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The Honorable Dave Upthegrove Chair, King County Council Room 1200 C O U R T H O U S E

Dear Councilmember Upthegrove:

This letter transmits a proposed Ordinance that, if enacted, will enable King County to transfer interest in the assets and liabilities comprising the Puget Sound Emergency Radio Network (PSERN) System to the PSERN Operator. The proposed transfer agreement includes, but is not limited to, real and personal property interests and certain facilities, improvements, agreements, funding, documents, equipment, permits, licenses, and other related assets and liabilities.

This transaction is recommended per the rationale and considerations provided in the attached property summary.

Pursuant to King County Code 4.56.140 and Revised Code of Washington 39.33.020 this proposed intergovernmental transfer of real property requires public notice, a press release, and a public hearing. The public notice is required to be published in an area newspaper at least ten days but no more than twenty-five days prior to the hearing. A hearing notice and a press release are attached.

Thank you for your consideration of this proposed Ordinance.

If your staff have questions, please contact Anthony Wright, Director, Facilities Management Division at 206-477-9352.

Sincerely,

Dow Constantine

King County Executive

cc: King County Councilmembers

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