RESOLUTION NO. 716

A RESOLUTION of the City of Bellevue concurring with similar action of the legislative bodies of the City of Kirkland, Town of Houghton and Town of Redmond supporting the decision of the Toll Bridge Authority of the State of Washington in locating a Second Lake Washington Bridge at the Evergreen Point--Montlake Route.

WHEREAS, the City of Bellevue is vitally interested and concerned with the location of any bridge across Lake Washington intended to serve residents of the Greater Bellevue and East Side areas; and

WHEREAS, THE MAYORS OF BELLEVUE, KIRKLAND, HOUGHTON AND REDMOND have met with officials of the City of Seattle to the end that a solution to mutual bridge traffic problems may be found; and

WHEREAS, the official representatives of the City of Seattle have requested a statement of position of our respective cities and towns with respect to proposals of the Toll Bridge Authority of the State of Washington and the alternative proposals of the City of Seattle; and

WHEREAS, the Mayors and Councilmen of our respective cities and towns have met with each other and with representatives of the State of Washington at Kirkland, Washington on the 25th day of November, 1957, for the purpose of fully discussing the proposals and alternatives referred to herein, and having reached a decision thereon;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Bellevue, Washington, as follows:

The municipalities of Bellevue, Houghton, Kirkland and Redmond, Washington, having considered the plans and recommendations of the Washington State Toll Bridge Authority, and, having considered, also, the suggestions and recommendations of the City of Seattle concerning a Sand Point Bridge, do hereby concur in the decision of the Washington State Toll Bridge Authority to locate a Second Lake Washington Bridge on the Evergreen Point--Montlake Route and pledge their support to the end that the Evergreen Point--Montlake Bridge be built at the earliest possible date.

ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Bellevue, Washington, at a regular meeting thereof held this 26th day of November, 1957.

CITY OF BELLEVUE, WASHINGTON mad Mayor

ATTEST: Cíty Clerk

I, Jean S. Scholer, Clerk of the City of Bellevue, Washington, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of Resolution No.______ of said City, duly adopted by its Council and approved by its Mayor at a regular meeting of said Council held on the 26th day of November, 1957.

City Clerk