ORDINANCE NO. 479

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF WOODINVILLE, WASHINGTON, AMENDING WMC 2.25 EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS COMMISSION MEMBERSHIP THERETO; SETTING FORTH CRITERIA AND PROCEDURES FOR THE SELECTION AND REMOVAL OF COMMISSIONERS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Emergency Preparedness Commission was formed to advise the City Council on matters related to public safety; and

WHEREAS, the Emergency Preparedness Commission serves the public interest by facilitating public involvement with public safety issues and fostering informed policy formation; and

WHEREAS, the Emergency Preparedness Commission and City Council reviewed the benefits of having members of the Business Community in Woodinville on the Emergency Preparedness Commission;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WOODINVILLE, WASHINGTON, DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Amendment of 2.25.020. Subsection 2.25.020 (2) of the Woodinville Municipal Code is hereby amended to allow business owners in the City of Woodinville to apply for and be appointed to the Emergency Preparedness Commission, in its entirety as follows:

2.25.020 Membership.

(2) Appointment. Commissioners shall be appointed by the Mayor, subject to confirmation by the City Council. Commissioners shall either reside within the Woodinville City limits or, own a business within the Woodinville City limits, at the time of their appointment and throughout the duration of their terms; provided no more than one non-resident business owner shall serve on the Commission at any time. Commissioners shall be selected without respect to political affiliation and shall serve without compensation.

Section 2. Severability. If any section, sentence, clause, or phrase of this ordinance should 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. Effective Date. This ordinance, or a summary thereof consisting of the title, shall be published in the official newspaper of the City, and shall take effect and be in full force (30) days after final passage.

ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL AND SIGNED IN AUTHENTICATION OF ITS PASSAGE THIS 5th DAY OF MAY 2009.

[Signature]
Scott Hageman, Mayor

ATTEST/AUTHENTICATED:

[Signature]
Jennifer Kuhn
City Clerk\CMC

APPROVED AS TO FORM:
OFFICE OF THE CITY ATTORNEY

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By: Greg Rubetello
City Attorney

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL: 5-5-2009
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