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CITY OF FIRCREST

ORDINANCE NO. 1032

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF FIRCREST, WASHINGTON, ADDING A NEW CHAPTER TO THE FIRCREST MUNICIPAL CODE, TITLE 21 WATER, PROHIBITING THE INSTALLATION, DIGGING, AND DRILLING OF A PRIVATE WELL WITHIN THE CITY OF FIRCREST.

The City Council of the City of Fircrest do ordain as follows:

1. Section 1: There is hereby added to the Fircrest Municipal Code Title 21 Water, a new Chapter 21.16 relating to the prohibition of drilling wells as follows:

21.16.010. Private Wells Prohibited. No person shall hereafter drill or install, or cause to be drilled, a private water well, as defined in WAC 173-160, within the City of Fircrest except as allowed by WAC 173-160.

21.16.020. Exceptions. This chapter shall not apply to the installation, digging or drilling of a water well by a municipal corporation within its own corporate borders.

21.16.030. Violations. Any person, firm or corporation violating any provision of this chapter shall be guilty of a misdemeanor. Such person, firm or corporation shall be deemed guilty of a separate offense for each and every day during any portion of which any violation of this chapter is committed, continued or permitted by such person, firm or corporation and shall be punished by a fine not to exceed \$1,000.00, and each day such violation continues shall constitute a separate and distinct offense.

Section 2. Effective Date. This ordinance shall take effect five (5) days after passage, approval and publication as provided by law.

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FIRCREST, WASHINGTON, AT A REGULAR MEETING THEREOF THIS 27th DAY OF April, 1993.

APPROVED:

Joe M. Hanigan
MAYOR

ATTEST:

Jusan Clough
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Michael B. Smith
CITY ATTORNEY

The foregoing ordinance is a true and correct copy of Ordinance No. 1032, City of Fircrest titled Well Drilling which has been published and posted according to law.

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