## **ORDINANCE NO. 133**

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SHORELINE, WASHINGTON AMENDING CHAPTER 3.30 OF THE SHORELINE MUNICIPAL CODE FOR THE PURPOSE OF MODIFYING THE TAX RATE CHARGEABLE TO CHARITABLE AND NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS FOR THE SALE OF PUNCH BOARDS AND PULL TABS

WHEREAS, state law authorizes cities to provide for the taxing of gambling activities conducted within their boundaries; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Chapter 3.30 of the City of Shoreline Municipal Code the City has provided for the taxing of gambling activities; and

WHEREAS, the state legislature has amended Chapter 9.46 of the Revised Code of Washington, the law which governs the tax rate chargeable to charitable and nonprofit organizations; and

WHEREAS, the City desires to amend Chapter 3.30 of the Municipal Code in accordance with the amendment to state law;

## NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SHORELINE DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

- **Section 1.** Section 3.30.020 C of the Shoreline Municipal Code is amended as follows:
  - C. Punch boards or pull-tabs at a rate of five percent of gross receipts; provided, however, that taxation of punch boards and pull tabs for bona fide charitable or nonprofit organizations shall be at a rate of ten percent of gross receipts from operation of the games less the amount awarded as cash or merchandise prizes.
- Section 2. Effective Date. This ordinance shall take effect on July 27, 1997.
- **Section 3.** <u>Publication</u>. This ordinance, or a summary thereof, shall be published in the official newspaper of the City.

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL ON JULY 14, 1997.

Mayor Connie King

## ATTEST:

Sharon Mattive:
Sharon Mattioli, CMC

City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Bruce L. Disend City Attorney

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