

CITY OF REDMOND, WASHINGTON

ORDINANCE NO. 541

AN ORDINANCE, establishing a library board of trustees, providing for the appointment of members thereto and their terms of office; and prescribing the duties, powers and authority thereof.

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

Section 1. Establishment of Library Board - Qualifications. A Library Board of Trustees is hereby created and established, which shall consist of five members, who shall be appointed by the Mayor, subject to the confirmation by a majority vote of the City Council, all of whom shall be residents of the City of Redmond at the time of their appointment and during their tenure of office. Appointments shall be made from citizens of recognized fitness for the position and shall be selected without respect to political affiliations, race or sex. Members shall not receive a salary or other compensation for services as trustee, but necessary expenses actually incurred shall be paid from the library funds.

Section 2. Term of Office - Vacancies - Removal. The members of the Library Board of Trustees shall hold office for a term of five years, commencing on the first date of January, except that first appointments shall be for terms of one, two, three, four and five years respectively, as determined by the appointing authority. Thereafter, as each term expires, appointments shall be made for a five-year term. No person shall be appointed for more than two consecutive terms. Vacancies shall be filled for unexpired terms as soon as possible in the manner in which members of the board are regularly chosen. Members may be removed, after a public hearing, by the City Council for inefficiency, neglect of duty, malfeasance in office, or incapacity.

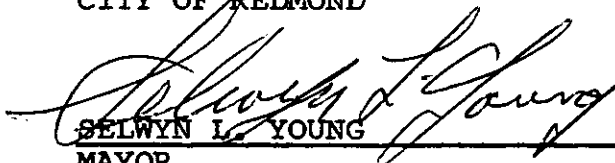
Section 3. Powers and Duties. The Library Board of Trustees shall have all the powers and perform all the duties as provided by the laws of the State of Washington in RCW 27.12.210 and in RCW 35A.27.010.

They shall also act in an advisory capacity to the Mayor and City Council regarding the operation of a municipal library, and shall make periodic reports and recommendations concerning the acquisition, use, and operation of library facilities and services.


Section 4. Effective Date. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force five (5) days after the date of its publication in the manner provided by law.

PASSED by the Council of the City of Redmond, Washington at a regular meeting thereof, AND APPROVED by the Mayor this 6 day of October, 1970.

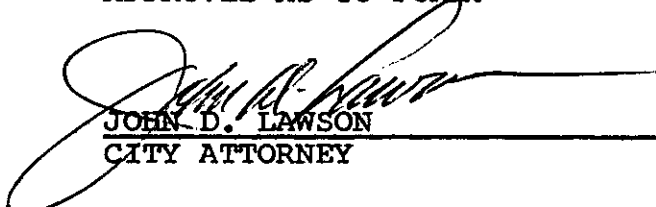
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