

Legislation Text

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A MOTION approving a framework of goals, objectives and conceptual approaches for preparation of a capital investment strategy for the Middle Fork Snoqualmie River.

WHEREAS, the scope of the proposed Middle Fork Snoqualmie River Corridor Plan ("the Corridor Plan") is the lower five miles of the Middle Fork Snoqualmie River ("the Study Area"), where communities are most impacted by flooding and channel migration and where King County maintains a discontinuous system of flood protection levees and revetments, and

WHEREAS, the Corridor Plan will recommend a prioritized and sequenced suite of actions for the river and its floodplain, channel migration zone, and riparian areas ("the Capital Investment Strategy"), and

WHEREAS the Study Area is subject to flood hazards including local bank erosion as well as channel migration and potential avulsion, and

WHEREAS, there is over \$40 million of residential development within the Study Area, and

WHEREAS, there are 14 King County flood facilities within the Study Area including 11 bank protection revetments and three training levees, and

WHEREAS, the levees in the Study Area overtop at approximately a 30-year flood event, and

WHEREAS, approximately 300 structures in the Study Area are at risk of inundation at a 100-year flood event, and

WHEREAS, approximately 20 structures in the Study Area are located in the severe channel migration zone;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT MOVED BY THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE KING

COUNTY FLOOD CONTROL ZONE DISTRICT:

A. The executive committee adopts the "Middle Fork Snoqualmie River Corridor Plan Capital Investment Strategy Floodplain Management Goals and Objectives," which is Attachment A to this motion.