

ORDINANCE NO. 2284

AN ORDINANCE reenacting Ordinance No. 2222, and amending Section 15.12.010 by adopting the 1997 Edition of the Uniform Mechanical Code.

WHEREAS, on September 13, 1999, the City Council enacted Ordinance 2222, which adopted the 1997 Edition of the Uniform Mechanical Code, including permit fees, and

WHEREAS, Washington voters have approved Initiative 722, which in part invalidates all tax and fee increases adopted by local governments between July 2, 1999, and December 31, 1999, and

WHEREAS, several cities have filed suit challenging the constitutionality of Initiative 722, and

WHEREAS, due to the uncertainty resulting from the passage of Initiative 722 and the legal challenges thereto, the City Council desires to reenact Ordinance No. 2222 and the permit fees set forth therein,

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

Section I

Ordinance No. 2222, which adopted the 1997 Edition of the Uniform Mechanical Code including permit fees, is hereby reenacted, confirmed and ratified effective January 1, 2000.

Section II

Section 15.12.010 of the Camas Municipal Code is amended to provide as follows:

15.12.010 - Adoption of Uniform Mechanical Code.

- A. There is hereby adopted by the City for the purpose of establishing minimum standards for the design, installation and maintenance of heat producing and cooling appliances the 1997 Edition of the Uniform Mechanical Code, including Appendix B, Chapter 15 (solar systems), Appendix C, Chapter 8 (sizing of venting systems serving appliances equipped with draft hoods and appliances listed for use with type B vents (and the Washington State amendments to the Uniform Mechanical Code as set forth in Chapter 51-42 of the Washington Administrative Code. One (1) copy of the 1997 Edition of the Uniform Mechanical Code including Appendices B and C and one (1) copy of Chapter 51-42 of the Washington Administrative Code shall be filed in the office of the Clerk of the City.

- B. The fees set forth in Table 1-A Mechanical Permit Fees of the 1997 Edition of the Uniform Mechanical Code shall be amended as follows:

Item 10 - Gas Piping:

For each fuel gas piping system of 1 to 5 outlets \$6.15.

For each fuel gas piping system, additional outlets over 5, each \$1.15.

Item 11 - Process Piping:

For each hazardous process piping system (HPP) of 1 - 4 outlets \$5.50.

For each piping system of 5 or more outlets, per outlet \$1.15.

For each non-hazardous process piping system (MPP) of 1 - 4 outlets \$2.30

For each piping system of 5 or more outlets, per outlet \$.55.

Section III

If any section, clause or phrase of this ordinance is declared unconstitutional or invalid for any reason, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of the ordinance.

Section IV

This ordinance shall take force and be in effect five (5) days from and after its publication according to law.

PASSED by the Council and APPROVED by the Mayor this 4th day of December, 2000.

SIGNED: _____

Mary Kufeldt-Arillo
Mayor Pro-Tem

ATTEST: _____

John M. Dargatzis
Clerk

APPROVED as to form:

[Signature]
City Attorney