

RESOLUTION NO. 119

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF SHORELINE,
WASHINGTON, DECLARING AN EMERGENCY, RATIFYING
THE EMERGENCY DECLARATION OF THE CITY MANAGER,
AND AUTHORIZING SUCH PUBLIC WORKS PROJECTS AS
MAY BE NECESSARY TO ADDRESS SAID EMERGENCY**

WHEREAS, extreme weather conditions consisting of heavy snowfall followed by heavy rain have caused severe problems within the City of Shoreline, including power outages, building damage, and street destruction; and,

WHEREAS, extensive damage to public and private property has occurred, and may continue to occur; and,

WHEREAS, the City Manager, in response to these extreme conditions, declared a state of emergency on December 30, 1996 and directed City staff to take actions necessary to deal with these conditions; and

WHEREAS, it is essential to the public health, safety and welfare that immediate action be taken to address the emergency; and

WHEREAS, state law authorizes the City Council to pass a resolution declaring an emergency and to proceed with public works projects in order to address the emergency;

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

Section 1. Declaration. There is declared a state of emergency within the City of Shoreline.

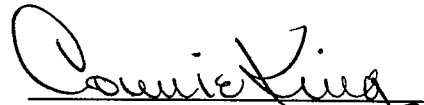
Section 2. Ratification. The City Manager's declaration of emergency dated December 30, 1996 is hereby ratified.

Section 3. Authorization. The City Manager is authorized to execute, on behalf of the City, contracts for public works projects necessary to address the effects of the emergency.

Section 4. Bid Requirements Waived. In order to allow for the immediate execution of such public work contracts as may be necessary to deal with the emergency, all formal bidding requirements for such contracts are hereby waived.


Section 5. Duration of Emergency. The state of emergency shall be deemed to continue until such time as either the City Manager, or the City Council, shall determine that it has ceased.

ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL ON JANUARY 6, 1997.




Mayor Connie King

ATTEST:



Sharon Mattioli, CMC
City Clerk

Approved as to form:



Bruce Disend
City Attorney