ORDINANCE NO. 2037

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF REDMOND, WASHINGTON, ADDING A NEW SECTION 13.11.032 TO THE REDMOND MUNICIPAL CODE IN ORDER TO ESTABLISH A REGIONAL WATER CONNECTION CHARGE ON NEW WATER CONNECTIONS TO OFFSET THE REGIONAL CAPITAL FACILITY CHARGE IMPOSED BY THE CASCADE WATER ALLIANCE; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY AND ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Cascade Water Alliance is a regional consortium of water purveyors dedicated to promoting the cooperative use of water and the development of new regional water supplies, and

WHEREAS, the City of Redmond has agreed to join the Cascade Water Alliance and as such will be required to pay a regional capital facility charge for each new water connection as established by the Cascade Water Alliance, and

WHEREAS, in order to recoup the City's costs for such regional capital facility charge and its cost of administering and collecting the same, the City Council has determined that the charges should be passed through to and paid by those connecting to the City water system and whose connections make the City responsible for paying the regional capital facility charge, NOW, THEREFORE,

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

Section 1. Regional Water Connection Charge. A new Section 13.11.032 is

hereby added to the Redmond Municipal Code to read as follows:

13.11.032 Regional Water Connection Charge. There is established a regional water connection charge which shall be

imposed upon all owners of real property seeking to connect said property and improvements to the City water system. The amount

of the regional water connection charge shall be equal to the regional capital facility charge imposed by the Cascade Water

Alliance, plus an additional three percent (3%) of said charge, rounded up to the nearest dollar. For the year 2001, the regional capital facility charge imposed by the Cascade Water Alliance is

\$991 and the city charge shall be that amount plus three percent (3%). The regional water connection charge shall be in addition to

any and all other connection charges established by this Chapter or elsewhere in the City's Codes and ordinances.

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 the exercise of a power

specifically delegated to the City legislative body, is not subject to referendum and shall take

effect and be in full force five (5) days after passage and publication of an approved summary

consisting of the title.

ITY OF REDMOND

MAYOR ROSEMARIE IVES

ATTEST/AUTHENTICATED:

CITY CLERK BONNIE MATTSON

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APPROVED AS TO FORM:

OFFICE OF THE CITY ATTORNEY:

By:

FILED WITH THE CITY CLERK!
PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL:

SIGNED BY THE MAYOR:

PUBLISHED:

EFFECTIVE DATE:

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October 4, 1999

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November 3, 1999

November 6, 1999

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