

ORDINANCE NO. 242

CITY OF LACEY

AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO THE INSTALLATION OF FIRE HYDRANTS AND AMENDING CHAPTER 13.60 OF THE LACEY MUNICIPAL CODE, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LACEY DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Section 13.60.010 is amended to add Sub-section (11) to read as follows:

(11) "Subdivision" is any lot, parcel, or tract of land which has been or is being subdivided or resubdivided into more than four lots or tracts or other divisions of land for the purpose of sale or building development, whether immediate or future.

Section 2. Section 13.60.060 is hereby amended to read as follows:

13.60.060 Required future hydrant installations --Persons responsible. The installation of fire hydrants in accordance with this chapter shall be required of the owner and/or developer of any future business, commercial and industrial properties, institutional properties, or industrial facility, multi-family dwelling, development, or residential subdivision. and Nothing contained herein shall be construed as requiring the replacement of existing fire hydrants except as provided by Section 13.60.150.

Section 3. Section 13.60.100 is hereby amended to read as follows:

13.60.100 Number of hydrants required for buildings. Buildings having required fire flow of less than two thousand five hundred GPM (other than

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buildings of fire resistive construction) can have fire hydrants on one side of the building only, yet there shall never be less than two fire hydrants available for any commercial, industrial, institutional, or multi-family building larger than five hundred square feet of ground area. Location of hydrants protecting buildings requiring fire flows larger than two thousand five hundred GPM shall be determined by the fire chief.

Section 4. Section 13.60.180 is hereby amended to read as follows:

13.60.180 Sprinkler system installation. Any sprinkler system being installed shall be done at the expense of the property owner or his agent, including connections to the city's water supply. Before any water line attachment is made, plans must be approved by the city building inspector, city engineer and fire chief. If the sprinkler system has an approved water flow alarm which connects to the Lacey fire department alarm center, no meter shall be necessary. No domestic water shall be used from any sprinklered system. A fire hydrant shall be installed within forty feet of a fire department sprinkler connection.

Section 5. This act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health, welfare and safety and shall take effect immediately upon its passage and publication.

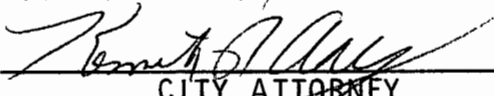
PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL AND APPROVED BY THE MAYOR
this 13 day of April, 1972.

ATTEST:


CITY CLERK


MAYOR

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


CITY ATTORNEY

PASSED: April 13, 1972

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