

ORDINANCE NO. 240

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF UNIVERSITY PLACE, WASHINGTON, AMENDING SECTION 13.20.040, OF THE UNIVERSITY PLACE MUNICIPAL CODE, TO REQUIRE A CITY INSPECTION OF AND ACCEPTANCE OF STORM DRAINAGE SYSTEM WORK BEFORE BACKFILL IS PLACED OVER STORM DRAINAGE FACILITIES.**

WHEREAS, on May 4, 1997, the City Council adopted the City of University Place Public Works Standards; and

WHEREAS, since adoption of the Public Works Standards, several necessary changes have become apparent; and

WHEREAS, on December 14, 1998, the City Council met to discuss the issue further; and,

WHEREAS, on February 2, 1999, the City Council held a second public hearing to hear and duly consider testimony.

**NOW THEREFORE THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF UNIVERSITY PLACE, WASHINGTON, DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:**

**Section 1. Amending Section 13.20.040. Section 13.20.040 is amended by adding a new subsection (V) as follows:**

Section 13.20.040(U) Construction, of Chapter 13.20, Storm Drainage, of Title 19 of the University Place Municipal Code, is Amended to read as follows:

(V). Inspection of the storm drainage system must be called for and the work accepted by the City before any backfill is placed over storm drainage facilities.

**Section 2. Severability.** If any section, sentence, clause, or phrase of this ordinance shall 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. Publication and Effective Date.** A summary of this Ordinance consisting of its title shall be published in the official newspaper of the City. This ordinance shall take effect five days after publication.

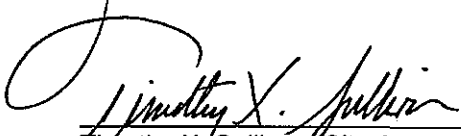
**PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL ON JUNE 7, 1999.**

  
Debbie Klosowski, Mayor

ATTEST:

  
Susan Matthew, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



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Timothy X. Sullivan, City Attorney

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