

RESOLUTION NO. 172

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF UNIVERSITY PLACE, WASHINGTON, AMENDING RESOLUTION NO. 146 ESTABLISHING A COMMUNITY ORIENTED POLICING STRATEGY (COPS), INCLUDING AN ADVISORY COMMITTEE AND ITS SUPPORTING STRUCTURE.**

WHEREAS, the University Place COPS Advisory Committee was established in 1997 to implement the City's Community Oriented Policing Strategy and to promote public safety throughout the community;

WHEREAS, in order to work cohesively and effectively, the COPS Advisory Committee requires consistent, regular attendance by its members;

WHEREAS, the COPS Advisory Committee has functioned for almost a year and has reported its successes and challenges to the City Council;

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF UNIVERSITY PLACE, WASHINGTON AS FOLLOWS:**

Section 1. Section 7 of Resolution No. 146 Amended. The City Council hereby amends Section 7 of Resolution No. 146 to read as follows:

Section 7. Vacancies and Removal of Members. Vacancies occurring otherwise than through the expiration of terms shall be filled by the Council, in consultation with the COPS Advisory Committee, within 90 days of vacancy, for the unexpired term. Members may be removed, after public hearing, by the City Council for inefficiency or nonperformance of duty, misconduct, or malfeasance in office. A COPS Advisory Committee member may be removed for being absent after four consecutive absences or more than fifty percent of the committee meetings per calendar meeting year, May 1 through April 30.

Section 2. Effective Date. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

**ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL ON MARCH 16, 1998**

  
Debbie Klosowski, Mayor

**ATTEST:**

  
Susan Matthew, City Clerk