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ORDINANCE NO. 85-028

Repealing Chapter 24.32 Snohomish County Code and enacting a new Chapter 24.32 Snohomish County Code

BE IT ORDAINED:

Section 1. Chapter 24.32 of the Snohomish County Code is hereby repealed.

Section 2. A new Chapter 24.32 Snohomish County Code is hereby adopted which sections are as follows:

CHAPTER 24.32

Enforcement

Sections:

24.32.010 Director's Authority
24.32.020 Title 28, Snohomish County Code - Applicable
24.32.030 Order to Cease Violation
24.32.040 Notice of Violation - Penalty - Abatement
24.32.050 Public Nuisance
24.32.060 Alternative Remedies
24.32.070 Administrative Jurisdiction - Nonexclusive

Section 24.32.010 Director's Authority. Whenever the Director determines that a condition exists in violation of this title, or any code or standard required to be adhered to by this title, he is authorized to enforce the provisions of this title, or codes or standards, pertaining to such condition existing in violation thereof.

<u>Section 24.32.020 Title 28. Snohomish County Code - Applicable.</u> All violations of this title, and codes and standards required thereby, are made subject to the provisions of Title 28, Snohomish County Code.

Section 24.32.030 Order to Cease Violation. Whenever any condition is found to be in violation of this title, or codes or standards required to be adhered to thereunder, and pending commencement and completion of the notice and order procedure of Section 24.32.040, the Director may order the cessation of activity causing the violative condition by notice in writing served on the person(s) engaged in or causing such condition. The effect of such order shall be to require immediate cessation of activity causing the violative condition. Said order shall not be affected by any right of appeal afforded by this or any other title of this code.

Section 24.32.040 Notice of violation - Penalty - Abatement. The Director is authorized to order correction and discontinuance of any violative condition of the provisions of this title under the procedures of Title 28, Snohomish County Code, which provide for NOTICE OF VIOLATION AND ASSESSMENT OF PENALTY AND ORDER TO ABATE.

Section 24.32.050 Public Nuisance. All violations of this title, and codes and standards required thereby, are determined to be detrimental to the public health, safety, and welfare and are public nuisances. All conditions which are determined by the Director to be in violation of this title, or codes and standards required thereby, shall be subject to the provisions of this title and shall be corrected by any reasonable and lawful means, as provided in this title.

Section 24.32.060 Alternative Remedies. As an alternative to any other judicial or administrative remedy provided in this title or by law or other ordinance, any person who wilfully or knowingly violates

any provision of this title or any order issued pursuant to this title, or by each act of commission or omission procures, aids or abets such violation, is guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be punished as provided in Snohomish County Code Title 1.01.100. Each day such violation continues shall be considered an additional misdemeanor offense.

Section 24.32.070 Administrative Jurisdiction - Nonexclusive. The authority of the Director to enforce the provisions of this title is not in derogation of the authority of any other officer charged with the enforcement of law but is concurrent therewith. The authority of the Director to enforce the provisions of this title includes without limitation the requirement that he request the assistance of the prosecuting attorney's office for judicial enforcement as may be deemed appropriate by the prosecuting attorney.

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