## **ORDINANCE NO. 243**

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SHORELINE, WASHINGTON, ADOPTING A PROVISION ALLOWING WAIVER OR REDUCTION OF FEES FOR CERTAIN FACILITY AND RIGHT-OF-WAY USE FOR COMMUNITY EVENTS

WHEREAS, the City of Shoreline wishes to remedy the unintended consequences of requiring certain fees be collected when planning City-sanctioned special events; and

WHEREAS, special events benefit the community by providing activities that civic in nature, open to the entire community and are limited in duration; and

WHEREAS, the City of Shoreline finds that City-sanctioned special events are special events produced by state-funded educational institutions or non-profit organizations receiving a portion of their operating funds from the City's general fund; and

WHEREAS, the Council desires to delegate the waiver of certain use fees to the City Manager as a City funding contribution to events which serve the Shoreline community and are consistent with adopted City programs;

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

Section 1. New Section. A new section is added to Chapter 3.01 SMC to read as follows:

.050 Fee Waiver

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The City Manager or designee is authorized to waive or reduce use fees for right-of-way permits (section .010) and facility use fees for picnic shelters, recreation rooms and ballfields (section .030) as a City contribution toward events which serve the community and are consistent with adopted City programs and sponsored by Neighborhood Associations which are members of the Council of Neighborhoods, Shoreline/Lake Forest Park Arts Council, Shoreline/Lake Forest Park Senior Center, Shoreline Historical Museum, Shoreline Community College, and Shoreline School District.

Section 2. <u>Effective Date</u>. A summary of this ordinance consisting of its title shall be published in the official newspaper of the City and shall take effect and be in full force five (5) days after the date of publication.

## PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL ON JULY 10, 2000.

Mayor Scott Jepsen

Ian Sievers

City Attorney

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

ATTEST:

Sharon Mattioli, CMC City Clerk

Date of Publication:

July 13, 2000

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July 18, 2000