ORDINANCE <u>O-4510</u>

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF KIRKLAND ADDING NEW SECTIONS TO CHAPTER 12.45 OF THE KIRKLAND MUNICIPAL CODE TO REGULATE PARKING.

The City Council of the City of Kirkland do ordain as follows:

<u>Section 1</u>. A new section, Section 12.45.170, is added to the Kirkland Municipal Code to read as follows:

12.45.170 Expired or Improper License Plates

It is a civil infraction for any person to stop, stand or park any vehicle on any street or alley, or in any garage, parking area or other property operated by the City unless a valid license plate or plates are attached and displayed as required by RCW 46.16A.200.

<u>Section 2</u>. A new section, Section 12.45.180, is added to the Kirkland Municipal Code to read as follows:

12.45.180 Electric Vehicle Charging

It is a civil infraction for any person to stop, stand or park any vehicle in a City-owned electric vehicle charging station unless the vehicle is connected to the charging station and actively being charged.

<u>Section 3</u>. A new section, Section 12.45.190, is added to the Kirkland Municipal Code to read as follows:

12.45.190 Electric Vehicle Charging in Pay Stall or Space

It is a civil infraction for any person to stop, stand or park any vehicle in a City-owned electric vehicle charging station surrounded by parking stalls which require a fee for parking, without paying the fee in the amount applicable to the surrounding parking stalls.

<u>Section 4</u>. A new section, Section 12.45.270, is added to the Kirkland Municipal Code to read as follows:

12.45.270 Parking Stalls or Spaces

Where parking stalls or spaces are marked or painted upon curb and/or pavement of the street or alley, it is a civil infraction for any person to park any vehicle so that any part of the vehicle occupies more than one space, protrudes beyond the markings designating the space, or is in the adjacent area used for safely maneuvering into and out of a designated parking space.

<u>Section 5.</u> A new section, Section 12.45.280, is added to the Kirkland Municipal Code to read as follows:

12.45.280 Parking Near Mailboxes

Except when necessary to avoid conflict with other traffic, or in compliance with law or the directions of a police officer or official traffic control device, or momentarily to pick up or discharge a passenger or passengers, no person shall park a vehicle, whether occupied or not, within seven feet and six inches on either side of a public or private curbside mailbox between the hours of eight a.m. and five p.m.

<u>Section 6</u>. Severability. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, part or portion of this ordinance is for any reason held to be invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this ordinance.

<u>Section 7</u>. This ordinance shall be in force and effect five days from and after its passage by the Kirkland City Council and publication, as required by law.

Passed by majority vote of the Kirkland City Council in open meeting this 5th day of January, 2016.

Signed in authentication thereof this 5th day of January, 2016.

MAYOR Juale

Attest:

City Clerk

Approved as to Form:

Publication Date: January 11, 2016

City Attorney