

Resolution No. 356 supporting King  
County Transportation District  
Proposition No. 1, Sales and Use Tax and  
Vehicle Fee for Transportation  
Improvements

March 31, 2014



# Background

- King County Transportation District has Proposition 1 on April 22 Special Election Ballot
- Commonly referred to as Plan B; Council briefed February 10
- Proposition 1 would impose a \$60 Vehicle License Fee and an increase in the sales tax of 0.1% Countywide for 10 years
- Proposition 1 would generate approximately \$130 million annually:
  - Metro - 60% (\$78 million)
  - Localities - 40% (\$52 million)
  - Shoreline – Approximately \$1.4 million annually

# Resolution No. 356

- RCW 42.17.130 allows City to take a position on a ballot issue as long as equal opportunity is provided to both proponents and opponents of the ballot proposition to speak
- Public comment will follow this presentation; Clerk will confirm that proponents and opponents have equal opportunity to provide comment
- Proposed Resolution No. 356 expresses Council support for King County Transportation District Proposition 1

# Recommendation

- Staff recommends that Council take public comment on this proposed Resolution and consider adoption of proposed Resolution No. 356