

ORDINANCE NO. 376

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF WOODINVILLE, WASHINGTON, LEVYING THE GENERAL TAXES FOR THE CITY OF WOODINVILLE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR COMMENCING JANUARY 1, 2005, ON ALL PROPERTY, BOTH REAL AND PERSONAL, IN SAID CITY WHICH IS SUBJECT TO TAXATION FOR THE PURPOSE OF PAYING SUFFICIENT REVENUE TO CARRY ON THE SEVERAL DEPARTMENTS OF SAID CITY FOR THE ENSUING YEAR AS REQUIRED BY LAW.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Woodinville has met and considered its budget for the calendar year 2005; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Woodinville after hearing and after duly considering all relevant evidence and testimony presented, determined that the City of Woodinville requires a regular levy in the amount of \$2,583,898, which includes an increase in property tax revenue from the previous year, and amounts resulting from the addition of new construction and improvements to property and any increase in the value of state-assessed property, and amounts authorized by law as a result of annexations that have occurred and refunds made, in order to discharge the expected expenses and obligations of the City and in its best interest; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with RCW 84.55.0101, the City Council of the City of Woodinville has determined that a substantial need exists for a 1% increase in the 2005 City property tax levy to fund essential park, recreation, City facility and street capital improvements identified in adopted City plans and policies:

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

Section 1. *Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Woodinville* that an increase in the regular property tax levy is hereby authorized for the 2005 levy in the amount of \$24,800, which is a percentage increase of 1% from the previous year. This increase is exclusive of additional revenue resulting from the addition of new construction and improvements to property and any increase in the value of state-assessed property, and any additional amounts resulting from any annexations that have occurred and refunds made.

Section 2. The City Council of the City of Woodinville resolves that the \$24,800 increase in the regular property tax levy for the 2005 levy, which is a percentage increase of 1% from the previous year, shall be appropriated for the

purpose of funding critical projects identified in the Capital Improvement Program.

Section 3. This ordinance shall be certified to the proper County officials, as provided by law, and taxes here levied shall be collected to pay to the City of Woodinville at the time and in the manner provided by the laws of the State of Washington for the collection of taxes for non-charter code cities.

Section 4. Effective Date. This ordinance, or a summary thereof consisting of the title, shall be published in the official newspaper of the City, and shall take effect and be in full force five (5) days after publication.

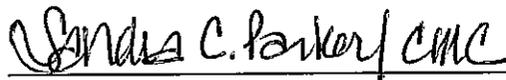
ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Woodinville this 29th day of November, 2004.

APPROVED:



Don Brocha
Mayor

ATTEST:



Sandra Parker,
City Clerk/CMC

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

OFFICE OF THE CITY ATTORNEY:

By: 
J. Zachary Lell
City Attorney

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL: 11-29-2004

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