

ORDINANCE NO. 184

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF WOODINVILLE,
WASHINGTON, AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 55
TO REVISE THE TERMS OF OFFICE FOR THE
PLANNING COMMISSION AND ESTABLISHING AN
EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, RCW 35A.63.020 authorizes the creation of a Planning Commission; and

WHEREAS, the City Council adopted Ordinance No. 55 on May 10, 1993, which created a Planning Commission, provided for the selection and removal of Planning Commission members, and set forth their duties and responsibilities; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has reviewed Ordinance No. 55, and desires to amend said ordinance to ensure stability and continuity of understanding of the Planning Commission by staggering the four year terms so that only to allow two new members will be appointed each year, NOW, THEREFORE,

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WOODINVILLE, WASHINGTON DO ORDAIN
AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Section 2 of Ordinance No. 55, which currently reads as follows:

"Section 2. Membership.

A. Number of Members. The Planning Commission shall consist of seven members, each of whom shall be appointed for a term of four years. Provided, however, the first appointments to the Planning Commission shall consist of three individuals appointed for terms of two years and four individuals appointed for terms of four years. Subsequent appointments shall be for four year terms. Terms shall expire on July 1."

is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 2. Membership.

A. Number of Members. The Planning Commission shall consist of seven members, each of whom shall be appointed for a term of four years. Provided, however, the first appointments to the Planning Commission shall consist of three individuals appointed for terms of two years and four individuals appointed for terms of four years. Subsequent appointments shall be for four year terms, and beginning in 1997, two Commission positions are extended for one year, terminating in July 1998, one Commission position is extended one year (from 1999 to 2000), two new Commission positions are filled - to terminate in 2001,

and two Commission positions terminate in 1999, thus, limiting the yearly changes of personnel to two Commissioners each year except one on one year. Planning Commissioners may serve up to two consecutive four-year terms, with reapplication possible only after a time of non-service.

Section 2. Severability. Should any section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance, or its application to any person or circumstance, be declared unconstitutional or otherwise invalid for any reason, or should any portion of this ordinance be pre-empted by state or federal law or regulation, such decision or pre-emption shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this ordinance or its application to other persons or circumstances.

Section 3. Effective Date. This ordinance, or a summary thereof, shall be published in the official newspaper of the City, and shall take effect and be in full force five (5) days after the date of publication.

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WOODINVILLE THIS 9th
DAY OF June, 1997. APPROVED:

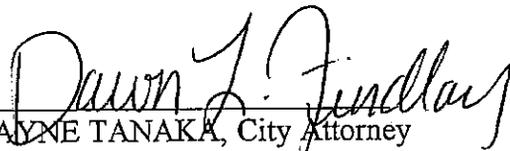

ROBERT MILLER, MAYOR

ATTEST/AUTHENTICATED:


JAMES K. KATICA
CITY CLERK/TREASURER

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

OFFICE OF THE CITY ATTORNEY

By: 
WAYNE TANAKA, City Attorney

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