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Budget and Fiscal Management Committee

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STAFF REPORT

SUBJECT: AN ORDINANCE that amends King County Code Title 11 to implement the Executive's proposed Regional Animal Services program.

SUMMARY:

This proposed ordinance is one in a package of three ordinances that would implement a new regional animal services model within King County. They are:

1. Proposed Ordinance 2010-0325 would amend the county code to reflect the proposed new model.
2. Proposed Ordinance 2010-0326 would approve interlocal agreements and Enhanced Control services contracts with 27 cities within King County.
3. Proposed Ordinance 2010-0327 would provide \$3.24 million and 1.90 new FTEs in the Records and Licensing Division.

This staff report will concentrate on the proposed code changes in Proposed Ordinance 2010-0325. Additional staff reports have been prepared for Proposed Ordinance 2010-0326 and Proposed Ordinance 2010-0327.

Proposed Ordinance 2010-0325 would amend King County Code to reflect changes negotiated with cities as proposed by the Executive to implement a Regional Animal Services program. Significant changes include a restructuring of fees, permits and penalties, creation of an Animal Bequest Fund for donations, acceptance of electronic payments, requirements for veterinarians and shelters to share information related to the transfer of pet ownership, clarification of authority and responsibilities of the Board of Health and Board of Appeals, elimination of the King County Animal Care and Control Citizen's Advisory Committee and "King County Animal Care and Control" is renamed "Regional Animal Services".

COUNCIL PRIORITIES

The Executive's proposed regional animal services model may further the Council's Local and Regional Cooperation Priority to work with other governments and organizations to implement local and regional priorities and increase the efficiency of service delivery

BACKGROUND:

On May 29, 2007, the Council approved Ordinance 15801, amending Title 11 of King County Code. The new policy direction of Ordinance 15801 was intended to reform animal services with the expectations that it become a model humane program. However, in subsequent years the animal services program has continued to struggle from a lack of operational oversight and licensing revenues have failed to cover the cost of the program, sustaining a financial burden on the General Fund.

Aside from annual budgetary fee adjustments, Title 11 has not been substantively amended since 2007.

Proposed Ordinance 2010-0325 would amend King County Code to reflect changes negotiated with cities as proposed by the Executive to implement a Regional Animal Services program. However, many of the proposed operational changes to animal care and control services are primarily implemented through the ILA rather than the proposed Title 11 code changes.

ANALYSIS:

Timing

The proposed ILA and supplemental budget request associated with the Regional Animal Services legislative transmittal package must be acted upon by June 21, 2010 in order to provide for continuity of animal services. However, the amendments to Title 11 do not require action by that date and could be delayed should the Council wish to deliberate further on the matter.

Proposed Ordinance 2010-0325

Proposed Ordinance 2010-0325 amends provisions of King County Code Title 11 to support the implementation of a new Regional Animal Services model. Executive staff expect to propose a more comprehensive code update, including alignment between K.C.C. Titles 2 and 11, at a later date. **The proposed ordinance does not change the policy goals established in Ordinance 15801 to reform animal services and establishing a model humane program.** The primary substantive changes to Title 11 include:

New Program Name

References to "animal care and control" is removed and replaced with the new program name: "regional animal services". Council staff has identified several additional references that would require this change for inclusion in a technical amendment.

Animal Bequest Fund and Solicitation of Donations

Creates a first tier "Animal Bequest Fund" to be managed by the Director of the Department of Executive Services (DES). Requires funds be used in accordance with donor restrictions and only for the purposes of animal services and transfers existing donations to the Fund. This fund will allow donated funds to be accounted for with greater transparency and appropriation authority so funds may be spent as programmatic needs are identified. The Executive is also authorized to accept and solicit gifts, bequests and donations in support of regional animal services to be deposited in the Animal Bequest Fund.

Concessions and Sponsorships

Authorizes the Director of DES to enter into concession agreements with vendors to sell animal-related products and services. Proceeds would be applied to regional animal services. The Director of DES is also authorized to enter into advertising, sponsorship, and naming rights agreements.

Shelter and Foster Transfers

Recognizes transfers to other shelters and foster homes as a legitimate means by which animals may exit the King County animal shelter.

Voucher Program

Authorizes the manager of Regional Animal Services to set the value of spay/neuter vouchers issued with unaltered pet licenses.

Board of Appeals Authority

Clarifies enforcement procedures by specifying notice and order requirements and standards for the Board of Appeals' review of animal control enforcement matters. Council staff have requested information regarding impacts to the Board Appeals' workload.

Information Sharing and Reporting

Requires veterinarians and shelters to either sell license when transferring animals to a new owner or make animal license application materials available to the new owner. Changes the existing reporting requirement on animal transfers from quarterly to monthly and adds new information requirements such as email addresses and microchip numbers. Council staff have requested information on stakeholder positions on this revised provision.

Board of Health Authority

Removes licensing authority over kennels, catteries, grooming facilities and pet shops which are now governed by Board of Health code. The new regulations were adopted in 2008 and went into effect on March 1, 2010

Citizen's Advisory Committee

Eliminates the King County Animal Care and Control Citizen's Advisory Committee. This committee has not been active since 2008.

Licensing Program Changes

Electronic Payments

Authorizes the acceptance of electronic payments (e.g., credit and debit cards) for pet licensing related services. The use of electronic payments may result in increased compliance as citizens have a convenient option for payment. Electronic payments may also increase the accuracy of record keeping (data management has been an ongoing concern with the animal services program, as recently noted in the 2009 Auditor's report).

Unaltered Juvenile Licenses

Enables purchase of a juvenile license for unaltered pets up to six months of age in lieu of an adult unaltered license.

Discounted Licenses

Creates a new "discounted license" fee available to seniors and disabled individuals. The "lifetime license" for seniors is eliminated and seniors would need to purchase annual licenses, at a discounted rate for newly licensed pets. Seniors who have previously purchased the "lifetime license" would be exempt from purchasing an annual discounted license on animals with "lifetime license" (in essence, these animals are grandfathered into the licensing program).

Amnesty

Eliminates the provision that allows pet owners to avoid penalties if they immediately purchase a license when caught with an unlicensed animal, a significant disincentive to pet licensing. The regional animal services manager is authorized to provide periods of amnesty for payment of outstanding licensing fees and late penalties.

Restructuring of Fees, Permits and Penalties

Fees, permits and penalties are adjusted and reorganized into four categories (See Table 1 on the following page for details.):

1. Licenses and Registration Fees
2. Business and Activity Permits
3. Civil Penalties
4. Service Fees

Elasticity of the fees, permits and penalties is unknown and as such, staff cannot determine impacts on compliance. However, Council revisions to the proposed fees, permits and penalties may have impacts on the Executive's revenue projections. Council staff will be working closely with Executive staff to understand these impacts.

Table 1: Fees proposed in Proposed Ordinance 2010-0325

	Subject	Current	Proposed	Executive Notes
License Fees & Business Permits	Altered pet license	\$30	No change	
	Unaltered pet license	\$90	\$60	
	Discounted pet license	n/a	\$15	Replaces "Senior Lifetime License"; available to persons who are disabled.
	Juvenile pet license	\$5	\$15	Available as an alternative to an altered license for animals up to six months old.
	Guard dog registration	\$100	No change	
	Exotic pet	\$500 new \$250 renewal	No change	
	Service and police dogs	\$0	No change	
	Late fees for licensing	\$15/\$20/\$75	\$15/\$20/\$30	For 45/90/135 days late.
	Private animal placement permit	\$25/\$10	\$15/\$0	Consolidates individual and organizational permits. No charge for those who foster King County shelter animals.
	Hobby kennel/cattery	\$50	No change	
Commercial kennel or cattery/pet shop/grooming shop	\$250/\$250/\$150	Fees eliminated	These facilities are now governed by BOH code.	
Civil Fines	Civil penalty: general	"up to \$1000"	\$50/\$100/ double previous**	Clarifies standard for determining amount of penalty
	Civil penalty: vicious animal or animal cruelty	n/a	\$500/\$1000*	New category
	Leash law violation	\$25/\$50	No change	
	Unlicensed pet – altered	\$75	\$125	
	Unlicensed pet – unaltered	\$75	\$250	
Service Fees	Adoption fee	\$75	\$75 - \$250	Based on adoptability
	Spay/neuter deposit	\$50	\$150	Deposit is returned upon timely proof of spay/neuter.
	Impound fee	\$45/\$85/\$90**	\$45/\$85/\$125**	
	Livestock impound fee	\$100	\$100 or actual sheltering cost	Whichever is greater
	Kenneling fee	\$12	\$20	Per day for impounded animals
	In-field pick-up	\$20	\$75	For unlicensed pets
	Owner-requested euthanasia	\$20	\$50	For unlicensed pets
	Microchip	\$25	No change	Optional

**multiple rates indicate increase with successive offenses

Alignment with City of Seattle

Council staff will continue analysis of the proposed fees, permits and penalties and will provide a comparative analysis with the City of Seattle's fees, permits and penalties as the Council continues its deliberations.

Legal Review

The proposed amendments to Title 11 have been reviewed by the Prosecuting Attorney's Office and legal counsel for the cities.

Public Hearing

The Chair of the Council will provide for a discretionary public hearing on Proposed Ordinance 2010-0325 at the Council meeting on June 14, 2010 and an advertised public hearing at the Council meeting on June 21, 2010.

Operating Issues for Consideration

The proposed Regional Animal Services model is intended to define a new foundation for service contracts that could, if adopted by a sufficient number of cities and the Council, preserve a regional system that leverages economies of scale and addresses some of the ongoing concerns over the health, safety and the humane care of animals. However, most of the historic operational concerns over the current animal services program will require continual reforms by the Executive through rigorous managerial oversight. Some of the provisions within the proposed changes to Title 11 are intended to address reform and additional details are found within the document "Road Map to Reform" included in the legislative transmittal package. The Road Map to Reform outlines proposed actions that would be taken to improve the program.

The proposed Regional Animal Services model is a reduced-cost model, not a full-cost recovery model and Councilmembers will need to consider the county's financial priorities in its deliberations. Staff analysis is ongoing.

INVITED:

- Carrie Cihak, Strategic Initiatives Director, Office of the Executive
- Caroline Whalen, County Administrative Officer
- Bob Roegner, Special Projects Manager, Department of Executive Services
- Ken Nakatsu, Manager, Regional Animal Services
- Dwight Dively, Director, Office of Management and Budget (OMB)
- Shelley De Wys, Budget Analyst, OMB

ATTACHMENTS:

1. Proposed Ordinance 2010-0325
2. Transmittal Letter, dated June 1, 2010
3. Fiscal Note
4. Fees Proposed in Proposed Ordinance 2010-0325
5. Summary of Proposed Fees and Code Amendments for Regional Animal Services, King County Code Title 11
6. Road Map to Reform
7. Hearing Notice



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Signature Report

June 8, 2010

Ordinance

Proposed No. 2010-0325.1

Sponsors Patterson

1 AN ORDINANCE relating to the provision of regional
2 animal care and control services; amending Ordinance
3 12076, Section 9, as amended, and K.C.C. 4.08.015,
4 Ordinance 1269, Section 1, as amended, and K.C.C.
5 11.02.010, Ordinance 1269, Section 3, as amended, and
6 K.C.C. 11.02.020, Ordinance 1396 Article I, Section 2, as
7 amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.010, Ordinance 1396, Article I,
8 Section 3, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.020, Ordinance
9 1396, Article II, Section 1, as amended, and K.C.C.
10 11.04.030, Ordinance 10423, Section 3, as amended, and
11 K.C.C. 11.04.033, Ordinance 7416, Section 2, as amended,
12 and K.C.C. 11.04.035, Ordinance 1396, Article II, Section
13 3, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.050, Ordinance 1396,
14 Article II, Section 4, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.060,
15 Ordinance 1396, Article II, Section 5, as amended, and
16 K.C.C. 11.04.070, Ordinance 1396, Article II, Section 6, as
17 amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.080, Ordinance 1396, Article
18 II, Section 12, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.140,
19 Ordinance 1396, Article II, Section 13, as amended, and

20 K.C.C. 11.04.150, Ordinance 1396, Article II, Section 14,
21 as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.160, Ordinance 10809,
22 Section 3, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.165, Ordinance
23 10809, Section 4, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.167,
24 Ordinance 1396, Article III, Section 1, as amended, and
25 K.C.C. 11.04.170, Ordinance 1396, Article III, Section 2,
26 as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.180, Ordinance 1396,
27 Article III, Section 5, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.210,
28 Ordinance 1396, Article III, Section 6, as amended, and
29 K.C.C. 11.04.220, Ordinance 1396, Article III, Section 8,
30 as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.250, Ordinance 1396,
31 Article III, Section 9, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.260,
32 Ordinance 1396, Article III, Section 10, as amended, and
33 K.C.C. 11.04.270, Ordinance 1396, Article III, Section 12,
34 as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.290, Ordinance 6370,
35 Section 12, and K.C.C. 11.04.330, Ordinance 7986, Section
36 3, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.335, Ordinance 10423,
37 Section 24, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.410, Ordinance
38 10423, Section 6, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.500,
39 Ordinance 10423, Section 26, as amended, and K.C.C.
40 11.04.570, Ordinance 3732, Section 1, as amended, and
41 K.C.C. 11.08.040, Ordinance 3548, Section 5, as amended,
42 and K.C.C. 11.08.060, Ordinance 11150, Section 1-2, and

43 K.C.C. 11.08.075, Resolution 27312, Section 1, as
44 amended, and K.C.C. 11.12.010, Ordinance 2473, Section
45 2, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.28.020, Ordinance 2473,
46 Section 6, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.28.060, Ordinance
47 2473, Section 7, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.28.070,
48 Ordinance 3232, Section 2, as amended, and K.C.C.
49 11.32.020, Ordinance 3232, Section 9, as amended, and
50 K.C.C. 11.32.090 and Ordinance 3232 Section 13, as
51 amended, and K.C.C. 11.32.100, adding a new section to
52 K.C.C. chapter 2.80, adding a new section to K.C.C.
53 chapter 4.08, adding a new section to K.C.C. chapter 4.100,
54 adding new sections to K.C.C. chapter 11.02, repealing
55 Ordinance 1396, Article II, Section 2, as amended, and
56 K.C.C. 11.04.040, Ordinance 6370, Section 11, as
57 amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.320, Ordinance 10423, Section
58 10, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.04.590, Ordinance 9464,
59 Section 1, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.06.010, Ordinance
60 9464, Section 2, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.06.020,
61 Ordinance 9464, Section 3, as amended, and K.C.C.
62 11.06.030, Ordinance 9464, Section 4, and K.C.C.
63 11.06.040, Ordinance 9464, Section 5, and K.C.C.
64 11.06.050, Ordinance 9464, Section 6, as amended, and

65 K.C.C. 11.06.060 and Ordinance 9464, Section 7, and
66 K.C.C. 11.06.070 and prescribing penalties.

67 STATEMENT OF FACTS:

68 1. King County animal care and control has provided services to the
69 unincorporated areas of King County and by contract to the majority of
70 cities in the county in exchange for retention of their pet licensing revenue
71 since the mid-1980s.

72 2. The county general fund contribution to the provision of animal
73 services has increased over the years, culminating in a general fund
74 contribution of nearly \$3 million in recent years.

75 3. Motion 13092, adopted by the metropolitan King County council on
76 November 9, 2009, directed the county executive to end the provision of
77 animal shelter services by King County for contract cities and for
78 unincorporated King County as soon as possible but no later than January
79 31, 2010, and to enter into new full cost recovery contracts with cities for
80 animal control and licensing services by June 30, 2010.

81 4. The 2010 Budget Ordinance, Ordinance 16717, Section 30, provided
82 funding for animal care and control such that sheltering services would be
83 provided only through January 31, 2010.

84 5. With the adoption of Ordinance 16750, extending FTE authority for
85 animal sheltering services through June 30, 2010, the county recognized
86 that there is currently not sufficient sheltering capacity in the region to
87 close the King County animal shelter. The extension of FTE authority

88 provided a common deadline for the county to work with cities on a new
89 regional model for animal services, inclusive of animal sheltering, animal
90 control, and pet licensing functions.

91 6. A regional model for animal services enables the county and the cities
92 to provide for better public health, safety, animal welfare and customer
93 service outcomes at a lower cost than jurisdictions are able to provide for
94 on their own. This is accomplished through properly aligned financial
95 incentives, partnerships to increase revenue, economies of scale, a
96 consistent regulatory approach across participating jurisdictions and
97 collaborative initiatives to reduce the homeless animal population and
98 leverage private sector resources while providing for a level of animal care
99 respected by the community

100 7. Beginning in January of 2010, a joint cities-county work group began
101 meeting on a weekly basis to develop a new regional animal services
102 model for King County and individual cities to consider. The work group
103 included representation from King County and the cities of SeaTac,
104 Tukwila, Kent, Bellevue, Redmond, Sammamish, Shoreline and Lake
105 Forest Park.

106 8. On February 26, 2010, the executive transmitted to the council an
107 implementation plan for entering into new animal services contracts with
108 cities.

109 9. Consistent with the implementation plan, the joint cities-county work
110 group for regional animal services developed an agreement in principle for

111 a new regional animal services model that defines services, expenditures,
112 cost and revenue allocation methodologies and collaborative initiatives for
113 increasing revenues through fees, penalties, and other means for animal
114 shelter, animal control and pet licensing services. The agreement in
115 principle and supporting materials were shared with all cities, the county
116 council, and the public in early April, through presentations to city
117 managers and administrators, the suburban cities' association public issues
118 committee, the regional policy committee, numerous city council meetings
119 and through individual meetings with county and city officials and staff.

120 10. Consistent with the implementation plan, the joint cities-county work
121 group for regional animal services developed an interlocal agreement for
122 animal services based on the agreement in principle.

123 11. The proposed interlocal agreement provides for regional animal services to be
124 funded in part by revenue earned through license sales and fees and fines. In
125 2010, this revenue is estimated to total about two-thirds of expenditures.

126 12. King County and cities participating in the interlocal agreement have
127 a mutual interest in increasing program revenue to support animal
128 services, including through: (a) changes to pet license fees; (b) programs,
129 penalties and other incentives to increase pet license sales; (c) enforcement
130 of city and county codes requiring the licensing of pets; (d) gifts, bequests
131 and donations that promote animal welfare; and (e) entrepreneurial
132 programs for raising revenue, such as sponsorships, advertising, naming
133 rights, concessions and fundraising events.

134 13. The proposed interlocal agreement requires cities to enact an
135 ordinance or resolution that includes license, fee, penalty, enforcement,
136 impound/redemption and sheltering provisions that are substantially the
137 same as those of Title 11 of King County Code.

138 14. King County residents and volunteers regularly donate funds to King County
139 to enhance the welfare of animals generally or through specific means such as
140 providing for animals' special medical needs or supporting spay/neuter services.
141 Expedient access to these funds for use in the manner in which they were donated
142 is critical to the welfare of animals in King County's care.

143 BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:

144 NEW SECTION. SECTION 1. There is hereby added to K.C.C. chapter 2.80 a
145 new section to read as follows:

146 This chapter does not apply to gifts, bequests or donations, of under fifty thousand
147 dollars, received for animal care and control purposes.

148 SECTION 2. Ordinance 12076, Section 9, as amended, and K.C.C. 4.08.015 are
149 hereby amended to read as follows:

150 A. First tier funds and fund managers are as follows:

Fund No.	Fund Title	Fund Manager
103	County Road	Dept. of Transportation
104	Solid Waste Landfill Post Closure Maintenance	Dept. of Natural Resources and Parks

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109	Recorder's O & M	Dept. of Executive Services
111	Enhanced-911 Emergency Tel System	Dept. of Executive Services
112	Mental Health	Dept. of Community and Human Services
113-5	Mental Illness and Drug Dependency	Dept. of Community and Human Services
114-1	Veterans Services Levy	Dept. of Community and Human Services
114-2	Health and Human Services Levy	Dept. of Community and Human Services
115	Road Improvement Guaranty	Dept. of Transportation
117	Arts and Cultural Development	Dept. of Executive Services
119	Emergency Medical Services	Dept. of Public Health
121	Surface Water Management	Dept. of Natural Resources and Parks
122	Automated Fingerprint Identification System	Dept. of Public Safety
124	Citizen Councilor Revolving	Auditor
128	Local Hazardous Waste	Dept. of Public Health
129	Youth Sports Facilities Grant	Dept. of Natural Resources and Parks
131	Noxious weed control fund	Dept. of Natural Resources and

		Parks
134	Development and Environmental Services	Dept. of Development and Environmental Services
137	Clark Contract Administration	Office of Management and Budget
138	Parks Trust and Contribution	Dept. of Natural Resources and Parks
139	Risk Abatement	Office of Management and Budget
145	Parks and Recreation	Dept. of Natural Resources and Parks
156-1	KC Flood Control Operating Contract	Dept. of Natural Resources and Parks
164	Two-Tenths Sales Tax Revenue Receiving	Dept. of Transportation
165	Public Transit Self Insurance	Dept. of Transportation
215	Grants tier 1 fund	Dept. of Executive Services
216	Cultural Resource Mitigation Fund	Office of Strategic Planning and Performance Management
309	Neighborhood Parks and Open Space	Dept. of Executive Services
312	HMC Long Range CIP	Dept. of Executive Services
315	Conservation Futures	Dept. of Natural Resources and Parks
316	Parks, Rec. and Open Space	Dept. of Executive Services

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318	Surface and Storm Water Mgmt Const	Dept. of Natural Resources and Parks
320	Public Art Fund	Dept. of Executive Services
322	Housing Opportunity Acquisition	Dept. of Community and Human Services
326	1990 Series B Youth Detention Facility	Dept. of Executive Services
327	Equipment and Building Acquisition	Dept. of Executive Services
329	SWM CIP Construction 1992-1997	Dept. of Natural Resources and Parks
331	Long-Term Leases	Dept. of Executive Services
334	Capital Acqn and County Fac Renovation	Office of Management and Budget
335	Youth Services Facilities Construction	Dept. of Executive Services
338	Airport Construction	Dept. of Transportation
339	Working Forest 1995 B	Dept. of Natural Resources and Parks
340	Park Lands Acquisition 1993	Dept. of Natural Resources and Parks
340-3	Urban Reforestation and Habitat Restoration	Dept. of Natural Resources and Parks
341	Arts and Historic Preservation Capital	Dept. of Executive Services
342	Major Maintenance Reserve	Dept. of Executive Services

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343	Core GIS Capital Project	Dept. of Natural Resources and Parks
346	Regional Justice Center Construction	Dept. of Executive Services
347	Emergency Communications System	Dept. of Executive Services
349	Parks Facilities Rehabilitation	Dept. of Executive Services
350	Open Space Acquisition	Dept. of Natural Resources and Parks
357-1	KC Flood Control Capital Contract	Dept. of Natural Resources and Parks
358	Parks Capital Fund	Dept. of Natural Resources and Parks
364-3	Transit Cross-Border Lease Financing Fund	Dept. of Executive Services
369	Transfer of Development Credits Program (TDC) Fund	Dept. of Natural Resources Parks
377-1	OIRM Capital Fund	Office of Information Resource Management
378	Information and Telecommunications Capital Improvement Fund	Dept. of Executive Services
381	Solid Waste Cap Equip Recovery	Dept. of Natural Resources and Parks
383	Solid Waste Environmental Reserve	Dept. of Natural Resources and

		Parks
384	Farmland and Open Space Acquisition	Dept. of Natural Resources and Parks
385	Renton Maintenance Fac. Const	Dept. of Transportation
386	County Road Construction	Dept. of Transportation
387	HMC Construction	Dept. of Executive Services
390	Solid Waste Construction	Dept. of Natural Resources and Parks
391	Landfill Reserve	Dept. of Natural Resources and Parks
394	Kingdome CIP	Dept. of Executive Services
395	Building Capital Improvement	Dept. of Executive Services
396	HMC Building Repair and Replacement	Dept. of Executive Services
404	Solid Waste Operating	Dept. of Natural Resources and Parks
429	Airport Operating	Dept. of Transportation
448	Stadium Management	Dept. of Executive Services
453-1	Institutional Network Operating Fund	Dept. of Executive Services
461	Water Quality	Dept. of Natural Resources and Parks
464	Public Transportation	Dept. of Transportation
542	Safety and Workers' Compensation	Dept. of Executive Services

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544	Wastewater Equipment Rental and Revolving Fund	Dept. of Transportation
546	Department of Executive Service Equipment Replacement	Dept. of Executive Services
547	Office of Information Resource Management Operating Fund	Dept. of Executive Services
550	Employee Benefits Program	Dept. of Executive Services
551	Facilities Management	Dept. of Executive Services
552	Insurance	Dept. of Executive Services
557	Public Works Equipment Rental	Dept. of Transportation
558	Motor Pool Equipment Rental	Dept. of Transportation
560	Printing/Graphic Arts Services	Dept. of Executive Services
603	Cultural Resources Endowment	Dept. of Executive Services
622	Judicial Administration Trust and Agency	Dept. of Judicial Administration
624	School District Impact Fee	Office of Management and Budget
674	Refunded Ltd GO Bond Rdmp.	Dept. of Executive Services
675	Refunded Unltd GO Bond	Dept. of Executive Services
676	H&CD Escrow	Dept. of Executive Services
693	Deferred Compensation	Dept. of Executive Services
694	Employee Charitable Campaign Contributions	Dept. of Executive Services

696	Mitigation Payment System	Dept. of Transportation
843	DMS Limited GO Bonds	Dept. of Executive Services
890	ULID Assessment - 1981	Dept. of Transportation
1010	Climate Exchange Fund	Office of Management and Budget
1411	Rainy Day Reserve	Office of Management and Budget
1421	Children and Families Services	Dept. of Community and Human Services
1590	Marine Division Operating Fund	Dept. of Transportation
3590	Marine Division Capital Fund	Dept. of Transportation
<u>4590</u>	<u>Animal Bequest Fund</u>	<u>Dept. of Executive Services</u>
****	Historical Preservation and Historical Programs Fund	Dept. of Executive Services

151 B. The following shall also be first tier funds:

152 1. All funds now or hereafter established by ordinance for capital construction
153 through specific road improvement districts, utility local improvement districts or local
154 improvement districts. The director of the department of transportation shall be the fund
155 manager for transportation-related funds. The director of the department of natural
156 resources and parks shall be the fund manager for utility-related funds.

157 2. All county funds that receive original proceeds of borrowings made under
158 Chapter 216, Washington Laws of 1982, as now existing or hereafter amended, to the
159 extent of the amounts then outstanding for the borrowings for that fund. For purposes of
160 this subsection, the director of the county department or office primarily responsible for
161 expenditures from that fund shall be the fund manager.

162 3. Any other fund as the council may hereinafter prescribe by ordinance to be
163 invested for its own benefit. County funds shall be treated as provided in K.C.C. 4.10.110
164 unless a designation is made by the council.

165 NEW SECTION. SECTION 3. There is hereby added to K.C.C. chapter 4.08 a
166 new section to read as follows:

167 A. There is hereby created the animal bequest fund. The fund shall be a first tier
168 fund as described in this chapter. The director of the department of executive services
169 shall be the manager of the fund. All receipts and earnings from gifts, bequests and
170 donations shall be deposited and credited to the fund. The fund may only be used in
171 accordance with donor restrictions and for regional animal services purposes, including
172 but not limited to housing of animals, medical attention for animals, public education,
173 animal shelter improvements and such other purposes that further the general welfare of
174 animals. All revenue in the animal bequest account within the general fund and any
175 subaccounts of the account as of the effective date of this ordinance shall be transferred
176 to the animal bequest fund.

177 NEW SECTION. SECTION 4. There is hereby added to K.C.C. chapter 4.100 a
178 new section to read as follows:

179 The records and licensing services division is authorized to accept electronic
180 payments for animal care and control and pet licensing purposes, including for all fees
181 and penalties in K.C.C. 11.04.035. The records and licensing services division is
182 authorized to absorb the operational and business costs of accepting these electronic
183 payments, including bank and processing fees charged by electronic payment vendors,
184 subject to appropriation authority being provided by the county council.

185 SECTION 5. Ordinance 1269, Section 1, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.02.010 are
186 hereby amended to read as follows:

187 There is established (~~(an animal care and control)~~) a regional animal services
188 section in the records and licensing services division. The (~~(animal care and control)~~)
189 regional animal services section is by this chapter designated the agency authorized to
190 provide animal care services and enforce animal control laws.

191 SECTION 6. Ordinance 1269, Section 3, as amended, and K.C.C. 11.02.020 are
192 hereby amended to read as follows:

193 There is established within the (~~(animal care and control)~~) regional animal
194 services section the position of manager of the (~~(animal care and control)~~) regional
195 animal services section, to be compensated at a rate established in accordance with
196 county personnel policies.

197 NEW SECTION. SECTION 7. There is hereby added to K.C.C. chapter 11.02 a
198 new section to read as follows:

199 The director of the department of executive services is authorized to enter into
200 concession agreements with vendors to sell animal-related products and services at the
201 King County animal shelter and at other county facilities and events. The revenue from
202 these concession agreements shall be applied solely to regional animal services.

203 NEW SECTION. SECTION 8. There is hereby added to K.C.C. chapter 11.02 a
204 new section to read as follows:

205 A. Consistent with K.C.C. chapter 3.04, the executive may solicit and accept
206 from the general public and business communities and all other persons, gifts, bequests
207 and donations to the county in support of regional animal services.

208 B. All gifts, bequests and donations of money to the county for regional animal
209 services shall be deposited and credited to the animal bequest fund created under section
210 3 of this ordinance.

211 C. The director of the department of executive services shall assure that
212 expenditures from the gift, bequest or donation are consistent with the terms, if any,
213 requested by the grantor.

214 NEW SECTION. SECTION 9. There is hereby added to K.C.C. chapter 11.02 a
215 new section to read as follows:

216 A. The director of the department of executive services may negotiate and enter
217 into advertising, sponsorship and naming rights agreements for the purpose of providing
218 financial support for regional animal services programs. Advertising shall be restricted to
219 commercial speech.

220 B. Advertisers and sponsors shall abide by the nondiscrimination requirements of
221 K.C.C. Title 12. Furthermore, an advertising, sponsorship or naming rights agreement
222 may not result in advertisement of spirits or tobacco products in violation of K.C.C.
223 chapter 12.51.

224 C. The director may impose additional subject-matter restrictions on advertising,
225 sponsorship and naming rights agreements consistent with applicable law.

226 D. Revenue generated from advertising, sponsorships and naming rights
227 agreements entered into under this section shall be applied solely to regional animal
228 services.

229 SECTION 10. Ordinance 1396, Article I, Section 2, as amended, and K.C.C.
230 11.04.010 are hereby amended to read as follows:

231 A. It is declared the public policy of the county to secure and maintain such
232 levels of animal care and control as will protect animal and human health and safety, and
233 to the greatest degree practicable to prevent injury to property and cruelty to animal life.
234 To this end, it is the purpose of this chapter to provide a means of caring for animals,
235 licensing dogs, cats, (~~((animal shelters))~~) hobby catteries, hobby kennels (~~((, kennels and pet~~
236 ~~shops))~~) and related facilities and controlling errant animal behavior so that it shall not
237 become a public nuisance and to prevent cruelty to animals.

238 B. If there is a conflict between a provision of this chapter and a provision in
239 K.C.C. Title 21A, the provision in K.C.C. Title 21A shall control.

240 SECTION 11. Ordinance 1396, Article I, Section 3, as amended, and K.C.C.
241 11.04.020 are hereby amended to read as follows:

242 In construing this chapter, except where otherwise plainly declared or clearly
243 apparent from the context, words shall be given their common and ordinary meaning. In
244 addition, the following definitions apply to this chapter:

245 A. "Abate" means to terminate any violation by reasonable and lawful means
246 determined by the manager of the (~~((animal care and control authority))~~) regional animal
247 services section in order that an owner or a person presumed to be the owner shall
248 comply with this chapter.

249 B. "Altered" means spayed or neutered.

250 C. "Animal" means any living creature except Homo sapiens, insects and worms.

251 (~~((C.))~~) D. "Animal care and control authority" means the (~~((county animal care and~~
252 ~~control))~~) regional animal services section of the records and licensing services division,

