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ORDINANCE NO. 494

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF GIG HARBOR, WASHINGTON, INITIATING THE PROCESS WHICH WILL RESULT IN A SPECIAL ELECTION TO DETERMINE WHETHER THE CITY SHALL BE ANNEXED INTO PIERCE COUNTY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT NO. 5 BY DECLARING THE REQUIRED INTENT TO JOIN THE FIRE DISTRICT AND BY FINDING THAT SUCH ANNEXATION IS IN THE PUBLIC INTEREST.

WHEREAS, sections 52.04.061 through 52.04.081 of the Revised Code of Washington provide a process for the annexation of the City into Pierce County Fire Protection District No. 5 (Fire District), and

WHEREAS, to provide adequate fire protection services in the City of Gig Harbor at a cost effective rate, it is in the City's interest to annex to the Fire District, NOW, THEREFORE,

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GIG HARBOR, WASHINGTON, DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The City does hereby initiate the process of potential annexation of the City into Pierce County Fire Protection District No. 5 by stating its intent to join the Fire District and by finding that the public interest will be served by doing so.

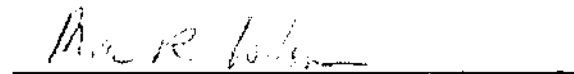
Section 2. The City Clerk is directed to transmit this ordinance to the Fire District and, if the Fire District concurs, to take the further steps outlined in the RCW cited above to place this question before the voters at the earliest possible election.

Section 3. 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.

APPROVED:


MAYOR, DON MC CARTY

ATTEST/AUTHENTICATED:


MIKE WILSON
CITY CLERK/CITY ADMINISTRATOR

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