ORDINANCE NO. 18-1013

AN ORDINANCE of the City Council of the City of SeaTac, Washington, authorizing the establishment of a neighborhood mailbox replacement program and amending the City's 2017-2018 Biennial Budget.

WHEREAS, mail theft and the subsequent fallout crimes are responsible for consuming a significant amount of City resources and causes undue harm to residents and businesses; and

WHEREAS, the City Council believes that mail theft can be reduced through the increased use of locking mailboxes within our neighborhoods; and

WHEREAS, this issue was recommended for approval at the March 8, 2018 Public Safety and Justice Committee;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SEATAC, WASHINGTON, DO ORDAIN as follows:

Section 1. The City Manager is authorized to create a program in the City to encourage the replacement of non-locking mailboxes with locking mailboxes.

Section 2. The City's 2017-2018 Biennial Budget shall be amended to increase expenditures in the General Fund by $50,000 to fund this program in 2018.

Section 3. The City's 2017-2018 Biennial Budget shall be amended to account for $25,000 of increased General Fund revenue as reimbursement for the purchase of locking mailboxes by City property owners.

Section 4. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect five (5) days after passage and publication as required by law.
ADOPTED this 27th day of March, 2018, and signed in authentication thereof on this 27th day of March, 2018.

CITY OF SEATAC

Michael J. Siefkes, Mayor

ATTEST:

Kristina Gregg, City Clerk

Approved as to form:

Mary E. Mirante Bartolo, City Attorney

[Effective Date: 4/7/18]

[Mailbox Program and Budget Amendment]