ORDINANCE   3771

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF KIRKLAND RELATING TO QUALIFIED SENIOR CITIZENS RATE FOR COLLECTION OF GARBAGE.

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

Section 1.   Section 16.12.025 of the Kirkland Municipal Code is hereby amended 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 sixty percent 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~~ or spouse, if married, must be sixty-two years of age or older;

(3)   Income received by customer and spouse, if married, shall not exceed (from all sources of income), as to either single persons or married persons as the case may be, the annual low income index generated by the county for use in federal housing and community development block grant programs in the county;

(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;

(5)   A single-family residential customer who is either disabled or blind, according to Social Security criteria, and who also meets the qualifications of subparagraphs (1) and (3) of this section shall for the purposes of this section be a qualified senior citizen customer.

Section 2.   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.
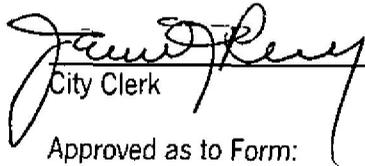
Passed by majority vote of the Kirkland City Council in open meeting this 21st day of   November   , 2000.

Signed   in   authentication   thereof   this   21st   day   of   November   , 2000.

MAYOR

Attest:

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City Clerk

Approved as to Form:

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City Attorney
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