

ORDINANCE 518

CITY OF LACEY

AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO THE HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION; AMENDING SECTION 2.36.020 AND SECTION 9.48.060 AND REPEALING SECTION 2.36.030 OF THE LACEY MUNICIPAL CODE

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LACEY, WASHINGTON, as follows:

Section 1. Section 2.36.020 of the Lacey Municipal Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

"The duties of such commission shall be: to carry on a public education program and solicit the cooperation of individuals and organizations within the jurisdiction of the participating local governments in promoting equality and understanding among all citizens; to study and investigate problems which may result in tensions or discrimination because of race, color, creed, religion, national origin, sex, age, mental or physical impairment, or marital status; to report periodically to the governing bodies of participating local governments on such studies and investigations and to make recommendations for appropriate remedial action when indicated, and the commission hereby created may assist ~~minority~~ members of the community in resolving disputes arising from discriminatory practices or alleged discriminatory practices ~~finding-a-home-of-their-choice within-their-ability-to-pay,-and-to-administer-the-other-provisions of-this-chapter.~~"

Section 2. Section 2.36.030 of the Lacey Municipal Code is hereby repealed.

Section 3. Section 9.48.060 of the Lacey Municipal Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

"All complaints or allegations of violations of this chapter shall be referred to the commission for such assistance as may be rendered by the commission; provided, however, that the referral of complaints or allegations to the commission shall not be deemed to be a waiver of the city's right or obligation to prosecute an alleged violation pursuant to the terms of this chapter and processed in-the-manner-prescribed-in-Chapter-2.36-of-this-code.

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LACEY,
WASHINGTON, this 8th day of February, 1979.

CITY COUNCIL

By Karen R. Traver
Mayor

Attest:

Timothy McGuire
City Clerk

Approved as to Form:

[Signature]
City Attorney

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