

KING COUNTY

1200 King County Courthouse 516 Third Avenue Seattle, WA 98104

Signature Report

November 17, 2003

Ordinance 14794

Proposed No. 2003-0469.2

Sponsors Phillips

AN ORDINANCE relating to the county property tax
levies for collection in 2004, and implementing RCW
84.55.120.

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SECTION 1. The council is under an obligation by charter to enact revenue measures that support the budget appropriation ordinance by December 1, 2003, for the 2004 budget. This ordinance sets the amount of property tax to be collected for the regular property tax levy, the road district levy, the conservation futures levy and the emergency medical services levy. In accordance with RCW 84.55.120, the council has given proper notice of this ordinance to the public.

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SECTION 2. For collection of the property tax levies in 2004, the council hereby authorizes property tax increases over the amounts authorized for collection in 2003 as follows:

	Estimated		Estimated
Levy	Dollar Increase	% Increase	Total Levy
Regular	\$13,874,223	5.38%	\$271,533,943

Road District	\$3,573,297	6%	\$63,128,243
Emergency Medical Services	\$539,215	1%	\$54,460,701
Conservation Futures	\$134,779	1%	\$13,612,655

The increases shown above are exclusive of any amounts resulting from new construction valued in 2003, any increases in value of state-assessed property for 2003 and any amounts necessary to fund tax refunds paid in 2003. The increase in the regular levy includes an estimated \$11,297,625 (exclusive of new construction) to be levied in accordance with a voter-approved lid lift for parks and recreation purposes.

Attachments

None

20 SECTION 3. Upon enactment, the clerk is directed to forward this ordinance to the assessor in accordance with RCW 84.52.070. 21 22 Ordinance 14794 was introduced on 10/20/2003 and passed by the Metropolitan King County Council on 11/17/2003, by the following vote: Yes: 12 - Ms. Sullivan, Ms. Edmonds, Mr. von Reichbauer, Ms. Lambert, Mr. Phillips, Mr. Pelz, Mr. McKenna, Mr. Gossett, Ms. Hague, Mr. Irons, Ms. Patterson and Mr. Constantine No: 1 - Mr. Hammond Excused: 0 KING COUNTY COUNCIL KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON Zynthia Sullivan, Chair ATTEST: Anne Noris, Clerk of the Council APPROVED this 25 day of November 2003. Ron Sims, County Executive