THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE COUNTY OF KING

RESOLUTION NO. 5597

A RESOLUTION OF THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE COUNTY OF KING,
RECOGNIZING CONNIE DAVIS FOR OVER 23 YEARS OF SERVICE TO THE
RESIDENTS AND COMMUNITIES OF KING COUNTY AND TO THE KING COUNTY HOUSING AUTHORITY

WHEREAS, Connie Davis joined the King County Housing Authority in March of 1995 – twenty three years and three months ago; and

WHEREAS, during this time she has served as KCHA’s Director of Finance, Assistant Executive Director for Administrative Services, and Deputy Executive Director/Chief Administrative Officer; and

WHEREAS, in these roles she has overseen KCHA’s budget, financial operations, procurement, information technology, Human Resources, risk management, labor negotiations, facility management and resource conservation efforts; and

WHEREAS, the Housing Authority has more than doubled the number of households it serves during this period and touched the lives of tens of thousands of our community’s most vulnerable residents; and,

WHEREAS, this expansion has only been possible through her strategic vision, encyclopedic understanding of federal regulations, careful financial stewardship and close attention to detail; and

WHEREAS, she has successfully overseen complex technical undertakings involving public housing conversions, adjustments to the region’s Fair Market Rents and the execution of multiple energy performance contracts that have positioned this Housing Authority to succeed in its mission; and

WHEREAS, she has successfully led the Housing Authority through not one but two major software platform migrations and lived to tell the tale; and
WHEREAS, no one currently working for the Housing Authority can even remember the last time we had an financial audit finding; and

WHEREAS, she has accomplished all this with skill, grace and a sense of humor that has made her universally admired throughout the Authority and among her peers in the industry; and

WHEREAS, last night, because of her efforts, over 50,000 of her neighbors had safe, secure, affordable roofs over their heads;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE COUNTY OF KING, WASHINGTON; THAT:

On behalf of the Board and employees of the Housing Authority, and more importantly, on behalf of the residents and communities we serve, we express our deep appreciation and admiration to Connie Davis for almost a quarter century of unrelenting efforts in support of our community and in the advancement of our mission. She leaves a legacy that will not be forgotten.


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DOUGLAS J. BARNES, Chair

Attest:

STEPHEN J. NORMAN, Secretary