

ORDINANCE NO. 01-20

AN ORDINANCE of the City of Richland amending Richland Municipal Code Section 2.31.030 related to fingerprinting fees.

WHEREAS, the City of Richland has need, from time to time, to amend the Richland Municipal Code (RMC) to eliminate ambiguity and to bring the code into alignment with current practice; and

WHEREAS, the City recently completed a comprehensive review of its fee schedule, and made a number of code changes through Ordinance No. 63-19 to bring the RMC into alignment with current practice; and

WHEREAS, RMC 2.31.030, related to the fingerprinting fee for non-municipal matters, was inadvertently overlooked when the other code amendments were presented; and

WHEREAS, amending RMC Section 2.31.030 is necessary to eliminate conflict with the recently adopted fee schedule and the current practice of the Richland Police Department.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City of Richland as follows:

Section 1. Richland Municipal Code Section 2.31.030, entitled Fingerprinting for nonmunicipally related matters, as first enacted by Ordinance No. 98-76, and last amended by Ordinance No. 13-97, is hereby amended as follows:

2.31.030 Fingerprinting for non-municipally-related matters.

Whenever any person desires to be fingerprinted by the Richland police division for any reason other than that imposed by the city ordinance relative to employment or application for a license or permit, fingerprints may be taken by the police division upon payment by the person to be printed of a fee as provided in the City's posted fee schedule~~in the amount of \$10.00 for the first fingerprint card and \$5.00 for each additional card~~. The fingerprint card in such cases shall be turned over to the person fingerprinted, shall not be maintained in the files of the Richland police division, and shall not be forwarded by the police division to the Identification Section of the Washington State Patrol; provided, however, that any resident of the state of Washington who requests fingerprinting for personal identification only may, upon payment of the required fee, have copies of the fingerprint impressions forwarded to the Identification Section of the Washington State Patrol on forms appropriately marked "Personal Identification."

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect the day following its publication in the official newspaper of the City of Richland.

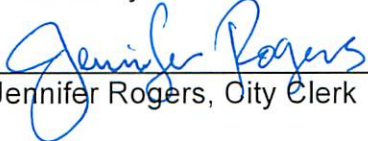
Section 3. Should any section or provision of this ordinance be declared by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, that decision shall not affect the validity of the ordinance as a whole or any part thereof, other than the part so declared to be invalid.

Section 4. The City Clerk and the codifiers of this ordinance are authorized to make necessary corrections to this ordinance, including but not limited to the correction of scrivener's errors/clerical errors, section numbering, references, or similar mistakes of form.

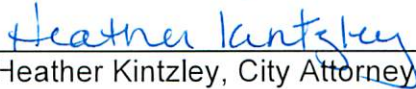
PASSED by the City Council of the City of Richland, Washington, at a regular meeting on the 4th day of February, 2020.


Ryan Lukson, Mayor

Attested by:


Jennifer Rogers, City Clerk

Approved as to form:


Heather Kintzley, City Attorney

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