CITY OF REDMOND, WASHINGTON

ORDINANCE NO. *475*

AN ORDINANCE of the Council of Redmond adopting the "Redmond Municipal Code," 'a codification of its ordinances, as compiled, edited and published by Book Publishing Company, Seattle, Washington, as the official code of ordinances of the City.

WHEREAS, the State Legislature has authorized any city to prepare a codification of its ordinances in accordance with RCW 35.21.500 through 35.21.570 and thereafter adopt such codification as the official code of the city; and

WHEREAS, the Book Publishing Company, Seattle, Washington, has prepared a codification of Redmond's ordinances; and

WHEREAS, there has been filed, and there is now on file, in the office of the City Clerk for public inspection three (3) copies of a document entitled the "Redmond Municipal Code, "NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF REDMOND DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. <u>Adoption of Redmond Municipal Code.</u> Pursuant to the provisions of Sections 35.21.500 through 35.21.570 of the Revised Code of Washington, there is hereby adopted the "Redmond Municipal Code" as published by Book Publishing Company, Seattle, Washington.

Section 2. <u>Title--Citation--Reference.</u> This code shall be known as the "Redmond Municipal Code" and it shall be sufficient to refer to said code as the "Redmond Municipal Code" in any prosecution for the violation of any provision thereof or in any proceeding at law or equity. It shall also be sufficient to designate any ordinance adding to, amending, correcting or repealing all or any part or portion thereof as an addition to, amendment to, correction of, or repeal of the "Redmond Municipal Code." Further reference may be had to the titles, chapters, sections and subsections of the "Redmond Municipal Code" and such reference shall apply to that numbered title, chapter, section or subsection as it appears in this code.

Section 3. <u>Reference applies to amendments.</u> Whenever a reference is made to this code as the "Redmond Municipal Code" or to any portion thereof, or to any ordinance of the city of Redmond. Washington, the reference shall apply to all amendments, corrections and additions heretofore, now, or hereafter made.

Section 4. <u>Codification authority.</u> This code consists of all of the regulatory and penal ordinances and certain of the administrative ordinances of the city of Redmond, Washington, codified pursuant to RCW 35.21.500 through 35.21.570.

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Section 5. _Definitions._ The following words and phrases whenever used in this code shall be construed as defined in this section unless from the context a different meaning is intended, or unless a different meaning is specifically defined and more particularly directed to the use of such words or phrases:

(1) "City" shall mean the city of Redmond, Washington, or the area within the territorial city limits of the city of Redmond, Washington, and such territory outside of this city over which the city has jurisdiction or control by virtue of any Constitutional provision, or any law.

(2) "City Council" shall mean the city council of the city of Redmond, Washington.

(3) "County" shall mean the county of King.

(4) "Mayor" shall mean the mayor of the city of Redmond, Washington.

(5) "Oath" includes affirmation.

(6) "Office". The use of the title of any officer, employee, or any office, or ordinance shall mean such officer, employee, office, ordinance of the city of Redmond, Washington, unless otherwise specifically designated.

(7) "Person" shall mean natural person, joint venture, joint stock company, partnership, association, club, company, corporation, business trust, organization, or the manager, lessee, agent, servant, officer or employee of any of them.

(8) "State" shall mean the state of Washington.

(9) "Shall" and "must". Each is mandatory.

(10) "May" is permissive.

(11) "Written" shall include printed, typewritten, mimeographed or multigraphed.

Section 6. _Grammatical interpretation._ The following grammatical rules shall apply in this code.

(1) Gender. Any gender includes the other genders.

(2) Singular and plural. The singular number includes the plural and the plural includes the singular.

(3) Tenses. Words used in the present tense include the past and the future tenses and vice versa.

(4) Use of words and phrases. Words and phrases used in this code and not specifically defined shall be construed according to the context and approved usage of the language.

Section 7. _Construction._ The provisions of this code and all proceedings under it are to be construed with a view to effect its objects and to promote justice.

Section 8. _Title, chapter and section headings._ Title, chapter and section headings contained herein shall not be deemed to govern, limit, modify or in any manner affect the scope, meaning or intent of the provisions of any title, chapter or section hereof.

Section 9. _Reference to specific ordinances._ The provisions of this code shall not in any manner affect deposits or other matters of record which refer to, or are otherwise connected with ordinances which are therein specifically designated by number or otherwise and which are included within this code, but such reference shall be construed to apply to the corresponding provisions contained within this code.

Section 10. <u>Effect of code on past actions and obligations</u>. Neither the adoption of <u>this code</u> nor the repeal or amendment hereby of any ordinance or part or portion of any ordinance of the city shall in any manner affect the prosecution for violations of ordinances, which violations were committed prior to the effective date hereof, nor be construed as a waiver of any license, fee, or penalty at said effective date due and unpaid under such ordinances, nor be construed as affecting any of the provisions of such ordinances relating to the collection of any such license, fee, or penalty, or the penal provisions applicable to any violation thereof, nor to affect the validity of any bond or cash deposit in lieu thereof required to be posted, filed, or deposited pursuant to any ordinance, and all rights and obligations thereunder appertaining shall continue in full force and effect.

Section 11. <u>Repeal shall not revive any ordinances</u>. The repeal of an ordinance shall not repeal the repealing clause of such ordinance or revive any ordinance which has been repealed thereby.

Section 12. <u>Repeal</u>. All general ordinances of the city of Redmond not included in this code or excluded from the operation and effect of this section are hereby repealed.

Section 13. <u>Exclusions</u>. Every special ordinance of this city governing the following subject matter, whether contained in whole or in part within <u>this code</u>, is excluded from the operation and effect of Section 12 and is not affected by the repeal provisions hereof: Annexations; franchises; naming roads, streets and public places; acquisition or disposal of public property; vacation of streets, alleys, or public ways; acceptance of any gift, device, license or other benefit; provided that the foregoing enumeration of exceptions or exclusions shall not be deemed to be exclusive or exhaustive, it being the intent and purpose to exclude from repeal any and all ordinances not of a general nature.
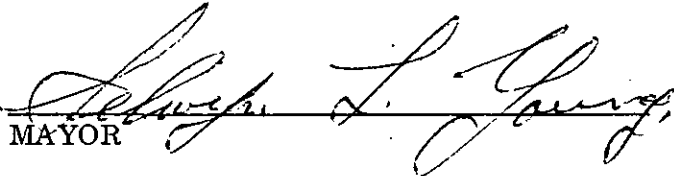
Section 14. <u>Prohibited acts include causing, permitting, etc</u>. Whenever in this code any act or omission is made unlawful it shall include causing, allowing, permitting, aiding, abetting, suffering, or concealing the fact of such act or omission.

Section 15. <u>Constitutionality</u>. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this code is for any reason held to be invalid or unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this code. The council hereby declares that it would have passed this code, and each section, subsection, sentence, clause and phrase thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections, subsections, sentences, clauses or phrases had been declared invalid or unconstitutional, and if for any reason this code should be declared invalid or unconstitutional then the original ordinance or ordinances shall be in full force and effect.
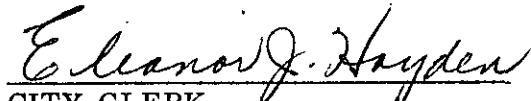
Section 16. <u>Effective date</u>. This ordinance shall be in force and take effect five (5) days after the date of its publication in the manner provided by law.

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PASSED by the council of the City of Redmond, Washington, at a regular meeting thereof, and APPROVED by the Mayor this _/5_ day of _October_, 1968.
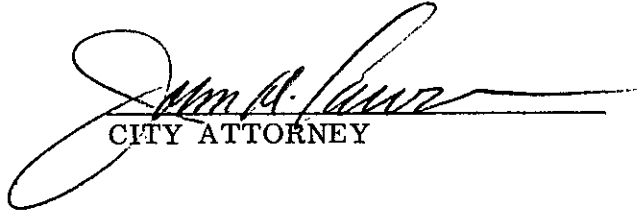
CITY OF REDMOND

MAYOR

ATTEST:

CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

CITY ATTORNEY

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