King County

KING COUNTY

1200 King County Courthouse 516 Third Avenue Seattle, WA 98104

Signature Report

February 11, 2013

Motion 13834

	Proposed No. 2013-0096.1 Sponsors Hague
1	A MOTION confirming the executive's appointment of
2	Jane Hague, Larry Phillips, Kathy Lambert, Dow
3	Constantine, John Marchione, Joan McBride, Dave Namura
4	and Joni Earl to the Eastside Rail Corridor regional
5	advisory council.
6	WHEREAS, the Eastside Rail Corridor ("ERC") is a forty-two-mile corridor that
7	extends from Renton to Snohomish and from Woodinville to Redmond, and
8	WHEREAS, the ERC creates a direct contiguous land use and transportation
9	connection through the communities of Renton, Bellevue, Kirkland, Redmond,
10	Woodinville, Snohomish county and King County, and
11	WHEREAS, Puget Sound Energy, Sound Transit, Redmond and King County are
12	parties to a November 5, 2009, memorandum of understanding regarding the ERC,
13	wherein the goal of dual usage for transportation and recreation was a guiding principle,
14	and
15	WHEREAS, the ERC is now in public ownership, with: the city of Kirkland and
16	the city of Redmond each holding fee simple ownership over portions of the corridor;
17	Sound Transit holding a fee simple ownership and an easement ownership of portions of
18	the corridor; and King County in the process of closing on its purchase of fee simple
19	ownership of a portion of the corridor from the Port of Seattle, and

20	WHEREAS, Puget Sound Energy has purchased a utilities easement the length of
21	the corridor, and
22	WHEREAS, King County and city of Kirkland are in discussions regarding an
23	interlocal agreement related to coordination of planning for future uses along the
24	Kirkland-owned portion of the corridor, and
25	WHEREAS, Motion 13801 established the ERC as a corridor of regional
26	significance, declared the criticality of the regional ownership partnership and established
27	the ERC regional advisory council to immediately carry out the regional planning process
28	envisioned in the November 5, 2009, memorandum of understanding, including
29	implementing and coordinating the rail, trail and utility uses in the corridor, coordinating
30	with affected cities around local planning and development with the regional uses,
31	overseeing the work of a technical staff work group, reaching out to a broad spectrum of
32	stakeholders and preparing recommendations for any needed changes to the county's
33	Countywide Planning Policies, and
34	WHEREAS, Motion 13801 identified the membership of the ERC regional
35	advisory council as three King County councilmembers, the King County executive or
36	the executive's designee, one representative from the city of Redmond, one representative
37	from the city of Kirkland, one representative from Puget Sound Energy and one
38	representative from Sound Transit, and
39	WHEREAS, Motion 13801 requested the executive to transmit by January 16,
40	2013, for council confirmation by motion a proposal for executive-level representation on
41	the ERC regional advisory council;
42	NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT MOVED by the Council of King County:

43	The county executive's appointment of the following members of the ERC
44	regional advisory council as described in Motion 13801 are hereby confirmed:
45	The Honorable Jane Hague representing the King County council;
46	The Honorable Larry Phillips representing the King County council;
47	The Honorable Kathy Lambert representing the King County council;
48	The Honorable Dow Constantine, or his designee Christie True, King County
49	executive;
50	The Honorable John Marchione representing the city of Redmond;
51	The Honorable Joan McBride representing the city of Kirkland;

Dave Namura representing Puget Sound Energy; and 52 Joni Earl representing Sound Transit. 53 54 Motion 13834 was introduced on 2/19/2013 and passed by the Metropolitan King County Council on 2/11/2013, by the following vote: Yes: 8 - Mr. Phillips, Mr. von Reichbauer, Mr. Gossett, Ms. Hague, Ms. Patterson, Ms. Lambert, Mr. Dunn and Mr. McDermott No: 0 Excused: 0 KING COUNTY COUNCIL KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON ATTEST: Anne Noris, Clerk of the Council Attachments: None