



regional landfill that converts methane gas to energy and further reduces greenhouse gas emissions, and

WHEREAS, the county has also developed innovative energy cogeneration projects at its wastewater treatment plants, and

WHEREAS, the county's longstanding leadership on energy efficiency and greenhouse gas emissions reductions help provide value to our citizens through energy savings and by protecting the quality of life in our region, and

WHEREAS, the 2010 King County Energy Plan builds on King County Comprehensive Plan policies and past Executive Orders and legislation related to energy efficiency, renewable energy, green vehicles, and green building, and

WHEREAS, the 2010 King County Energy Plan reflects the collaborative effort of multiple King County divisions and a joint commitment to continuous improvements in energy efficiency and conservation, and

WHEREAS, the 2010 King County Energy Plan sets tangible goals for further reducing county energy usage and sets forth innovative strategies for achieving those goals, and

WHEREAS, the Energy Plan reflects the proposed King County Strategic Plan's emphasis on improving the efficiency of county operations, reducing the county's environmental footprint, and empowering employees to identify improvements, and

WHEREAS, implementing the 2010 King County Energy Plan will help the county achieve important energy saving goals that will provide tangible benefits to the public;

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

The 2010 King County Energy Plan, Attachment A to this motion, is hereby approved.