

RESOLUTION NO. 660

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF REDMOND,
WASHINGTON, DESIGNATING THE FIRE DEPARTMENT AS
THE HAZARDOUS MATERIALS INCIDENT COMMAND
AGENCY AND THE FIRE CHIEF AS THE INCIDENT
COMMANDER FOR THE CITY OF REDMOND.

WHEREAS, the state legislature has enacted Chapter 172, Laws of 1982, providing for a limitation of the liability for individuals or corporations which are requested to provide equipment, personnel and/or expertise in the handling of hazardous materials incidents for the purpose of responding to hazardous material emergencies, and

WHEREAS, Section 4 of such statute requires that the City Council of the City of Redmond designate a hazardous materials incident command agency within the City of Redmond and file this designation with the director of the State Department of Emergency Services, and

WHEREAS, Section 3 of such statute specifically authorized and encourages the City of Redmond through its hazardous materials incident command agency to enter into written hazardous materials emergency assistance agreements with persons whose knowledge or expertise is deemed potentially useful to controlling and rendering harmless a hazardous materials incident, or who have specially trained personnel or specialized equipment for such purpose, and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Redmond determines that it is in the best interest of the City to designate the Fire Department as the City of Redmond's hazardous materials incident command agency with the Fire Chief as the incident commander authorized to enter into hazardous materials emergency assistance agreements, now, therefore,

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

Section 1. That the Fire Department be designated the City of Redmond hazardous materials incident command

agency for the purposes of Chapter 172, Laws of 1982 with the Fire Chief as incident commander.

Section 2. That the Fire Chief be authorized to enter into hazardous materials emergency assistance agreements with persons with equipment, personnel and expertise in the handling of hazardous material provided such agreement is in a form approved by the City Attorney.

Section 3. That the City Clerk file a certified copy of this resolution with the Director of the State Department of Emergency Services.

RESOLVED this 18 day of October, 1983.

APPROVED:



MAYOR, CHRISTINE T. HIMES

ATTEST/AUTHENTICATED:



CITY CLERK, PAUL KUSAKABE

FILED WITH THE CITY CLERK: July 29, 1983