



KING COUNTY

1200 King County Courthouse
516 Third Avenue
Seattle, WA 98104

Signature Report

Ordinance 18966

Proposed No. 2019-0304.1

Sponsors McDermott

1 AN ORDINANCE relating to the sale of the surplus
2 property located at 7900 10th Avenue South, Seattle,
3 Washington, in council district eight.

4 STATEMENT OF FACTS:

5 For the property located at 7900 10th Avenue South, Seattle, Washington,
6 located within council district eight, the facilities management division
7 completed the surplus property, affordable housing and public notice
8 requirements.

9 BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:

10 SECTION 1. The executive is authorized to convey the property located at 7900
11 10th Avenue South, Seattle, to the city of Seattle, consistent with a purchase and sale

12 agreement substantially in the form of Attachment A to this ordinance and to take all
13 actions necessary to implement the terms of the purchase and sale agreement.
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Ordinance 18966 was introduced on 7/10/2019 and passed by the Metropolitan King County Council on 8/21/2019, by the following vote:

Yes: 9 - Mr. von Reichbauer, Mr. Gossett, Ms. Lambert, Mr. Dunn, Mr. McDermott, Mr. Dembowski, Mr. Upthegrove, Ms. Kohl-Welles and Ms. Balducci



KING COUNTY COUNCIL
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Rod Dembowski, Chair

ATTEST:

Melani Pedroza, Clerk of the Council

APPROVED this 29 day of August, 2019.

Dow Constantine, County Executive

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Attachments: A. Purchase and Sale Agreement

ATTACHMENT A:
PURCHASE AND SALE AGREEMENT

REAL ESTATE PURCHASE AND SALE AGREEMENT

THIS REAL ESTATE PURCHASE AND SALE AGREEMENT ("Agreement") is made and entered by and between KING COUNTY, a political subdivision of the State of Washington (the "Seller") and THE CITY OF SEATTLE, a municipal corporation of the State of Washington (the "Buyer"). Seller and Buyer are also referred to herein individually as a "Party" or collectively as "Parties." This Agreement shall be effective as of the date it has been executed by both Parties ("Effective Date").

RECITALS

A. Seller is the owner of that certain real property located at 7900 10th Avenue South, Seattle, King County, State of Washington, the legal description of which is attached hereto as EXHIBIT A (the "Real Property").

B. Seller desires to sell the Real Property and Buyer desires to purchase the Real Property. The Parties are entering into this Agreement pursuant to the authority granted in the Intergovernmental Disposition of Property Act, RCW ch. 39.33.

AGREEMENT

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the promises and mutual covenants contained herein, and other valuable consideration, receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Parties hereto covenant and agree as follows:

ARTICLE 1. PURCHASE AND TRANSFER OF ASSETS

1.1. **PROPERTY TO BE SOLD.** Seller shall sell and convey to Buyer on the Closing Date (as hereinafter defined) and Buyer shall buy and accept from Seller on the Closing Date the following assets and properties:

1.1.1. all of Seller's right, title and interest in the Real Property as legally described in EXHIBIT A;

1.1.2. all of Seller's right, title and interest in improvements and structures located on the Real Property, if any;

1.1.3. all of Seller's right, title and interest, if any, in and to tangible personal property, attached, appurtenant to or used in connection with the Real Property ("Personal Property");

1.1.4. all of Seller's easements and other rights that are appurtenant to the Real Property including but not limited to, Seller's right, title, and interest in and to streets, alleys or other public ways adjacent to the Real Property, sewers and service drainage easements, rights of connection to the sewers, rights of ingress and egress, and leases, licenses, government approvals and permits affecting the Real Property.

Hereinafter, the items listed in Section 1.1 are collectively referred to as the "Property."

ARTICLE 2. PURCHASE PRICE

2.1. **PURCHASE PRICE AND PAYMENT.** In consideration of the conveyance of the Property, Buyer shall, in full payment therefor, pay to Seller on the Closing Date a total purchase price of **One Million One Hundred Thousand and No/100 Dollars (\$1,100,000.00)** (the "Purchase Price").

2.2. **ALLOCATION OF PURCHASE PRICE.** Seller and Buyer agree that the entire Purchase Price is allocable to the Real Property and that the value of Seller's interest in the Personal Property, if any, is *de minimis*.

2.3. **DEPOSIT.** Within five (5) business days after the Effective Date, Buyer shall deliver to First American Title Insurance Company (the "Escrow Agent"), in its capacity as the Parties' closing agent, immediately available cash funds in the amount of **Fifty Thousand and no/100 dollars (\$50,000)** (the "Deposit"). The Deposit shall be invested by the Escrow Agent in a money market account, a federally insured investment or such other investment as may be approved by Seller and Buyer in writing. Accrued interest will be added to and become part of the Deposit. Upon deposit with Escrow Agent, the Deposit shall be non-refundable except as otherwise provided in this Agreement. The Deposit shall be applied as a credit against the Purchase Price at the Closing.

ARTICLE 3. REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES OF THE PARTIES AND CONDITION OF PROPERTY

3.1. **WARRANTIES AND REPRESENTATIONS OF SELLER.** As of the date hereof and as of the Closing Date, Seller represents and warrants as follows:

3.1.1. ORGANIZATION. The Seller is a political subdivision of the State of Washington duly organized, validly existing and in good standing under the laws of the State of Washington.

3.1.2. EXECUTION, DELIVERY AND PERFORMANCE OF AGREEMENT, AUTHORITY. The execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement by Seller (i) is within the powers of Seller as a political subdivision of the State of Washington, and (ii) subject to the contingency in section 5.2 of this Agreement, has been or will be on or before the Closing Date, duly authorized by all necessary action of the Seller's legislative authority. This Agreement constitutes the legal, valid and binding obligation of Seller enforceable against Seller in accordance with the terms herein.

3.1.3. NO BROKER. No broker, finder, agent or similar intermediary has acted for or on behalf of Seller in connection with this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby, and no broker, finder, agent or similar intermediary is entitled to any broker's, finder's or similar fee or commission in connection with this Agreement based on an agreement, arrangement or understanding with Seller or any action taken by Seller.

3.1.4. FUTURE AGREEMENTS. From and after the Effective Date unless this Agreement is terminated in accordance with its terms, Seller shall not without the prior written consent of Buyer:

(a) enter into any agreement, contract, commitment, lease or other transaction that affects the Property in any way; or

(b) sell, dispose of or encumber any portion of the Property.

3.1.5. FOREIGN PERSON. Seller is not a foreign person and is a "United States Person" as such term is defined in Section 7701 (a) (30) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 ("Code"), as amended and shall deliver to Buyer prior to the Closing an affidavit, as set forth in **EXHIBIT D**, evidencing such fact, and such other documents as may be required under the Code.

3.2. REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES OF BUYER. As of the date hereof and as of the Closing Date, Buyer represents and warrants as follows:

3.2.1. ORGANIZATION. Buyer is a municipal corporation of the State of Washington, duly organized, validly existing and in good standing under the laws of the State of Washington. Buyer has all requisite corporate power and authority to carry on its business as it is now being conducted in the place where such businesses are now conducted.

3.2.2. EXECUTION, DELIVERY AND PERFORMANCE OF AGREEMENT, AUTHORITY. The execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement by Buyer (i) is within the powers of Buyer as a municipal corporation of the State of Washington, and (ii) subject to the contingency in Section 5.3 of this Agreement, has been or will be on or before the Closing Date, duly authorized by all necessary action of the Buyer's governing authority. This Agreement constitutes the legal, valid and binding obligation of Buyer enforceable against Buyer in

accordance with the terms hereof.

3.2.3. NO BROKER. No broker, finder, agent or similar intermediary has acted for or on behalf of Buyer in connection with this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby, and no broker, finder, agent, or similar intermediary is entitled to any broker's, finder's or similar fee or commission in connection with this Agreement based on an agreement, arrangement, or understanding with the Buyer or any action taken by the Buyer.

3.3. CONDITION OF PROPERTY.

3.3.1. SELLER DISCLOSURE STATEMENT. To the extent permitted by RCW ch. 64.06, Buyer expressly waives its right to receive from Seller a seller disclosure statement ("Seller Disclosure Statement") and to rescind this Agreement, both as provided for in RCW ch. 64.06. Buyer is advised to use its due diligence to inspect the Property as allowed for by this Agreement, and that Seller may not have knowledge of defects that careful inspection might reveal. Buyer specifically acknowledges and agrees that any Seller Disclosure Statement delivered by Seller is not part of this Agreement, and Seller has no duties to Buyer other than those set forth in this Agreement.

3.3.2. SELLER DISCLAIMER OF CONDITION OF THE PROPERTY. Except to the extent of Seller's representations and warranties in Section 3.1 of this Agreement, Seller has not made, does not make, and specifically negates and disclaims any representations, warranties, promises, covenants, contracts or guarantees of any kind or character whatsoever, whether express or implied, oral or written, past, present or future of, as to, concerning, or with respect to the value, nature, quality, or condition of the Property (collectively "Condition of the Property"), including, without limitation:

- (a) The water, soil and geology;
- (b) The income to be derived from the Property;
- (c) The suitability of the Property for any and all activities and uses that Buyer or anyone else may conduct thereon;
- (d) The compliance or noncompliance of or by the Property or its operation with any laws, rules, ordinances, regulations or decrees of any applicable governmental authority or body or the zoning or land use designation for the Property;
- (e) The habitability, merchantability, marketability, profitability or fitness for a particular purpose of the Property;
- (f) The manner or quality of the construction or materials, if any, incorporated into the Property and the existence, nonexistence or condition of utilities serving the Property;
- (g) The actual, threatened or alleged existence, release, use, storage, generation, manufacture, transport, deposit, leak, seepage, spill, migration, escape, disposal or

other handling of any Hazardous Substances in, on, under or emanating from or into the Property, and the compliance or noncompliance of or by the Property or its operation with applicable federal, state, county and local laws and regulations, including, without limitation, Environmental Laws and regulations and seismic/building codes, laws and regulations. For purposes of this Agreement, the term "Environmental Law" shall mean: any federal, state or local statute, regulation, code, rule, ordinance, order, judgment, decree, injunction or common law pertaining in any way to the protection of human health, safety, or the environment, including without limitation, the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980, 42 U.S.C. § 9602 et. seq. ("CERCLA"); the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act of 1976, 42 U.S.C. § 6901 et seq. ("RCRA"); the Washington State Model Toxics Control Act, RCW ch. 70.105D ("MTCA"); the Washington Hazardous Waste Management Act, RCW ch. 70.105; the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, 33 U.S.C. § 1251 et seq., the Washington Water Pollution Control Act, RCW ch. 90.48, and any laws concerning above ground or underground storage tanks. For the purposes of this Agreement, the term "Hazardous Substance" shall mean: any waste, pollutant, contaminant, or other material that now or in the future becomes regulated or defined under any Environmental Law; or

(h) Any other matter with respect to the Property.

3.3.3. BUYER ACCEPTANCE OF CONDITION OF PROPERTY.

(a) Buyer acknowledges and accepts Seller's disclaimer of the Condition of the Property in Section 3.3.2 of this Agreement.

(b) Buyer acknowledges and agrees that it has had exclusive possession of the Property since approximately 1975. Buyer further acknowledges and agrees that Buyer is relying solely on its own investigation of the Property, including physical inspection pursuant to Section 5.1 of this Agreement, and is not relying on any information provided or to be provided by Seller, including without limitation any information provided by Seller in the LDW Matter (defined below). Buyer further acknowledges and agrees that any information provided or to be provided with respect to the Property was obtained from a variety of sources and that Seller has not made any independent investigation or verification of such information and makes no representations as to the accuracy or completeness of such information and no employee or agent of Seller is authorized otherwise. Buyer further acknowledges and agrees that Seller is not liable or bound in any manner by any verbal or written statements, representations, or information pertaining to the Property, or the operation thereof, furnished by any agent, employee, or contractor of Seller, any real estate broker, or any other person.

(c) Upon waiver or satisfaction by Buyer of its contingencies pursuant to Article 5, Buyer acknowledges and agrees that it will thereby approve and accept the Condition of the Property and accordingly agree to purchase the Property and accept the Condition of the Property "AS IS, WHERE IS" with all faults and patent or latent defects, including, without limitation, the actual, threatened or alleged existence, release, use, storage, generation, manufacture, transport, deposit, leak, seepage, spill, migration, escape, disposal or other handling of any Hazardous Substances in, on, under or emanating from or into the Property, and the compliance or noncompliance of or by the Property or its operation with applicable federal, state, county and local laws and regulations including, without limitation, Environmental Laws and regulations and seismic/building codes, laws and regulations. Buyer acknowledges and agrees that, except to the extent of Seller's representations and warranties in Section 3.1. of this Agreement, Buyer shall waive, release and discharge forever the Seller from, any and all past, present or future claims or demands, and any and all past, present or future damages, losses, injuries, liabilities, causes of actions (including, without limitation, causes of action in tort) costs and expenses (including, without limitation fines, penalties and judgments, and attorneys' fees) of any and every kind or character, known or unknown (collectively, "Losses"), which the Buyer might have asserted or alleged against the Seller arising from or in any way related to the Condition of the Property, including, without limitation, the actual, threatened or alleged existence, release, use, storage, generation, manufacture, transport, deposit, leak, seepage, spill, migration, escape, disposal or other handling of any Hazardous Substances in, on, under or emanating from or into the Property, EXCEPT Seller retains any and all liability for the release of Hazardous Substances in, on, under or emanating from the Property that are resolved against Seller through the Lower Duwamish Waterway Allocation ("LDW Matter") being conducted under the Alternative Dispute Resolution Memorandum of Agreement wherein certain potentially liable parties for the Lower Duwamish Waterway remediation are participating in an allocation process for the costs of remedial actions required for the Lower Duwamish Waterway Site federal enforcement action, CERCLIS ID No. WA0002329803, or that are resolved against Seller through any other binding legal process (including, but not limited to, a binding resolution through lawsuit, mediation, arbitration or settlement) concerning the claims in the LDW Matter.

3.3.4. INDEMNIFICATION. From and after the Closing Date, Buyer shall indemnify, defend and hold Seller, its officers, agents and employees harmless from and against any and all Losses, liability, claim, agency order or requirement, damage and expense relating to or arising out of, directly or indirectly, the Property, including without limitation those relating to the actual or threatened release, disposal, deposit, seepage, migration or escape of Hazardous Substances at, from, into or underneath the Property, and the compliance or noncompliance of the Property with applicable federal, state, county and local laws and regulations including, without limitation, Environmental Laws and regulations ("Claims"), except to the extent the Claims are for liability for the release of Hazardous Substances in, on, under or emanating from the Property that are resolved against Seller through the LDW Matter, or that are resolved against Seller through any other binding legal process (including, but not limited to, a binding resolution through lawsuit, mediation, arbitration or settlement) concerning the claims in the LDW Matter.

3.3.5. RISK OF LOSS. Until the Closing Date, the risk of loss relating to the Property shall rest with the Seller. Risk of Loss shall be deemed to include any property damage occurring as a result of an "Act of God," including, but not limited to, earthquakes, tremors, wind, rain or other natural occurrence.

ARTICLE 4. TITLE MATTERS

4.1. CONVEYANCE. Seller shall convey to Buyer the title to the Property by bargain and sale deed with attached Buyer acceptance certificate in substantially the form attached hereto as **EXHIBIT B**, subject only to the Permitted Exceptions (as defined below), the lien of current real property taxes, fees and/or charges not yet due and payable, rights reserved in federal patents or state deeds, building or use restrictions general to the governing jurisdiction, and the matters excluded from coverage by the preprinted general exceptions and exclusions contained in the form of title insurance policy required by Section 4.4 of this Agreement.

4.2. TITLE INSURANCE COMMITMENT. Buyer has obtained a current title insurance commitment issued by First American Title Insurance Company (the "Title Company"), No. 4209-2739168, Report dated January 2, 2018 as supplemented on February 9, 2018 ("Commitment"). Buyer shall within fifteen (15) days after the Effective Date obtain an update to the Commitment listing Buyer as the prospective named insured and committing the Title Company to insure title in Buyer for the Purchase Price subject only to the matters identified in Section 4.1. Buyer may, at the election of Buyer and at its own cost, also request that the Title Company issue such policy endorsements as required by Buyer, and to issue a 2006 ALTA Owner's Extended Coverage Policy of title insurance. If required by the Title Company to issue an extended coverage owner's ALTA title insurance policy, Buyer may obtain a survey and title updates for an extended policy at its own expense. Any such survey or title updates must be completed within sixty (60) days after the Effective Date.

4.3. REVIEW OF TITLE COMMITMENT. Buyer shall have until twenty-five (25) days after the Effective Date (the "Review Period") in which to notify Seller in writing of any objections Buyer has to any matters shown or referred to in the Title Commitment ("Buyer's Objections"). Any exceptions or other items that are set forth in the Title Commitment and to which Buyer does not object within the Review Period shall be deemed to be permitted exceptions ("Permitted Exceptions"). With regard to items to which Buyer does object within the Review Period, Seller shall notify Buyer within ten (10) days after Seller receives Buyer's Objections of any exceptions to title which Seller will not remove or otherwise resolve ("Seller's Response"), and Buyer may, at Buyer's option, either proceed to Closing and thereby waive the Buyer's Objections not cured, in which case such exceptions to title shall be Permitted Exceptions, or Buyer may terminate this Agreement by notice to Seller within ten (10) days after receipt of Seller's Response. If the Title Company issues a supplement to the Title Commitment, including one arising from a survey completed for an extended coverage owner's ALTA title insurance policy, that identifies new exceptions, the procedure set forth in this Section 4.3 shall apply to such supplement, except that Buyer will have seven (7) days to make Buyer's Objections to any new exception, Seller shall have five (5) days to provide Seller's Response, and the Closing Date will

be extended for the period necessary to allow the procedures set forth herein to be completed with regard to a timely objection.

4.4. OWNER'S TITLE INSURANCE POLICY. At the Closing, Buyer shall cause an owner's policy of title insurance to be issued by the Title Company in the full amount of the Purchase Price, effective as of the Closing Date, insuring Buyer that the fee simple title to the Property is vested in Buyer, subject only to the matters identified in Section 4.1. The obligation of Buyer to provide the title policy called for herein shall be satisfied if, at the Closing, the Title Company has given a binding commitment, in a form reasonably satisfactory to Buyer, to issue the policies in the form required by this Section. If requested in writing by Seller, Buyer shall provide a copy of such binding commitment to Seller to verify satisfaction of this obligation as a condition to Seller being obligated to close. Buyer shall pay any sum owing to the Title Company for the preparation of the preliminary and binding commitments generated by the Title Company.

ARTICLE 5. CONTINGENCIES

5.1. DUE DILIGENCE INSPECTION AND FEASIBILITY. Buyer shall satisfy itself by investigation and inspection, at its cost and expense in its sole and absolute discretion, that the condition of the Property for Buyer's contemplated use meets with its approval ("Due Diligence Contingency"). If Buyer is not satisfied with the condition of the Property, Buyer may terminate this Agreement by delivering written notice of termination to Seller within sixty (60) days of the Effective Date ("Due Diligence Period"). In such event this Agreement shall terminate, the Deposit shall be returned to Buyer and the Parties shall have no further obligations hereunder. If Buyer fails to give such notice to terminate within the Due Diligence Period or affirmatively gives notice that this Due Diligence Contingency is satisfied or waived within the Due Diligence Period, Buyer shall be obligated hereunder, except to the extent another contingency set out herein is not satisfied, or except in the event of a default hereunder by Seller. As an alternative to termination, Seller and Buyer may agree in writing to adjust the Purchase Price to reflect conditions on the Property identified during the Due Diligence Period while maintaining the other terms and conditions of this Agreement. Seller and Buyer may agree in writing to extend the Due Diligence Period.

5.1.1. INSPECTIONS. During the Due Diligence Period, Buyer, its designated representatives or agents shall have the right at its own expense to (a) perform any and all tests, inspections, studies, surveys or appraisals of the Property deemed necessary, on any subject, by the Buyer (subject to the limitations set forth below and Section 5.1.2 Right of Entry); (b) obtain a Phase I or Phase II Environmental Assessment on the Property and perform any and all tests, inspections and studies deemed necessary therewith; (c) examine all due diligence materials related to the Property that Buyer may reasonably request from Seller that are in Seller's possession and about which Seller has knowledge, and that are not protected as attorney work product, by the attorney-client privilege or by other confidentiality protections, including without limitation confidentiality protections for documents used in the LDW Matter; (d) determine to its satisfaction

whether approvals, permits and variances can be obtained under applicable land use and zoning codes for Buyer's proposed development of the property; and (e) determine whether Buyer's proposed development of the property is economically feasible.

5.1.2. RIGHT OF ENTRY. Buyer and Buyer's designated representatives or agents shall have the right and Seller hereby grants to Buyer and Buyer's designated representatives the right to enter the Property and conduct tests, investigations and studies set forth in this Article 5. Invasive tests of the Property, such as drilling or excavation, shall be subject to Seller's prior written approval which shall not be unreasonably withheld, delayed or conditioned. If invasive tests are performed by Buyer, Seller may elect to obtain split samples of any sampling that is obtained and reimburse the Buyer for the costs thereof. Within a reasonable time after completion of an invasive test, Buyer shall restore the Property to its original condition. In connection with any such inspections and tests, Buyer agrees to, within law, hold harmless, indemnify and defend Seller, its officers, agents and employees, from and against all claims, losses, or liability for injuries, sickness or death of persons, including employees of Buyer ("Claims") caused by or arising out of any act, error or omission of Buyer, its officers, agents, contractors, subcontractors or employees in entering the Property for the above purposes. The indemnification obligation of this section shall not apply to the extent the Claims are caused by or arise out of any act, error or omission of Seller, its officers, agents and employees. Buyer's right of entry set out in this Section apply to Buyer's exercise of rights under Article 5 of this Agreement and is in addition to and not a replacement for the rights to enter and occupy the property currently held by Buyer under a Special Use Permit issued by Seller.

5.1.3. CITY SELF INSURANCE. The County acknowledges, agrees and understands that the City is self-insured for all of its liability exposures, including those exposures related to inspection of the Property. The City agrees, at its own expense, to maintain through its self-insurance program coverage for its liability exposures for the duration of this Agreement. The City will provide the County with a letter of self-insurance as adequate proof of insurance, upon the County's request.

5.2. METROPOLITAN KING COUNTY COUNCIL APPROVAL CONTINGENCY. Seller's performance under this Agreement is contingent on approval by ordinance of the conveyance of the Property by the Metropolitan King County Council ("County Council Approval Contingency"). The County Council Approval Contingency will be satisfied if an ordinance passed by the Metropolitan King County Council approving the conveyance of the Property becomes effective within one hundred twenty (120) days of the Effective Date ("County Council Approval Period"). Seller may extend the County Council Approval Period for up to an additional sixty (60) days. If the County Council Approval Contingency is not satisfied within the County Council Approval Period, this Agreement shall terminate, the Deposit shall be returned to Buyer and the Parties shall have no further obligations hereunder. If the County Council Approval Contingency is satisfied within the County Council Approval Period, Seller shall be obligated hereunder except to the extent another contingency set out herein is not satisfied, or except in the event of a default hereunder by Buyer.

5.3. SEATTLE CITY COUNTY COUNCIL APPROVAL CONTINGENCY. Buyer's performance under this Agreement is contingent on approval by ordinance of the purchase of the Property by the Seattle City Council ("City Council Approval Contingency"). The City Council Approval Contingency will be satisfied if an ordinance passed by the Seattle City County Council approving the purchase of the Property becomes effective within one hundred twenty (120) days of the Effective Date ("City Council Approval Period"). Buyer may extend the City Council Approval Period for up to an additional sixty (60) days. If the City Council Approval Contingency is not satisfied within the City Council Approval Period, this Agreement shall terminate, the Deposit shall be returned to Buyer and the Parties shall have no further obligations hereunder. If the City Council Approval Contingency is satisfied within the City Council Approval Period, Buyer shall be obligated hereunder except to the extent another contingency set out herein is not satisfied, or except in the event of a default hereunder by Seller.

ARTICLE 6. COVENANTS OF SELLER PENDING CLOSING

6.1. CONDUCT, NOTICE OF CHANGE. Seller covenants that between the Effective Date and the Closing Seller shall take all such actions as may be necessary to assure that the representations and warranties set forth in Article 3 hereof will be true and complete as of the Closing (except such representations, warranties and matters which relate solely to an earlier date), and all covenants of Seller set forth in this Agreement which are required to be performed by it at or prior to the Closing shall have been performed at or prior to the Closing as provided for in this Agreement. Seller shall give Buyer prompt written notice of any material change in any of the information contained in the representations and warranties made in Article 3 or elsewhere in this Agreement which occurs prior to the Closing.

ARTICLE 7. COVENANTS OF BUYER PENDING CLOSING

7.1. CONDUCT, NOTICE OF CHANGE. Buyer covenants that between the Effective Date and the Closing Buyer shall take all such actions as may be necessary to assure that the representations and warranties set forth in Article 3 hereof will be true and complete as of the Closing (except such representations, warranties and matters which relate solely to an earlier date), and that all covenants of Buyer set forth in this Agreement which are required to be performed by it at or prior to the Closing shall have been performed at or prior to the Closing as provided in this Agreement. Buyer shall give Seller prompt written notice of any material change in any of the information contained in the representations and warranties made in Article 3 or elsewhere in this Agreement which occurs prior to the Closing.

ARTICLE 8.
CONDITIONS PRECEDENT TO BUYER'S OBLIGATIONS

All obligations of Buyer to close on the Closing Date are subject to the fulfillment of each of the following conditions at or prior to the Closing, and Seller shall exert its best efforts to cause each such condition to be fulfilled:

8.1. DELIVERY OF DOCUMENTS. Seller shall have delivered to Buyer at or prior to the Closing all documents required by the terms of this Agreement to be delivered to Buyer.

8.2. OBLIGATIONS. All obligations required by the terms of this Agreement to be performed by Seller at or before the Closing shall have been properly performed in all material respects.

8.3. TITLE. Seller shall have cured any exceptions to title to which Buyer objected within the Review Period in Section 4.3 and to which Seller agreed to remove or resolve under Section 4.3, unless Seller's obligation to remove or resolve has been waived by Buyer.

8.4. CONDEMNATION. No portion of the Property shall have been taken or damaged by any public or quasi-public body, and Seller shall not have transferred any portion of the Property to any such body in lieu of condemnation.

ARTICLE 9.
CONDITIONS PRECEDENT TO SELLER'S OBLIGATIONS

All obligations of Seller to close on the Closing Date are subject to the fulfillment of each of the following conditions at or prior to the Closing, and Buyer shall exert its best efforts to cause each such condition to be so fulfilled:

9.1. DELIVERY OF DOCUMENTS. Buyer shall have delivered to Seller at or prior to Closing all documents required by the terms of this Agreement to be delivered to Seller.

9.2. OBLIGATIONS. All obligations required by the terms of this Agreement to be performed by Buyer at or before the Closing shall have been properly performed in all material respects.

9.3. TITLE. The Title Company shall be irrevocably committed to issue an owner's policy of title insurance for the full amount of the Purchase Price, effective as of the Closing Date, containing no exceptions other than the Permitted Exceptions and the other exceptions allowed for under Section 4.4 of this Agreement.

ARTICLE 10. CLOSING

10.1. CLOSING/CLOSING DATE. The Closing shall take place within fifteen (15) days following the removal of all the contingencies in Article 5 of this Agreement or such other date as may be mutually agreed upon by the Parties ("Closing Date"). On or before the Effective Date, the Parties shall set up an escrow account with the Escrow Agent. The Escrow Agent shall serve as closing agent for the transaction contemplated herein and Closing shall occur in the offices of the Escrow Agent in Seattle, Washington.

10.2. PRORATIONS. Real property taxes and assessments shall be prorated as of the Closing Date. Seller shall pay the cost of one-half (1/2) of the escrow fee charged by the Escrow Agent, any real estate excise or other transfer tax due, and its own attorneys' fees. Buyer shall pay one-half (1/2) of the escrow fee charged by the Escrow Agent, the premium for the title insurance and any costs of the preliminary and binding title commitments, the recording fees for the deed and its own attorneys' fees. Except as otherwise provided in this Section 10.2, all other expenses hereunder shall be paid by the Party incurring such expenses.

10.3. SELLER'S DELIVERY OF DOCUMENTS AT CLOSING. At the Closing, Seller will deliver to Buyer via escrow with the Escrow Agent the following properly executed documents:

10.3.1. A bargain and sale deed conveying the Property substantially in the form of **EXHIBIT B** attached hereto;

10.3.2. A bill of sale and assignment duly executed by the Seller in substantially the form of **EXHIBIT C**, attached hereto for any right Seller may have in Personal Property on the Property, if any;

10.3.3. A seller's certificate of non-foreign status substantially in the form of **EXHIBIT D**, attached hereto.

10.4. BUYER'S DELIVERY OF PURCHASE PRICE AT CLOSING. At the Closing, Buyer will deliver to Seller via escrow with the Escrow Agent cash or immediately available funds in the amount of the Purchase Price, less the Deposit made under Section 2.3. of this Agreement.

ARTICLE 11. MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

11.1. NON-MERGER. Each statement, representation, warranty, indemnity, covenant, agreement and provision in this Agreement shall not merge in, but shall survive the Closing of the transaction contemplated by this Agreement unless a different time period is expressly provided for in this Agreement.

11.2. DEFAULT AND ATTORNEYS' FEES.

11.2.1. DEFAULT BY BUYER. In the event Closing does not occur due to default by Buyer, Seller's sole and exclusive remedy shall be to terminate this Agreement and retain the Deposit as liquidated damages. Buyer expressly agrees that the retention of the Deposit by Seller represents a reasonable estimation of the damages in the event of Buyer's default, that actual damages may be difficult to ascertain and that this provision does not constitute a penalty. Buyer and Seller acknowledge and agree that these damages have been specifically negotiated and are to compensate Seller for taking the Property off the market and for its costs and expenses associated with this Agreement.

11.2.2. DEFAULT BY SELLER. In the event Closing does not occur due to default of Seller, Buyer's sole and exclusive remedy shall be to terminate this Agreement and receive a refund of the Deposit.

11.2.3. ATTORNEY'S FEES. In any action to enforce this Agreement, each Party shall bear its own attorney's fees and costs.

11.3. TIME.

11.3.1. TIME IS OF THE ESSENCE. Time is of the essence in the performance of this Agreement.

11.3.2. COMPUTATION OF TIME. Any reference to "day" in this Agreement shall refer to a calendar day, which is every day of the year. Any reference to business day in this Agreement shall mean any calendar day that is not a "Legal Holiday." A Legal Holiday under this Agreement is a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday as defined in RCW 1.16.050. Any period of time in this Agreement shall mean Pacific Time and shall begin the calendar day or business day, as the case may be, after the event starting the period and shall expire at 5:00 p.m. of the last calendar day or business day, as the case may be, of the specified period of time, unless with regard to calendar days the last day is a Legal Holiday, in which case the specified period of time shall expire on the next day that is not a Legal Holiday.

11.4. NOTICES. Any and all notices or other communications required or permitted to be given under any of the provisions of this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been duly given upon receipt when personally delivered or sent by overnight courier or two days after deposit in the United States mail if by first class, certified or registered mail, return receipt requested. All notices shall be addressed to the Parties at the addresses set forth below or at such other addresses as a Party may specify by notice to the other Party and given as provided herein:

If to Buyer:	City of Seattle Department of Parks and Recreation 800 Maynard Ave S, Suite 300 Seattle, WA 98134-1336 ATTN: Lise Ward, Sr. Real Property Agent
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If to Seller: King County
King County Facility Management Division
Real Estate Services Section
500 Fourth Avenue, Room 830
Seattle, WA 98104
ATTN: Bryan Hague, Manager, Real Estate Department

With a copy to: King County Prosecuting Attorney's Office
Civil Division
King County Courthouse
516 3rd Avenue, Suite W400
Seattle, WA 98104
Attention: Pete Ramels

11.5. ENTIRE AGREEMENT AND AMENDMENT. This writing (including the Exhibits attached hereto) constitutes the entire agreement of the Parties with respect to the subject matter hereof and may not be modified or amended except by a written agreement specifically referring to this Agreement and signed by all Parties.

11.6. SEVERABILITY. In the event any portion of this Agreement shall be found to be invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction, then such holding shall not impact or affect the remaining provisions of this Agreement unless that court of competent jurisdiction rules that the principal purpose and intent of this contract should and/or must be defeated, invalidated or voided.

11.7. WAIVER. No waiver of any breach or default hereunder shall be considered valid unless in writing and signed by the Party giving such waiver and no such waiver shall be deemed a waiver of any prior or subsequent breach or default.

11.8. BINDING EFFECT. Subject to Section 11.14 below, this Agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of each Party, its successors and assigns.

11.9. LEGAL RELATIONSHIP. The Parties to this Agreement execute and implement this Agreement solely as Seller and Buyer. No partnership, joint venture or joint undertaking shall be construed from this Agreement.

11.10. CAPTIONS. The captions of any articles, paragraphs or sections contained herein are for purposes of convenience only and are not intended to define or limit the contents of said articles, paragraphs or sections.

11.11. COOPERATION. Prior to and after Closing the Parties shall cooperate, shall take such further action and shall execute and deliver further documents as may be reasonably requested by the other Party in order to carry out the provisions and purposes of this Agreement.

11.12. GOVERNING LAW AND VENUE. This Agreement and all amendments hereto shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Washington applicable to contracts made and to be performed therein, without giving effect to its conflicts of law rules or

choice of law provisions. In the event that either Party shall bring a lawsuit related to or arising out of this Agreement, the Superior Court of King County, Washington shall have exclusive jurisdiction and venue.

11.13. NO THIRD PARTY BENEFICIARIES. This Agreement is made only to and for the benefit of the Parties, and shall not create any rights in any other person or entity.

11.14. ASSIGNMENT. Neither Party shall assign this Agreement or any rights hereunder without the other Party's prior written consent.

11.15. NEGOTIATION AND CONSTRUCTION. This Agreement and each of its terms and provisions are deemed to have been explicitly negotiated between the Parties, and shall not be construed as if it has been prepared by one of the Parties, but rather as if both Parties had jointly prepared it. The language in all parts of this Agreement will, in all cases, be construed according to its fair meaning and not strictly for or against either Party. The Parties acknowledge and represent, as an express term of this Agreement, that they have had the opportunity to obtain and utilize legal review of the terms and conditions outlined in this Agreement. Each Party shall be and is separately responsible for payment of any legal services rendered on their behalf regarding legal review of this Agreement.

11.16. SELLER'S KNOWLEDGE. Any and all representations or warranties or other provisions in this Agreement that are conditioned on terms such as "to Seller's knowledge" or "about which Seller has knowledge" are made to and limited by the present, actual knowledge of Bryan Hague, who is an employee of King County, and is Manager of the Real Estate Services Section of the Facilities Management Division of the Department of Executive Services. Bryan Hague has made no inquiries or investigations with respect to Seller's representations or warranties or other provisions prior to the making thereof and has no duty to undertake the same.

11.17. INDEMNIFICATION TITLE 51 WAIVER. The indemnification provisions in Sections 3.3.4 and 5.1.s of this Agreement are specifically and expressly intended to constitute a waiver of the Buyer's immunity under Washington's Industrial Insurance Act, RCW Title 51, as respects the Seller only, and only to the extent necessary to provide the Seller with a full and complete indemnity of claims made by the Buyer's employees. The Parties acknowledge that these provisions were specifically negotiated and agreed upon by them.

11.18. COUNTERPARTS. To facilitate execution, this Agreement may be executed in as many counterparts as may be convenient or required. It shall not be necessary that the signature of, or on behalf of, each Party, or that the signature of all persons required to bind any Party, appear on each counterpart. All counterparts shall collectively constitute a single instrument. It shall not be necessary in making proof of this Agreement to produce or account for more than a single counterpart containing the respective signatures of, or on behalf of, each Party hereto. Any signature page to any counterpart may be detached from such counterpart without impairing the legal effect of the signatures thereon and thereafter may be attached to another counterpart identical thereto except having attached to it additional signature pages.

11.19. EXHIBITS. The following exhibits described herein and attached hereto are fully incorporated into this Agreement by this reference:

EXHIBIT A	Legal Description
EXHIBIT B	Bargain and Sale Deed
EXHIBIT C	Bill of Sale and Assignment
EXHIBIT D	Certificate of Non-Foreign Status

EXECUTED on the dates set forth below.

SELLER: KING COUNTY

By:  _____

Name: Anthony Wright

Title: Director, Facilities Management Division

Date: January 14, 2019

BUYER: CITY OF SEATTLE

By:  _____

Name: Christopher Williams

Title: Interim Superintendent

Date: December 11, 2018

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

By:  _____

Senior Deputy Prosecuting Attorney

EXHIBIT A.

LEGAL DESCRIPTION

RIVER PARK ADD LOTS 1 THRU 9 & 48 TGW W 9 FT OF LOTS 10 & 47 & VAC ST
ADJ TGW LOTS 1 THRU 9 & 47 - 48 BLK 22 & POR VAC ST ADJ

EXHIBIT B.

BARGAIN AND SALE DEED/BUYER ACCEPTANCE CERTIFICATE

AFTER RECORDING RETURN TO:
KING COUNTY FACILITY MANAGEMENT DIVISION
500 FOURTH AVENUE, ROOM 830
SEATTLE, WA 98104
ATTN: BRIAN HAGUE, MANAGER, REAL ESTATE DEPARTMENT

BARGAIN AND SALE DEED

Grantor -- King County, Washington
Grantee -- City of Seattle, Washington
Legal ---- RIVER PARK ADD LOTS 1 THRU 9 & 48 TGW W 9 FT OF LOTS 10 & 47
& VAC ST ADJ TGW LOTS 1 THRU 9 & 47 - 48 BLK 22 & POR VAC ST ADJ
Tax Acct. - 732790-1195

The Grantor, KING COUNTY, a political subdivision of the State of Washington, for and in consideration of mutual benefits, pursuant to King County Ordinance No. _____, does hereby bargain, sell and convey unto the Grantee, City of Seattle, Washington, a municipal corporation of the State of Washington, the following real property situated in King County, Washington and described in EXHIBIT A, attached hereto and incorporated herein by this reference, subject to the permitted exceptions set forth in EXHIBIT A.

GRANTOR:

KING COUNTY

BY: _____

TITLE: Director, Facilities Management Division

DATE: _____

Approved as to Form:

By _____
Senior Deputy Prosecuting Attorney

ACCEPTANCE

On behalf of the City of Seattle, a municipal corporation of the State of Washington, I, Christopher Williams, Interim Superintendent of the Department of Parks and Recreation, accept the real property conveyed herein by this Bargain and Sale Deed, legally described in this Bargain and Sale Deed, from King County, a political subdivision of the State of Washington, to the City of Seattle, pursuant to the authority conferred by Ordinance _____.

Dated: _____

THE CITY OF SEATTLE

Christopher Williams
Interim Superintendent
Department of Parks and Recreation

NOTARY BLOCKS APPEAR ON NEXT PAGE

NOTARY BLOCK FOR KING COUNTY

STATE OF WASHINGTON)

) SS

COUNTY OF KING)

On this _____ day of _____, 2019, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for the State of Washington, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared ANTHONY WRIGHT, to me known to be the Director of the Facilities Management Division of the King County Department of Executive Services, and who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that HE was authorized to execute said instrument on behalf of KING COUNTY for the uses and purposes therein mentioned.

WITNESS my hand and official seal hereto affixed the day and year in this certificate above written.

Notary Public in and for the State of Washington, residing

at _____

City and State

My appointment expires _____

NOTARY BLOCK FOR CITY OF SEATTLE

STATE OF WASHINGTON)

) SS

COUNTY OF KING)

On this _____ day of _____, 2019, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for the State of Washington, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared CHRISTOPHER WILLIAMS, to me known to be the Interim Superintendent of the Seattle Department of Parks and Recreation, and who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that HE was authorized to execute said instrument on behalf of THE CITY OF SEATTLE for the uses and purposes therein mentioned.

WITNESS my hand and official seal hereto affixed the day and year in this certificate above written.

Notary Public in and for the State of Washington, residing

at _____

City and State

My appointment expires _____

EXHIBIT A
To Bargain and Sale Deed

LEGAL DESCRIPTION

**RIVER PARK ADD LOTS 1 THRU 9 & 48 TGW W 9 FT OF LOTS 10 & 47 & VAC ST
ADJ TGW LOTS 1 THRU 9 & 47 - 48 BLK 22 & POR VAC ST ADJ**

EXCEPTIONS TO TITLE

SUBJECT TO [permitted exceptions will be determined in accordance with the process identified in Article 4 of the Agreement and inserted in the final deed].

EXHIBIT C.

BILL OF SALE AND ASSIGNMENT

THIS BILL OF SALE is made as of this ____ day of _____, 2018, by KING COUNTY, a political subdivision of the State of Washington (“**Seller**”), in favor of City of Seattle, a municipal corporation of the State of Washington (“**Buyer**”).

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and adequacy of which is hereby acknowledged, Seller does hereby absolutely and unconditionally give, grant, bargain, sell, transfer, set over, assign, convey, release, confirm and deliver to Buyer any and all of Seller’s right, title and interest in all equipment, furniture, furnishings, fixtures and other tangible personal property that is attached, appurtenant to or used in connection with the real property legally described on the attached Exhibit A.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Seller has executed this Bill of Sale as of the date first above written.

SELLER:

By: _____
Name: Anthony Wright
Title: Director, Facilities Management Division

EXHIBIT A
TO BILL OF SALE

LEGAL DESCRIPTION

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EXHIBIT D.

**Seller's Certification of Non-Foreign Status under
Foreign Investment in Real Property Tax Act (26 U.S.C. 1445)**

Section 1445 of the Internal Revenue Code provides that a transferee of a U.S. real property interest must withhold tax if the transferor is a foreign person. For U.S. tax purposes (including Section 1445), the owner of a disregarded entity (which has legal title to a U.S. real property interest under local law) will be the transferor of the property and not the disregarded entity. To inform the transferee that withholding of tax is not required upon the disposition of a U.S. real property interest by King County ("Transferor"), the undersigned hereby certifies the following on behalf of Transferor:

1. Transferor is not a foreign corporation, foreign partnership, foreign trust, or foreign estate (as those terms are defined in the Internal Revenue Code and Income Tax Regulations);
2. Transferor is not a disregarded entity as defined in Section 1.1445-2(b)(2)(iii);
3. Transferor's U.S. employer identification number is 91-6001327;
4. Transferor's office address is King County Facilities Management Division, Real Estate Services Section, Room 800 King County Administration Building, 500 Fourth Avenue, Seattle, WA 98104.

Transferor understands that this certification may be disclosed to the Internal Revenue Service by transferee and that any false statement contained herein could be punished by fine, imprisonment, or both.

Under penalties of perjury I declare that I have examined this certification and to the best of my knowledge and belief it is true, correct, and complete, and I further declare that I have authority to sign this document on behalf of Transferor.

Dated this ___ day of _____, 2018.

King County, Transferor:

By: _____
Name: Anthony Wright
Title: Director, Facilities Management Division

FIRST AMENDMENT TO REAL ESTATE PURCHASE AND SALE AGREEMENT

APR 11 2019

THIS FIRST AMENDMENT TO REAL ESTATE PURCHASE AND SALE AGREEMENT ("Amendment") is made as of the 30th day of March, 2019 by and between THE CITY OF SEATTLE, a Washington municipal corporation (hereinafter referred to as the "Buyer"), and KING COUNTY, a political subdivision of the State of Washington (hereinafter referred to as "Seller"), and amends that certain Real Estate Purchase and Sale Agreement fully executed as of January 14, 2019, between the parties concerning the real property described on Exhibit A attached hereto ("Agreement") as follows:

WHEREAS, Buyer inspected the Real Property according to the parameters established in Article 5. Contingencies; and

WHEREAS, Buyer's inspections revealed an environmental condition that impacts fair market value; and

WHEREAS, Buyer and Seller have negotiated, in lieu of Buyer terminating the Agreement, an adjustment to the purchase price to reflect fair market value for existing conditions; NOW THEREFORE,

Buyer and Seller agree to the following changes to the Agreement:

1. Paragraph 2.1 of the Agreement, **Purchase Price and Payment**, is amended as follows: replace "**One Million One Hundred Thousand and No/100 Dollars (\$1,100,000.00)**" with "**One Million and No/100 Dollars (\$1,000,000.00)**".
2. Paragraph 5.2 of the Agreement, **Metropolitan King County Council Contingency**, is amended as follows: replace "**Seller may extend the County Council Approval Period for up to an additional sixty (60 days).**" with "**Seller may extend the County Council Approval Period with up to two (2) sixty-day (60-day) extensions.**"
3. Paragraph 5.3 of the Agreement, **Seattle City Council Contingency**, is amended as follows: replace "**Buyer may extend the City Council Approval Period for up to an additional sixty (60 days).**" with "**Buyer may extend the County Council Approval Period with up to two (2) sixty-day (60-day) extensions.**"
4. All other terms and conditions of the Agreement remain unchanged and in full force and effect.

BUYER:

The City of Seattle, a Washington municipal corporation

By: 
Jesus Aguirre, Interim Superintendent of Parks and Recreation

SELLER:

King County, a political subdivision of the State of Washington

By: 
Anthony Wright, Director, Facilities Management Division

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

By: 
Senior Deputy Prosecuting Attorney

EXHIBIT A

LEGAL DESCRIPTION

Real property in the County of King, State of Washington, described as follows:

**RIVER PARK ADD LOTS 1 THRU 9 & 48 TGW W 9 FT OF LOTS 10 & 47 & VAC ST ADJ
TGW LOTS 1 THRU 9 & 47 - 48 BLK 22 & POR VAC ST ADJ**

ATTACHMENT A:

PURCHASE AND SALE AGREEMENT

REAL ESTATE PURCHASE AND SALE AGREEMENT

THIS REAL ESTATE PURCHASE AND SALE AGREEMENT (“Agreement”) is made and entered by and between **KING COUNTY**, a political subdivision of the State of Washington (the “Seller”) and **THE CITY OF SEATTLE**, a municipal corporation of the State of Washington (the “Buyer”). Seller and Buyer are also referred to herein individually as a “Party” or collectively as “Parties.” This Agreement shall be effective as of the date it has been executed by both Parties (“Effective Date”).

RECITALS

A. Seller is the owner of that certain real property located at 7900 10th Avenue South, Seattle, King County, State of Washington, the legal description of which is attached hereto as **EXHIBIT A** (the “Real Property”).

B. Seller desires to sell the Real Property and Buyer desires to purchase the Real Property. The Parties are entering into this Agreement pursuant to the authority granted in the Intergovernmental Disposition of Property Act, RCW ch. 39.33.

AGREEMENT

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the promises and mutual covenants contained herein, and other valuable consideration, receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Parties hereto covenant and agree as follows:

ARTICLE 1. PURCHASE AND TRANSFER OF ASSETS

1.1. PROPERTY TO BE SOLD. Seller shall sell and convey to Buyer on the Closing Date (as hereinafter defined) and Buyer shall buy and accept from Seller on the Closing Date the following assets and properties:

1.1.1. all of Seller’s right, title and interest in the Real Property as legally described in **EXHIBIT A**;

1.1.2. all of Seller’s right, title and interest in improvements and structures located on the Real Property, if any;

1.1.3. all of Seller’s right, title and interest, if any, in and to tangible personal property, attached, appurtenant to or used in connection with the Real Property (“Personal Property”);



King County

MEMORANDUM

EPA 8/27/19

August 27, 2019

TO: Hon. Dow Constantine, King County Executive
FM: Melani Pedroza, Clerk of the Council
RE: Ordinance Passed by the Council

The following ordinances were adopted by the Council at its meeting of Wednesday, August 21, 2019.

18964 18965 18966

These ordinances are hereby presented to you on August 27, 2019 for your signature or veto and your return to the Clerk's Office on September 6, 2019 pursuant to Section 230.20 of the King County Charter¹. If that deadline date falls on a Saturday or Sunday, you must either:

1. return the ordinance before 4:30 p.m. on the preceding Friday, or
2. make arrangements with the Clerk's Office no later than noon on that Friday for the Clerk to open the Clerk's Office outside normal business hours for the purpose of receiving your return of the ordinance prior to the expiration of the return.

An ordinance not returned prior to the deadline shall be deemed enacted without the Executive's signature and this shall be reflected on the official records of the Clerk.

MP:cc
Enclosure

1. Section 230.20 of the King County Charter provides:

Within ten days after its presentation, the county executive shall either sign the ordinance and return it to the county council, veto the ordinance and return it to the county council with a written and signed statement of the reasons for his or her veto or sign and partially veto an appropriation ordinance and return it to the county council with a written and signed statement of the reasons for his or her partial veto. If an ordinance is not returned by the county executive within ten days after its presentation it shall be deemed enacted without his or her signature.

