

ORDINANCE NO. 888

A PUBLIC EMERGENCY ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SHORELINE, WASHINGTON, EXTENDING THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF PUBLIC EMERGENCY ORDINANCE NO. 887, TEMPORARILY INCREASING THE PURCHASING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY MANAGER.

WHEREAS, on March 23, 2020, the Washington State Governor issued Proclamation 20-25, requiring people to stay home until April 6, 2020, except for essential activities, and prohibiting all but essential business from operating until April 8, 2020; and

WHEREAS, also on March 23, 2020, by unanimous consent, the City Council adopted Public Emergency Ordinance No. 887 temporarily increasing the City Manager's purchasing authority stated in Chapter 2.60 SMC until April 23, 2020; and

WHEREAS, on March 24, 2020, the Washington State Governor issued Proclamation 20-28 prohibiting in-person council meetings and limiting action to that which is necessary and routine or in response to COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, on April 2, 2020, the Washington State Governor extended Proclamation 20-25 until May 4, 2020; and

WHEREAS, extending the temporary increase in the City Manager's purchasing authority is necessary given the extension of Proclamation 20-25 so as to continue to ensure prompt response to Shoreline residents during the COVID-19 public emergency;

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

Section 1. Affirming the Authority granted by Public Emergency Ordinance No. 887 and Extending the Effective Duration. The temporary increase in the City Manager or designee purchasing limits authorized by Section 1 of Public Emergency Ordinance No. 887 shall be extended until 11:59 pm Local Time on May 23, 2020, unless terminated sooner by the City Council. Section 2 City Council Authorization and Section 3 Record Management and Report to Council remain in full force and effect.

Section 2. Public Emergency Ordinance and Effective Date. The City Council hereby finds and declares that this Ordinance is a public emergency ordinance necessary for the protection of the public health, public safety, public property, or public peace as stated in Resolution No. 454, and shall take effect and be in full force immediately upon its adoption by a majority vote plus one of the whole members of the Council and that the same is not subject to a referendum (RCW 35A.11.090). The underlying facts necessary to support this emergency declaration are included in the WHEREAS clauses above in addition to those of Public Emergency Ordinance No. 887, all of which are adopted by reference as findings of fact as if fully set forth herein.

Section 3. Publication. A summary of this Ordinance consisting of the title shall be published in the official newspaper.

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL ON APRIL 20, 2020



Mayor Will Hall

ATTEST:



Jessica Simuleik Smith
City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Julie Ainsworth-Taylor
Assistant City Attorney

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