

ORDINANCE NO. 72

An Ordinance of the Town of Gig Harbor creating a Civil Service Commission for the Police Department as prescribed by Chapter 41.12 of the Revised Code of Washington.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF GIG HARBOR:

Section 1. In accordance with the provisions of Chapter 41.12 of the Revised Code of Washington, there is hereby created a Civil Service Commission to exercise the powers and to perform the duties established by such state law in connection with the selection, appointment and employment of police in the Town of Gig Harbor.

Section 2. Except as hereinafter specifically provided, the provisions of Chapter 41.12 of R.C.W. shall control the Commission's selection, appointment and employment of police, and all other aspects of police civil service in the Town of Gig Harbor.

Section 3. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in Chapter 41.12 of R.C.W.:

a. In addition to any opportunity afforded the appointing authority to exercise the choice in the filling of a vacancy by the terms of said law, whenever requisition is made upon the Commission for the names of persons eligible for appointment to any vacancy, including both original appointments and promotions, the Commission, instead of furnishing the name of one person highest on the eligibility list, shall certify to the appointing authority the names of the three persons highest on such eligibility list for each vacancy, if there are three such persons available. The appointing authority shall forthwith appoint one of the certified persons to such vacant position.

Section 4. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect five days after its passage, approval and publication.

PASSED by the Council of the Town of Gig Harbor, this 12 day of

July, 1973.

John B. Bjork
MAYOR

ATTEST:

Donald O. Haug
Town Clerk