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RMC 13.34, Street
Lighting Charges

ORDINANCE NO. 1813

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AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF REDMOND, WASHINGTON, ADDING A NEW CHAPTER 13.34 TO THE REDMOND MUNICIPAL CODE IN ORDER TO AUTHORIZE THE COLLECTION OF STREETLIGHTING CHARGES IN THAT PORTION OF THE ROSE HILL WATER DISTRICT ASSUMED BY THE CITY OF REDMOND AND FOR WHICH THE ROSE HILL WATER DISTRICT IMPOSED SUCH A CHARGE.

WHEREAS, the City of Redmond assumed jurisdiction and control over a portion of the Rose Hill Water District effective January 1, 1994, and

WHEREAS, the Rose Hill Water District had, pursuant to RCW 57.08.060, established a system of streetlighting charges whereby certain properties within the District which had streetlights installed in the vicinity would pay the cost of operation and maintenance of said lights, and

WHEREAS, since the City has assumed a portion of the District in which such charges were imposed, it is imperative that the City continue to collect such charges in order to provide for the operation and maintenance costs of the streetlights, and

WHEREAS, the City is authorized to provide for streetlighting by RCW 35.23.440, NOW, THEREFORE,

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF REDMOND, WASHINGTON, HEREBY ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Streetlighting Charges. A new Chapter 13.34 is hereby added to the

Redmond Municipal Code to read as follows:

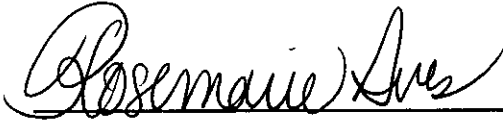
13.34.010 Streetlight Charges. A monthly streetlight service charge is hereby imposed upon all properties within that portion of the Rose Hill Water District assumed by the City of Redmond as of January 1, 1994, and which were subject to streetlighting charges imposed by the Rose Hill Water District as of that assumption date. The amount of the charge shall be \$2.50 per month per property subject to the charge. The streetlighting charges imposed by this section shall apply to all service furnished on or after January 1, 1994, and shall, to the extent necessary, be retroactive for the purpose of recovering service charges between that date and the date the ordinance enacting this section becomes effective.

13.34.020 Collection. The streetlight service charge imposed by this Chapter shall be included on the customer's utility account bill. Any payments received on account of said bill shall first be allocated to the streetlight charge imposed herein and then to all other fees and charges for utility service in the order provided in Section 13.17.060.

Section 2. Severability. If any section, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance should be held to be invalid or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, such invalidity or unconstitutionality shall not affect the validity or constitutionality of any other section, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance.

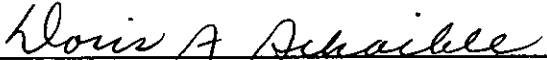
Section 3. Effective Date. This ordinance, being an exercise of a power specifically delegated to the City legislative body, is not subject to referendum, and shall take effect five (5) days after passage and publication of an approved summary thereof consisting of the title.

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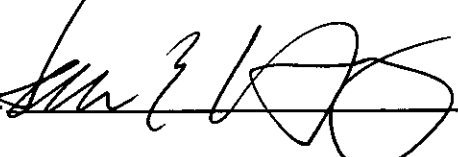


MAYOR ROSEMARIE IVES

ATTEST/AUTHENTICATED:


CITY CLERK, DORIS SCHAIBLE

APPROVED AS TO FORM:
OFFICE OF THE CITY ATTORNEY:

By: 

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| SIGNED BY THE MAYOR: | December 6, 1994 |
| PUBLISHED: | December 14, 1994 |
| EFFECTIVE DATE: | December 19, 1994 |
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