

RESOLUTION NO. 31

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SHORELINE, WASHINGTON, DECLARING THE OFFICIAL INCORPORATION OF THE CITY OF SHORELINE

WHEREAS, more than 219 years ago the settlers of America banded together to provide protection and services for the good of all by sharing their visions and combining their skills, resources, and talents to create a community they call home; and

WHEREAS, on September 20, 1994, an election was held in King County, at which people chose to form a new City named Shoreline, Washington; and

WHEREAS, this community has always been famous for its beautiful views of the Olympic and Cascade mountains, Puget Sound, and majestic evergreens; and

WHEREAS, this self-sustaining community is culturally diverse, active and well-informed and places equal value on integrity, active citizenship and vigorous civic involvement, including the outstanding, nationally-recognized Shoreline School District; and

WHEREAS, on April 25, 1995, democracy was celebrated once again when the citizens of Shoreline elected the charter members of their first City Council; and

WHEREAS, as community leaders we will be guiding our new City of 50,352 people; and

WHEREAS, by previous Resolutions No. 6 and No. 27, the City Council established August 31, 1995 at 12:01 a.m. as the official incorporation date: NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SHORELINE, WASHINGTON, AS FOLLOWS:

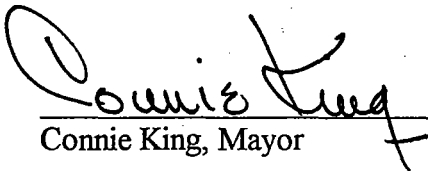
Section 1. The City Council hereby declares the City of Shoreline, Washington officially incorporated as of August 31, 1995, as the 272nd city of the State of Washington, the tenth largest city in the State, and the fourth largest city in King County.

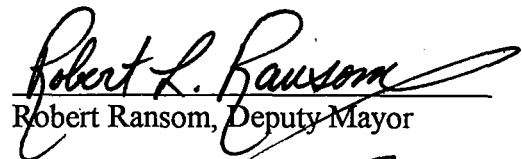
Section 2. The City Council promises continuing stability in our vision and dedicated governance so that future generations may benefit from our foresight.

Section 3. The City Council of the City of Shoreline hereby pledges to maintain the values of neighborliness, trust, and tolerance, while preserving the quality of life and community spirit we all enjoy, and extends its wishes for a bright and prosperous future to each and every resident of the City.

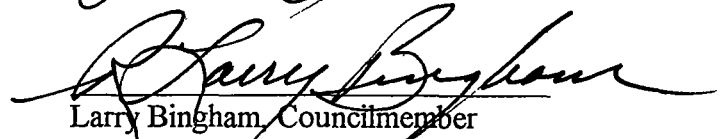
Section 4. The City Council of the City of Shoreline thanks the thousands of citizens who assisted in the formation of the City and invites all citizens to join in the celebration of the birth of our new City.

RESOLVED this ^{4th} 7 day of August, 1995.

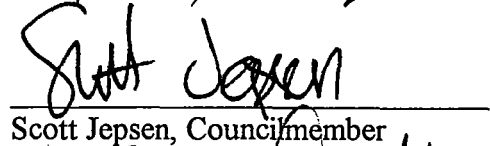

Connie King, Mayor

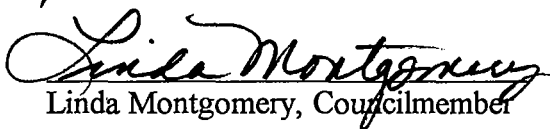

Robert Ransom, Deputy Mayor

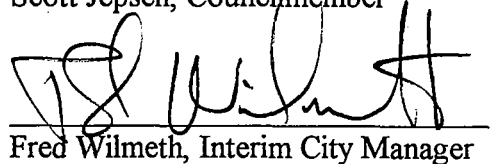

Cheryl Lee, Councilmember


Larry Bingham, Councilmember


Ron Hansen, Councilmember

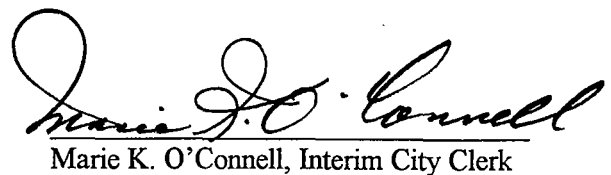

Scott Jepsen, Councilmember


Linda Montgomery, Councilmember


Fred Wilmeth, Interim City Manager

SEAL

ATTEST:


Marie K. O'Connell, Interim City Clerk