

ORDINANCE NO. 371

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GIG HARBOR PROVIDING FOR THE CREATION OF THE OFFICE OF PRO-TEMPORE MAYOR.

WHEREAS, Section 35A.12.065 of the Washington Optional Municipal Code provides for the election of a Pro-Tempore Mayor, and

WHEREAS, the Gig Harbor City Council elected a Pro-Tempore Mayor at a regularly scheduled Council meeting May 26, 1981, and

WHEREAS, the Gig Harbor City Council elects to create an ordinance specifying the duties of a Mayor Pro-Tempore, and

WHEREAS, the Health, Safety, and Welfare of the community is better served by the provision for executive continuity in the Mayor's office,

NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Gig Harbor do ordain as follows:

Section I: Mayor Pro Tempore. At the second regular meeting in January of each year, the members of the City Council shall elect from their number a mayor pro tempore who shall hold office at the pleasure of the council, and in case of the absence of the mayor, perform the duties of mayor except that he shall not have the power to appoint or remove any officer or to veto any ordinance. This requirement is in addition to that of RCW 35.24.190.

PASSED this 13th day of July, 1981.


Ruth M. Bogue Mayor

ATTEST:


Tim Johnston Clerk