

RESOLUTION 638

CITY OF LACEY

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LACEY, WASHINGTON, URGING THE LEGISLATURE TO PROVIDE FOR THE CREATION OF ADDITIONAL NATURAL RESOURCE CONSERVATION AREAS IN THE STATE BY EXTENDING THE EXCISE TAX UPON THE SALE OF REAL PROPERTY TO PROVIDE FUNDS FOR SUCH PURPOSE

WHEREAS, the legislature acted in a manner which has and will in the future provide great benefits to the citizens of the State of Washington by passing legislation providing for Washington natural resources conservation areas; and

WHEREAS, the funding for the acquisition and preservation of such areas was pursuant to the imposition of an excise tax upon each sale of real property at the rate of 6/100 of 1 percent of the selling price; and

WHEREAS, responsible steps have been taken pursuant to such legislation to acquire conservation areas as specified; and

WHEREAS, there is a need to acquire or otherwise set aside additional conservation areas of outstanding scenic and ecological value; and

WHEREAS, the real estate excise tax which has been imposed for the purpose of carrying out such program will expire on June 30, 1989; now, therefore

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LACEY, WASHINGTON, that the legislature be urged to extend the 6/100 of 1 percent real estate excise tax upon the sale of real property beyond

its expiration date for the purpose of acquiring or otherwise pre-
serving Washington natural resource conservation areas worthy of
conservation because of their outstanding scenic and ecological
value.

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LACEY,
WASHINGTON, this 12th day of January, 1989.
CITY COUNCIL

BY Kay M. Boyd
Mayor

Attest:

Sheri L. Anderson
City Clerk

Approved as to form:

[Signature]
City Attorney