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ORDINANCE NO. 159

AN **ORDINANCE OF** THE **CITY OF** SHORELINE, WASHINGTON ADOPTING THE POWERS OF INITIATIVE AND REFERENDUM FOR THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE **CITY**

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Shoreline, Washington, passed Resolution No. 145 on February 9, 1998, stating its intent to adopt the powers of initiative and referendum for the qualified electors of the City as provided in RCW Chapter 35A.11,

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SHORELINE DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The City of Shoreline hereby adopts the powers of initiative and referendum for the qualified electors of the City as provided pursuant to RCW 35A.11.080 through 35A.11.100. Such powers are to be exercised as provided in the abovereferenced sections of the Revised Code of Washington as they now exist or may be amended from time to time and said sections are hereby incorporated in full by this reference.

Section 2. A new Chapter 1.12 entitled "Initiative and Referendum" is hereby added to the Shoreline Municipal Code to read as set forth in the attached Exhibit A.

Section 3. This ordinance will be in full force and effect five days after passage and publication by posting as provided by law.

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL ON MAY 26, 1998.

City Attorney

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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City Clerk

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