

RESOLUTION NO. 307

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF UNIVERSITY PLACE,
WASHINGTON, AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF UNIVERSITY PLACE
CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT FOR EMERGENCY
ROAD REPAIRS TO CHAMBERS CREEK ROAD.**

WHEREAS, on March 1, 2001, Pierce County, along with other western Washington counties, was declared a presidential disaster area as a result of the February 28, 2001 earthquake, which made available federal funds for emergency repairs; and

WHEREAS, Chamber Creek Road West within University Place sustained significant damage in the February 2001 earthquake and the emergency repair to the City's road and the County's sewer facilities located underneath the road have been approved for federal assistance by the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA); and

WHEREAS, the City is in the process of completing the necessary design work for the repair of the road which will also require the repair and relocation of certain sewer facilities located underneath the road; and

WHEREAS, there is evidence of continued movement of the roadway which may result in harm to the wildlife habitat of Chambers Creek and Chambers Bay if a failure occurs; and

WHEREAS, the terms of the grant for emergency repairs require the City to have all work completed within 180 days in order to be eligible for a 100% match funding ; and

WHEREAS, since the project may total \$5,000,000 any delay would inflict a financial hardship on the city; and

WHEREAS, R.C.W. 39.28 authorizes the City to enter into agreements and contracts for emergency work;

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

Section 1. Authorization. City Manager or his designee is authorized and directed to execute on behalf of the City a contract for construction services under the terms and conditions of the FHWA grant for emergency repair work to Chambers Creek Road.

Section 2. Ratification and Confirmation. Any acts made consistent with the authority and prior to the effective date of this resolution are ratified and confirmed.

Section 3. Effective Date. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL ON APRIL 9, 2001.



Lorna Smith, Mayor

ATTEST:



Catrina Craig, City Clerk

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