

Repealed by 3476

ORDINANCE NO. 2267

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF KIRKLAND RELATING TO MAN-MADE AND NATURAL DISASTERS, ESTABLISHING A DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY SERVICES (CIVIL DEFENSE), SETTING FORTH THE DUTIES OF SAID DEPARTMENT AND ITS DIRECTOR AND REPEALING CHAPTER 3.44 OF THE KIRKLAND MUNICIPAL CODE.

BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Kirkland, as follows:

Section 1. A new Chapter in the Kirkland Municipal Code is hereby adopted to read as follows:

"Chapter 3.45 Department of Emergency Services.

3.45.010 Department created. There is hereby created a Department of Emergency Services (formerly referred to as Civil Defense) for the purpose of preparing for possible man-made or natural disasters which would impose response burdens upon the city beyond its capabilities.

3.45.020 Director - Appointment - Removal. The Director of Emergency Services shall be appointed by the City Manager upon the basis of ability and training and may be removed by the City Manager.

3.45.030 Duties. It shall be the duty of the Director to create and maintain a basic emergency plan for man-made and natural disasters that may take place within the City. In addition, the Director shall:

1. Act as liaison officer between the City and County, State and Federal offices of Emergency Services or Civil Defense;

2. Coordinate mutual aid agreements with neighboring municipalities;

3. Identify those disasters with the greatest threat to life and property in the City; and

4. Have the responsibility for implementing and operating the basic emergency plan for the safety and well being of the City and its inhabitants.

3.45.040. Cooperation with other agencies. The Department of Emergency Services shall carry on its functions in cooperation with all other local, County, State and National Emergency Service and Civil Defense and Civil Disaster organizations. In this connection, all State and Federal regulations relating to emergency services for Civil Defense and Civil Disasters, together with approved modifications thereof and local regulations to fit Kirkland's needs and circumstances will apply.

3.45.050 Budget. Annually, the Director shall submit a budget to the City Council. The City Council may appropriate money annually for the operation of this Department.

Section 2. Chapter 3.44, Board of Civil Defense of the Kirkland Municipal Code be and it hereby is repealed.


Section 3. This Ordinance shall be in force and take effect five days from and after its passage and publication as required by law.

PASSED by the City Council of the City of Kirkland in regular meeting on the 5th day of August, 1974.

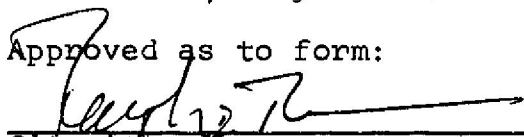
SIGNED in authentication thereof on the 5th day of August, 1974.



Mayor

ATTEST:


Director of Administration and Finance
(ex officio City Clerk)

Approved as to form:


City Attorney

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