to have a ferry advisory
9 committee consisting of three members appointed by the Vashon/Maury Island
10 community council to serve staggered four-year terms, and

11 WHEREAS, RCW 47.60.310 provides that if the Vashon/Maury Island
12 community council fails to appoint a qualified person to fill a vacancy on the Vashon
13 ferry advisory committee within ninety days after the vacancy occurs, the legislative
14 authority of King County, which is the King County council, shall appoint a qualified
15 person to fill the vacancy, and

16 WHEREAS, the Vashon/Maury Island community council is no longer operating
17 and is listed in the Washington state records of nonprofit corporations as having been
18 inactive since September 2013, and its records, if they still exist, cannot be located, and

19 WHEREAS, Gregory J. Beardsley has lived for more than thirty years in a home
20 on Vashon Island that is about a twelve-minute drive from the ferry terminal and for
21 more than forty years has been a frequent user of the ferries serving Vashon Island, and

22 WHEREAS, Gregory J. Beardsley was appointed and subsequently reappointed to
23 the Vashon ferry advisory committee by the Vashon/Maury Island community council
24 and believes, though he is not certain, that his most recent appointment was more than
25 four years ago, that his term expired more than ninety days ago, and that no one has been
26 appointed to replace him on the committee, and

27 WHEREAS, in reference to the statutory requirement in RCW 47.60.310 that "not
28 more than two members of any terminal-area committee may be from the same political
29 party at the time of their appointment," Gregory J. Beardsley does not consider himself to
30 be from any political party, and

31 WHEREAS, Gregory J. Beardsley would like to be reappointed to the Vashon
32 ferry advisory committee so that the Vashon Island community will have a means of
33 expressing its views to the management of Washington state ferries about the ferry
34 service that is being provided to the community;

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

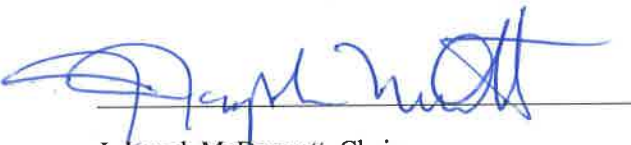
36 Gregory J. Beardsley, who resides on Vashon Island, which is in council district

37 eight, is hereby reappointed to the Vashon ferry advisory committee to a four-year term
38 to expire on June 30, 2020.
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Motion 14737 was introduced on 9/6/2016 and passed by the Metropolitan King
County Council on 9/19/2016, by the following vote:

Yes: 9 - Mr. von Reichbauer, Mr. Gossett, Ms. Lambert, Mr. Dunn,
Mr. McDermott, Mr. Dembowski, Mr. Upthegrove, Ms. Kohl-Welles
and Ms. Balducci
No: 0
Excused: 0

KING COUNTY COUNCIL
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON


J. Joseph McDermott, Chair

ATTEST:



Anne Noris, Clerk of the Council

Attachments: None