

ORDINANCE NO. 2805

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF KIRKLAND RELATING TO UNCLAIMED PROPERTY IN THE HANDS OF THE KIRKLAND POLICE DEPARTMENT AND AMENDING SECTION 3.88.020 OF THE KIRKLAND MUNICIPAL CODE RELATING TO THE NOTICE OF SALE OF SUCH PROPERTY.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Kirkland as follows:

Section 1. Section 3.88.020 of the Kirkland Municipal Code relating to the manner of giving notice of sale of unclaimed personal property in the hands of the Kirkland Police Department is hereby amended to be in conformity with the notice requirements of RCW 63.40.020 and to read as follows:

3.88.020 Notice of sale. Before said personal property is sold, if the name and address of the owner thereof is known, at least ten days' notice of such sale shall be given him, either personally or by leaving a written notice at his residence or place of doing business with some person of suitable age and discretion then resident or employed therein; or if the name or residence of the owner is not known, a notice of such sale fixing the time and place thereof, which shall be at a suitable place, which will be noted in the advertisement for sale, and containing a description of the property to be sold shall be published at least [~~twice~~] once in the official newspaper of the city at least [~~twenty~~] ten days prior to the date fixed for the sale. The notice shall be signed by the chief of police. If the owner fails to reclaim the property prior to the time fixed for the sale in such notice, the chief of police or his designee shall conduct the sale and sell the property described in the notice at public auction to the highest and best bidder for cash, and upon payment of the amount of such bid shall deliver the property to such bidder.

Section 2. This ordinance shall be in force and effect five days from and after its passage by the Kirkland City Council and posting or publication, as required by law.

Passed by majority vote of the Kirkland City Council in regular, open meeting this 16th day of April, 1984.

Signed in authentication thereof this 16th day of April, 1984.

Doris Coopes
MAYOR

ATTEST:

Tom J. Aderson
Director of Administration & Finance
(ex officio City Clerk)

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Ray E. [Signature]
City Attorney

CERTIFICATION OF POSTING

I hereby certify under penalty of perjury that the foregoing ordinance was posted on the 17th day of April, 1984 in accordance with the provisions of RCW 35A.12.160 and City of Kirkland Ordinance No. 2600.

Janice Perry
Clerk