

RESOLUTION NO. 335

A RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF PROPOSITION NO. 1, ON THE FEBRUARY 5, 2002 BALLOT, SUBMITTED BY PIERCE TRANSIT PRESERVATION OF PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION, TO IMPOSE A 0.3% SALES AND USE TAX INCREASE

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of University Place held a Public Hearing on this issue on January 22, 2002;

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF UNIVERSITY PLACE, WASHINGTON, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Support of Sales and Use Tax Ballot Proposition No. 1. This Resolution constitutes support of the sales and use tax Proposition No. 1 on the February 5, 2002, submitted by Pierce Transit Preservation of Public Transportation. The measure will increase the sales tax by 0.3%, which amounts to an additional 3 cents on a ten-dollar purchase. This additional tax revenue will replace funding that was lost when the state Motor Vehicle Excise Tax was eliminated. It will preserve the present service and allow Pierce Transit to provide increasing levels of local bus service, shuttle transportation for people with disabilities, vanpool service, and additional Park & Ride lots, at a rate that will keep pace with Pierce County population growth.

Section 2. Encourage Citizens to Support Sales and Use Tax Ballot Proposition No. 1. The City Council hereby encourages citizens to inform themselves on this ballot measure and to support Sales and Use Tax Proposition No. 1, submitted by Pierce Transit Preservation of Public Transportation.

Section 3. Effective Date. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL ON JANUARY 22, 2002.



Jean Brooks, Mayor

ATTEST:



Catrina Craig, City Clerk