

CITY OF LYNNWOOD

ORDINANCE NO. 2281

City of Lynnwood
DEC 22 2000
SCANNED

AN ORDINANCE CREATING AND ESTABLISHING A VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS PENSION AND RELIEF BOARD AND ENACTING A NEW SECTION 2.34.100 OF THE LYNNWOOD MUNICIPAL CODE.

WHEREAS, the City of Lynnwood maintains a regularly organized fire department; and

WHEREAS, state law provides for relief and pension benefits for volunteer firefighters and all other firefighters who are not full-time, paid firefighters and members of the Law Enforcement Officers' and Firefighters Retirement (LEOFF) system; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 41.24 of the Revised Code of Washington (RCW) creates and establishes a board of trustees for the administration of the relief and pension provisions for volunteer firefighters;

WHEREAS, the City council adopts this ordinance to implement the provisions of Chapter 41.24 RCW.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LYNNWOOD DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. New Section. There hereby enacted a new section of the Lynnwood Municipal Code, Section 2.34.100 of the Lynnwood Municipal Code, to read as follows:

2.34.100 VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS PENSION AND RELIEF BOARD

There is hereby created and established a Volunteer Firefighters Pension and Relief Board of the City of Lynnwood consisting of the following five members:

1. Mayor, who shall be chair of the Board;
2. Finance Director, who shall be secretary-treasurer of the Board;
3. One City Councilmember;
4. Fire Chief; and
5. One member of the fire department to be elected by the members of the fire department for a one-year term and annually thereafter.

The Volunteer Firefighters Pension and Relief Board shall perform all functions, exercise all powers, and make such determinations as specified in Chapter 41.24 of the Revised Code of Washington, as it may be amended from time to time.

Section 2. Severability. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase or word of this Ordinance should be held to be invalid or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, such invalidity or unconstitutionality thereof shall not affect the validity or constitutionality of any other section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase or word of this Ordinance.

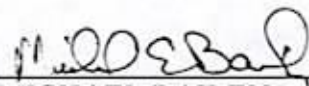
Section 3. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in full force five (5) days after its passage, approval and publication.


PASSED this 22 day of November, 1999 and signed in authentication of its passage this 23 day of November, 1999.


TINA ROBERTS, MAYOR

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


MICHAEL BAILEY
Finance Director


JOHN P. WATTS
Lynnwood City Attorney