

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF KIRKLAND RELATING TO YOUTH AND BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS.

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

Section 1. Kirkland Municipal Code Section 3.08.110 is hereby amended to read as follows:

3.08.110 Youth member of boards and commissions.

(a) General. The city council has added a youth-specific seat on ~~created a number of certain~~ citizen advisory boards and commissions ~~and is now adding a youth-specific seat to certain boards and commissions.~~ Rules and policies relating to boards and commissions are contained in a variety of ordinances, resolutions, and other documents. The provisions of this section will prevail over all other rules or policies of the city to the extent of any conflict with this section.

(b) Youth-Specific Seat Defined. ~~There is hereby added to the boards and commissions specified below a youth-specific seat, which shall increase the total number of members by one.~~ Appointment to a youth-specific seat shall be made for a two-year term. A youth-specific seat on a board or commission can be filled only by a person who, at time of appointment, is at least sixteen but not more than eighteen years of age. However, the minimum age shall be fifteen if the person will be at least a sophomore in high school at the time of appointment. The person so appointed may complete their term even if he or she is over the age of eighteen. All other qualifications and requirements applicable to members of the board or commission shall apply to the youth member.

(c) Youth-specific seats. A youth-specific seat has been added to the boards and commissions specified below, increasing their number of members by one. The total number of members, including the additional seat, for each body is listed below: Changes Effective. The changes shown below shall go into effect for each listed body when its youth-specific seat is first filled:

(1) Human services advisory committee: ~~Increase to~~ Five "at-large" members.

(2) Library board: ~~Increase to~~ six members.

(3) Park board: ~~Increase to~~ Eight members. Five members shall constitute a quorum and five affirmative votes shall be necessary to carry any proposition.

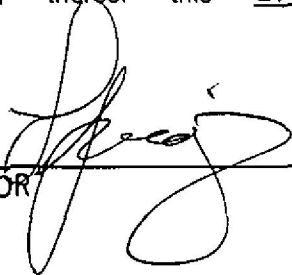
~~(4) Plaza of champions committee: Increase to five "at-large" members.~~

(4) Transportation Commission: Eight members.

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 17th day of December, 2002.

Signed in authentication thereof this 17th day of
December, 2002.




MAYOR

Attest:



City Clerk

Approved as to Form:



City Attorney

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