

RESOLUTION NO. 437

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF SHORELINE, WASHINGTON, APPROVING PLACEMENT ON THE BALLOT OF A COUNTYWIDE LEVY PROPOSAL FOR FUNDING THE MEDIC ONE/EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES (EMS) LEVY FOR THE PERIOD FROM JANUARY 1, 2020, THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2025.

WHEREAS, the existing Medic One/EMS levy will expire on December 31, 2019; and

WHEREAS, King County is seeking voter authorization of a six-year Medic One/EMS levy of \$0.265 cents per thousand dollars of assessed valuation for the period of 2020 through 2025; and

WHEREAS, the Medic One/EMS levy supports a regional system of emergency medical services serving King County that is known worldwide for its excellent medical results; and

WHEREAS, as mandated by RCW 84.52.069(6), in order to place a countywide levy proposal on the ballot, the King County Council must receive the approval of the legislative authority of a majority of at least seventy-five percent of all cities exceeding a population of 50,000 within King County; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Washington State Office of Financial Management population projections, Shoreline currently has a population in excess of 50,000; and

WHEREAS, on May 13, 2019, a public hearing to receive public comment was held by the City Council; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has determined that it is in the best interests of the City that such a countywide levy proposal again be placed on the ballot;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SHORELINE, WASHINGTON AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. Approval for Countywide Levy Proposal.

The City Council, as legislative authority for the City of Shoreline, hereby approves submission to the voters of a ballot proposition at the 2019 General election for a countywide additional regular property tax levy of not more than \$0.265 cents per thousand dollars assessed valuation each year for a period of six consecutive years commencing in 2020 for funding the countywide Medic One/Emergency Medical Services pursuant to RCW 84.52.069.


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ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL ON MAY 13, 2019.



Will Hall, Mayor

ATTEST:



Jessica Simulcik Smith
City Clerk