

ORDINANCE NO. 01-15

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COVINGTON, KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON, REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 7-02 AND COVINGTON MUNICIPAL CODE 2.50.080 REGARDING THE REGIONAL DISASTER PLAN; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the city council previously adopted the Regional Disaster Plan for Public and Private Organizations in King County (RDP) under Ordinance No. 7-02, codified under Covington Municipal Code (CMC) 2.50.080; and

WHEREAS, the RDP has undergone significant revisions and updates, so much so that it has been replaced with a new document entitled as the Regional Coordination Framework for Disasters and Planned Events (RCF) and the underlying agreement enforcing the RDP has also been replaced; and

WHEREAS, given the purely administrative nature of such regional agreements, the city deems it most efficient to adopt future disaster plans and/or agreements through resolutions rather than ordinances, therefore the city council desires to repeal Ordinance No. 7-02 and CMC 2.50.080 in their entirety without replacement.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COVINGTON, KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

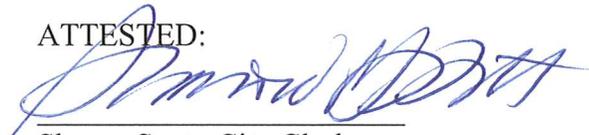
Section 1. Ordinance No. 7-02 and CMC 2.50.080 Repealed. Ordinance No. 7-02 and Covington Municipal Code 2.50.080 (Regional disaster plan adopted.) are hereby repealed in their entirety.

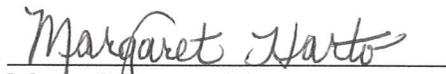
Section 2. Severability. If any section, paragraph, sentence, clause, phrase, or other provision of this ordinance or ordinance modified by it, or its application to any person or circumstance, is declared to be invalid or unenforceable for any reason, or should any portion of this ordinance be pre-empted by state or federal law or regulation, such decision or pre-emption shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this ordinance or its application to other person or circumstances.

Section 3. Effective Date. This ordinance shall be published in the official newspaper of the City and shall take effect and be in full force five (5) days after the date of publication.

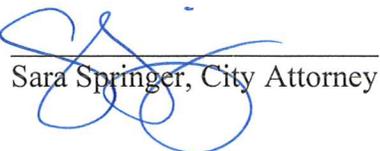
ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL AT A REGULAR MEETING THEREOF ON THE 10th DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2015.

ATTESTED:


Sharon Scott, City Clerk


Mayor Margaret Harto

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


Sara Springer, City Attorney

PUBLISHED: February 13, 2015

EFFECTIVE: February 18, 2015