WHEREAS, the Housing Authority, in the course of its daily business, purchases a wide variety of goods and services, and;

WHEREAS, the use of purchase card programs by local governments is authorized by RCW 45.10, and;

WHEREAS, purchase card programs have become a common method of purchasing by local governments, and;

WHEREAS, the use of purchase cards is a method of procurement that can reduce transaction time and costs for small purchases; and,

WHEREAS, the current Procurement Policy approved by Resolution 3067 and passed by the Board of Commissioners in April 2000 does not allow for purchase card procurement.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE COUNTY OF KING,

SECTION 1: The Procurement Policy and Procedures Manual is amended to include a new Section III-I “Purchasing Cards”. The section is attached as an amendment to this resolution and is hereby incorporated by reference.


THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE COUNTY OF KING, WASHINGTON

PETER ORSER, Chair
Board of Commissioners

STEPHEN J. NORMAN
Secretary-Treasurer