



KING COUNTY

1200 King County Courthouse
516 Third Avenue
Seattle, WA 98104

Signature Report

March 10, 2015

Ordinance 17996

Proposed No. 2014-0471.2

Sponsors Lambert

1 AN ORDINANCE approving and adopting the updated
2 King County Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan, as approved
3 by the Federal Emergency Management Agency.

4 BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:

5 **SECTION 1. Findings:**

6 A. King County supports disaster mitigation efforts and regional disaster
7 planning.

8 B. A locally adopted plan reviewed and approved by Federal Emergency
9 Management Agency ("FEMA") is required under the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000.

10 C. Regular revisions and updates to the five year plan are required by FEMA.

11 D. In October 2004, Ordinance 15038 approved the county's initial five year
12 Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan.

13 E In December 2009, Ordinance 16715 approved the subsequent update of the
14 Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan.

15 F. An updated plan is now required to comply with the Disaster Mitigation Act of
16 2000.

17 G. King County and other jurisdictions within King County have a cooperative
18 interest in disaster mitigation planning efforts.

19 H. Additional agencies are expected to annex to this plan following FEMA
20 approval.

21 I. FEMA approval of this plan enables the county to seek Federal mitigation
22 project funding related to potential hazards the region may experience over the next five-
23 year planning period.

24 J. Certification of the King County council's approval of this plan is required for
25 FEMA final approval.

26 SECTION 2. The King County council hereby approves and adopts the King
27 County Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan, Attachment A to this ordinance.
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Ordinance 17996 was introduced on 1/20/2015 and passed by the Metropolitan King County Council on 3/9/2015, by the following vote:

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

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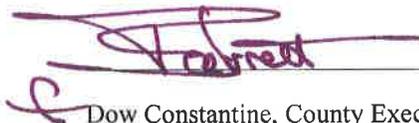
Larry Phillips, Chair

ATTEST:



Anne Noris, Clerk of the Council

APPROVED this 12th day of March, 2015.



Dow Constantine, County Executive

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Attachments: A. King County Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan Update

