

**KING COUNTY** 

## **Signature Report**

## November 16, 2009

## Ordinance 16694

|    | Proposed No. 2009-0570.2 Sponsors Gossett   |
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| 1  | AN ORDINANCE relating to changing handling fees for   |
| 2  | returned checks; and amending Ordinance 8328, Section 1,                                    |
| 3  | as amended, and K.C.C. 4.92.010.  |
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| 5  | BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:   |
| 6  | SECTION 1. Section 2 of this ordinance changes handling fees by county                      |
| 7  | agencies for checks dishonored by nonacceptance or nonpayment. These fees are               |
| 8  | assessed as authorized under RCW 62A.3-515.   |
| 9  | SECTION 2. Ordinance 8238, Section 1, as amended, and K.C.C. 4.92.010 are                   |
| 10 | each hereby amended to read as follows:   |
| 11 | ((The purpose of this chapter is to authorize a))Agencies of King County ((to)) are         |
| 12 | authorized to assess a ((charge)) handling fee of ((\$25.00)) thirty-five dollars per check |
| 13 | dishonored by nonacceptance or nonpayment, ((pursuant to)) as authorized under RCW          |
| 14 | 62A.3-515.  |
| 15 | Any King County department or agency ((which)) that receives payment by check               |
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17 may establish a procedure for the collection of this fee.

18 <u>SECTION 3.</u> This ordinance takes effect January 1, 2010.

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Ordinance 16694 was introduced on 10/12/2009 and passed by the Metropolitan King County Council on 11/16/2009, by the following vote:

Yes: 9 - Mr. Constantine, Mr. Ferguson, Ms. Hague, Ms. Lambert, Mr. von Reichbauer, Mr. Gossett, Mr. Phillips, Ms. Patterson and Mr. Dunn No: 0 Excused: 0

> KING COUNTY COUNCIL KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Dow Constantine, Chair

ATTEST:

Anne Noris, Clerk of the Council

APPROVED this 30TH day of NovEnBER, 2009.

Kurt Triplett, County Executive

Attachments

None

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