



KING COUNTY

1200 King County Courthouse
516 Third Avenue
Seattle, WA 98104

Signature Report

April 11, 2017

Motion 14842

Proposed No. 2017-0161.2

Sponsors Balducci, Dembowski, Upthegrove,
McDermott, Gossett, Lambert, Kohl-Welles
and von Reichbauer

1 A MOTION making an appointment to fill a judicial
2 vacancy in the southeast division of King County district
3 court.

4 WHEREAS, a judicial vacancy exists in the southeast division of King County
5 district court, and

6 WHEREAS, RCW 3.34.100 authorizes the county legislative body to fill judicial
7 vacancies in district court, and

8 WHEREAS, K.C.C. chapter 2.70 provides for the metropolitan King County
9 council to fill judicial vacancies in district court, and

10 WHEREAS, in accordance with K.C.C. 2.70.020.D., the Seattle King County Bar
11 Association referred to the council candidates, and

12 WHEREAS, the council added a candidate who submitted an application directly
13 to the clerk of the council and had been rated exceptionally highly qualified by the Seattle
14 King County Bar Association last year, and

15 WHEREAS, a rating of the Seattle King County Bar Association is valid for three
16 years,

17 WHEREAS, for those eligible candidates, the committee of the whole reviewed
18 candidate ratings from the Seattle King County Bar Association and other bar

19 associations with an established judicial candidate evaluation procedure, reviewed written
20 materials concerning each candidate, and conducted interviews with the final candidates
21 in accordance with K.C.C. chapter 2.70;

22 WHEREAS the council has carefully considered the qualifications of the final
23 candidates;

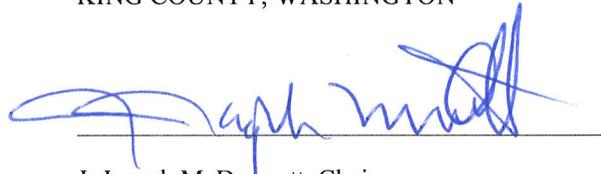
24 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT MOVED by the Council of King County:

25 Matthew York is hereby appointed to fill the vacant judicial position in the
26 southeast division of King County district court.
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Motion 14842 was introduced on 4/3/2017 and passed by the Metropolitan King
County Council on 4/10/2017, by the following vote:

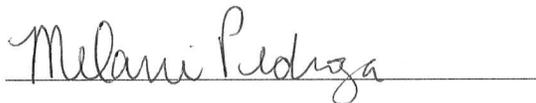
Yes: 9 - Mr. von Reichbauer, Mr. Gossett, Ms. Lambert, Mr. Dunn,
Mr. McDermott, Mr. Dembowski, Mr. Upthegrove, Ms. Kohl-Welles
and Ms. Balducci
No: 0
Excused: 0

KING COUNTY COUNCIL
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON



J. Joseph McDermott, Chair

ATTEST:



Melani Pedroza, Acting Clerk of the Council

Attachments: None