

RESOLUTION R-3985

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KIRKLAND EXPRESSING GRATITUDE AND APPRECIATION TO TOM J. ANDERSON FOR THIRTY-ONE YEARS OF OUTSTANDING PUBLIC SERVICE.

WHEREAS, Tom Anderson has served the City of Kirkland for 31 years, beginning as a Utility Clerk in 1964, advancing to the position of Assistant Director of Administration and Finance in 1965, and then progressing to the position of Director of Administration and Finance in 1967; and

WHEREAS, the City of Kirkland has benefited greatly from the financial stewardship of Tom Anderson, and the consistent care, intelligence, and progressive leadership he has brought to all aspects of his role as Director of Administration and Finance; and

WHEREAS, during his tenure Tom Anderson has introduced many innovative and creative programs to Kirkland which have helped it enjoy excellent fiscal health and outstanding public services, including such examples as: establishment of internal service funds, sale of over-the-counter municipal bonds to local residents, bidding out City banking services, utilization of compressed natural gas in City vehicles, service planning for the 1988 annexation of Rose Hill and South Juanita, and the creative development of major capital projects such as the Peter Kirk Municipal Parking Garage; and

WHEREAS, Tom's legendary integrity, consistent "can-do" attitude, and quiet and positive leadership has been an important ingredient in the City of Kirkland's success during the past 31 years; and

WHEREAS, in his fourth decade as a City employee, Tom has now decided to hang up his adding machine and retire from city government.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Kirkland City Council that the City hereby conveys its sincere gratitude and appreciation to Tom Anderson for the hard work, devotion, unfaltering loyalty, and commitment to excellence that he has given Kirkland during his 31 years of public service.

PASSED by a unanimous vote of the Kirkland City Council this 2nd day of January, 1996.

SIGNED in authentication thereof this 2nd day of January, 1996.




Dave Russell



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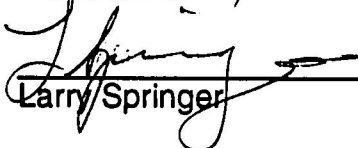
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ATTEST: 

Deputy City Clerk