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Space Plan: Parks, Trails, and Natural Areas as functional plan to implement the policies of the King County Comprehensive Plan in accordance with the Washington State Growth Management Act; and

repealing Ordinance 14966, Section 1.

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STATEMENT OF FACTS:

1. King County government continues to transition from its historical role as a provider of a wide range of open spaces in both the urban and rural areas of the county. The 2010 King

County Open Space Plan: Parks, Trails and Natural Areas updates existing plans and provides clear policies to guide the future of the open space system; provides consistency with other county plans; and establishes eligibility for Washington State Recreation and Conservation Office grant funding.

- 2. The plan is consistent with the countywide planning policies and the King County Comprehensive Plan.
- 3. The plan is consistent with the Phase II Parks Business Plan and parks omnibus ordinance, Ordinance 14509, approved November 21, 2002.
- 4. The plan is consistent with Ordinance 15750 and 15760 related to funding of the system.
- 5. Adoption of the plan will allow King County to apply for state and federal grants for open space acquisition, development and restoration, thereby leveraging county funds.
- 6. The environmental impacts of the plan were considered in an environmental checklist and a determination of nonsignificance was issued on April 8, 2010.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:

SECTION 1. The 2010 King County Open Space Plan: Parks, Trails and Natural Areas, Attachment A to this ordinance, is adopted and declared to be the principle document guiding the future of the county open space system.

SECTION 2. Ordinance 14966, Section 1, is hereby repealed.