ORDINANCE NO. 3198

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF KIRKLAND RELATING TO SOLID WASTE COLLECTION RATES, ESTABLISHING A SPECIAL RATE FOR QUALIFIED LOW INCOME SENIOR CITIZEN SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL CUSTOMERS, AND ADDING A NEW SECTION TO CHAPTER 16.12 OF THE KIRKLAND MUNICIPAL CODE.

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

Section 1. Chapter 16.12 of the Kirkland Municipal Code is hereby amened by adding a new Section 16.12.025 to read as follows:

16.12.025 Qualified Senior Citizens Rate. The solid waste collection rate to be charged to a qualified low income senior citizen single family residential customer shall be 60% of the rate set forth in Section 16.12.030(1)A.

For the purposes of this Section, "qualified low income senior citizen" means a person who meets the following qualifications:

- 1. Resides in a single family residential unit.
- 2. Customer and spouse, if married, must be 62 years of age or older.
- 3. Income received by customer and spouse, if married, shall not exceed (from all sources of income) the following levels: (i) Single person \$727.50 per month, (ii) Married persons \$1,091.34 per month.
- 4. Proof of qualification, including verification of income level, shall be made by affidavit of qualification signed under oath by the senior citizen customer and then filed with the City. The affidavit of qualification form shall be furnished by the City.
- Section 2. Nothwithstanding Section 3 of this Ordinance, the special qualified low income senior citizen's solid waste collection rate established in Section 1 shall become effective January 1, 1990.

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 regular, open meeting this 19thday of December, 1989.

Signed in authentication thereof this <u>19th</u> day of <u>December</u>, 1989.

MAYOR

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM: