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KING COUNTY

1200 King County Courthouse 516 Third Avenue Seattle, WA 98104

Signature Report

March 11, 2003

Ordinance 14584

AN ORDINANCE implementing the district court

Proposed No. 2003-0004.1

Sponsors Gossett

2	redistricting committee's amendment to the districting plan
3	for the elimination of two court locations in 2003; amending
4	Ordinance 8935, Section 4, as amended, and K.C.C.
5	2.68.070.
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8	BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:
9	SECTION 1. Ordinance 8935, Section 4, as amended, and K.C.C. 2.68.070 are
10	each hereby amended to read as follows
11	King County district court - organization.
12	A. There is created a single district court, whose boundaries are all the area within
13	the boundaries of King County, including the centerline of Puget Sound and all of the
14	current city of Bothell, as a joint district court district established under RCW 3.38.060 and
15	named the district court of the state of Washington in and for the district of King County.
16	B. The number of judges of the King County district court is twenty-six full-time
17	judges.

18	C. The 2001 population of King County is one million six hundred eighty-five
19	thousand six hundred.
20	D. The location of the central office of the King County district court is the King
21	County Courthouse, Seattle, Washington.
22	E. There are ((ten)) eight court facilities within the unified district located as
23	follows:
24	1. South division:
25	a. City of Kent;
26	b. ((City of Federal Way;
27	e. City of Renton)); and
28	((d.)) b. City of Burien with additional facilities in the vicinity of Vahson
29	business district;
30	2. East division:
31	a. City of Bellevue;
32	b. City of Issaquah;
33	c. City of Mercer Island;
34	d. City of Redmond; and
35	e. City of Shoreline; and
36	3. West Division: City of Seattle.
37	F. The administrative records of the King County district court shall be maintained
38	at the central office or in a location designated by the presiding judge. Court records shall
39	be located at the respective court facilities or in a location designated by the presiding
40	iudge.

41 G. The number and location of district court commissioners shall be as authorized. 42 together with such additional court commissioners as the district court may require. 43 Ordinance 14584 was introduced on 1/13/2003 and passed by the Metropolitan King County Council on 3/10/2003, by the following vote: Yes: 12 - Ms. Sullivan, Ms. Edmonds, Mr. von Reichbauer, Ms. Lambert, Mr. Phillips, Mr. Pelz, Mr. McKenna, Mr. Pullen, Mr. Gossett, Ms. Hague, Mr. Irons and Ms. Patterson No: 0 Excused: 1 - Mr. Constantine KING COUNTY COUNCIL KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON ATTEST: Anne Noris, Clerk of the Council APPROVED this 24 day of MARCH, 2003. Ron Sims, County Executive Attachments None