

RESOLUTION NO. 2132

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KIRKLAND APPROVING A CONTRACT WITH KING COUNTY RELATING TO LICENSING OF TAXICABS, FOR-HIRE VEHICLES, AND THE DRIVERS THEREOF, AND COUNTY ENFORCEMENT OF KIRKLAND ORDINANCE NO. 2180.

WHEREAS, King County and the City of Kirkland have jurisdiction to regulate the business of operating taxicabs and for-hire vehicles within their respective boundaries, and

WHEREAS, the business of operating taxicabs and for-hire vehicles presents peculiar licensing and law enforcement problems of a multi-jurisdictional nature, and

WHEREAS, it is desirable in order to adequately protect the interests of the county and the city and the citizens thereof to provide for a uniform county-wide system of licensing taxicabs and for-hire vehicles and the drivers thereof, and

WHEREAS, the county and its employees, and more particularly, the business license division of the King County Department of General Services are well qualified and able in matters relating to the licensing and enforcement of laws relating to the conduct of the taxicab and for-hire vehicle business, and

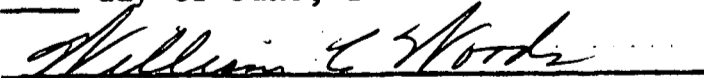
WHEREAS, pursuant to Kirkland Ordinance No. 2180, Kirkland desires to obtain the assistance of the county in matters relating to the licensing and enforcement of laws relating to the conduct of the taxicab and for-hire vehicle business, and

WHEREAS, the county pursuant to King County Ordinance No. 1120 is ready, willing and able to act to assist the city in matters relating to the licensing and enforcement of laws relating to regulation of taxicabs and for-hire vehicles and the drivers thereof,

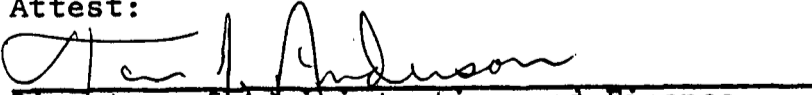
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Kirkland as follows:

Section 1. The City Manager for the City of Kirkland, pursuant to Section 2 of Kirkland Ordinance No. 2180, is authorized and directed to sign for the City of Kirkland a contract with King County providing for the enforcement of Kirkland Ordinance No. 2180, relating to taxicabs, for-hire vehicles, the drivers thereof, and the licensing thereof. A copy of said contract is attached to the original of this resolution, and is approved by the City Council. The effective date of said contract is determined to be the date of adoption of this resolution.

ADOPTED by majority vote of the Kirkland City Council in regular meeting on the 5th day of June, 1972.

  
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Mayor

Attest:

  
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Director of Administration and Finance  
(ex officio City Clerk)