

RESOLUTION R 3093

A RESOLUTION OF THE KIRKLAND CITY COUNCIL AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO SIGN ON BEHALF OF THE CITY OF KIRKLAND, A CONTRACT WITH KING COUNTY PROVIDING FOR AN ENHANCED 911 EMERGENCY TELEPHONE SERVICE.

Whereas, it is in the public interest to provide 911 emergency telephone service so that the public may summon emergency public safety assistance as quickly and efficiently as possible; and

Whereas, it is commonly recognized that the mismatch of public safety agency boundaries and telephone exchange boundaries in King County has prohibited the implementation of a county-wide basic 911 system; and

Whereas, it is further commonly understood that the technology of Enhanced 911 overcomes those boundary mismatch problems; and

Whereas, in the manner authorized by state law and approved by the voters of King County, the county has enacted a telephone excise tax on the use of all telephone access lines for the purpose of paying for the implementation and operation of an Enhanced 911 emergency telephone system; and

Whereas, the County has entered into a contract with Pacific Northwest Bell for the implementation and operation of an Enhanced 911 emergency telephone system; and

Whereas, the implementation and operation of any large and complex 911 system requires considerable planning and coordination within and among the participating agencies; and

Whereas, the City of Kirkland will be one of the participating agencies to implement, operate and provide continuity for an Enhanced 911 emergency telephone system for King County; and

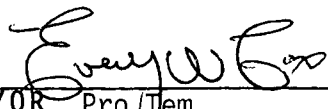
Whereas, both King County and the City of Kirkland are authorized by law to enter into an interlocal governmental agreement to establish policies, procedures and responsibilities necessary to implement, operate and provide continuity for such an Enhanced 911 emergency telephone system for King County; now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Kirkland as follows:

Section 1. The City Manager of the City of Kirkland is hereby authorized and directed to sign on behalf of the City of Kirkland, a contract with King County providing for the policies, procedures and responsibilities necessary to implement, operate and provide continuity for an Enhanced 911 emergency telephone system throughout King County which contract shall be substantially in the form of the King County Enhanced 911 participation agreement attached to the original copy of this resolution and by this reference incorporated herein.

Passed by majority vote of the Kirkland City Council in regular, open meeting this 2nd day of April, 1984.

Signed in authentication thereof this 2nd day of April, 1984.

  
MAYOR Pro Tem

ATTEST:

  
Director of Administration & Finance  
(ex officio City Clerk)