

ORDINANCE NO. 195

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF UNIVERSITY PLACE, WASHINGTON, ADOPTING A NEW CHAPTER 4.10 TO THE UNIVERSITY PLACE MUNICIPAL CODE ESTABLISHING A BIENNIAL BUDGET BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 1999 AND PROVIDING FOR A MID-BIENNIAL REVIEW AND MODIFICATION OF BUDGET, IN ACCORDANCE WITH RCW CHAPTER 35A.34.

WHEREAS, by Chapter 35A.34, RCW, the State Legislature has provided that legislative body of any code city may by ordinance elect to have a two-year fiscal biennium budget in lieu of the annual budget which is otherwise provided for; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 35A.34.040, RCW, provides that such ordinance must be adopted not later than July 1, 1998 in order to be effective January 1, 1999; NOW, THEREFORE,

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF UNIVERSITY PLACE, WASHINGTON, DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Adopting a new Chapter 4.10 to the University Place Municipal Code. There is hereby added a new Chapter 4.10 Biennium Budget to the University Place Municipal Code.

Chapter 4.10 BIENNIAL BUDGET

4.10.010 Establishment of Two-Year Biennium Budget. Pursuant to Chapter 35A.34.040, RCW, the City Council hereby establishes a two-year biennium budget for the City of University Place, beginning with the two-year biennium which commences on January 1, 1999.

4.10.020 Adopt Procedures for Two-Year Biennium Budget Preparation. The 1999-2000 Biennial Budget and all subsequent budgets shall be prepared, considered, and adopted under the provisions of this ordinance and Chapter 35A.34, RCW as presently constituted or as hereinafter amended, which is hereby adopted by reference.

4.10.030 Mid-Biennial Review and Modification. Pursuant to Chapter 35A.34.130, RCW, the City Council hereby provides for a mid-biennial review and modification of the biennial budget. No sooner than eight (8) months after the start of the first year of the fiscal biennium, nor later than the first regularly scheduled City Council meeting in November of the first year of each biennial budget, the City Manager shall submit proposed budget modifications to be effective as of January 1 of the following year. Such proposed modifications shall be filed with the City Clerk and submitted to the City Council. Such proposed modifications shall be public records. A public hearing on the proposed modifications shall be held at a City Council meeting no later than the first Monday in December and may be continued from time to time. At such hearing, the City Council may consider a proposed ordinance to adopt such modifications.

Section 2. Severability. The provisions of this ordinance are declared separate and severable. The invalidity of any clause, sentence, paragraph, subdivision, section, or portion of this ordinance or the invalidity of the application thereof to any person or circumstance, shall not affect the validity of the remainder of the ordinance, or the validity of its application to other persons or circumstances.

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 and be in force five (5) days from and after passage and publication, as provided by law.

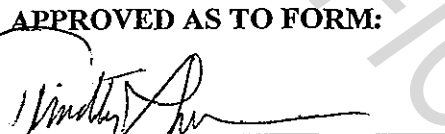
PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL ON JUNE 1, 1998.


Debbie Klosowski, Mayor

ATTEST:


Susan Matthew, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


Timothy X. Sullivan, City Attorney

Date of Publication: June 3, 1998
Effective Date: June 8, 1998