

Title 1

GENERAL PROVISIONS

Chapter 1.01

CODE ADOPTION

Sections:

- 1.01.010 Code adopted.
- 1.01.020 Copies as proof of ordinances.
- 1.01.030 New or amendatory material.
- 1.01.040 Single subject requirement met.

Statutory Reference: For statutory provisions regarding the codification of city ordinances, see RCW 35.21.500 through 35.21.570.

1.01.010 Code adopted.

The compilation and codification of city ordinances of general application, passed and approved on or before November 19, 1979, through Ordinance 108635, filed with the City Clerk by the City Attorney on September 19, 1980, is adopted as the Official Code of The City of Seattle to be known hereafter as "Seattle Municipal Code." Ordinances of general application passed and approved after November 19, 1979, and numbered from Ordinance 108635, are valid and subsisting law of the city. Such Ordinances shall later be made part of the Seattle Municipal Code in the manner provided in Section 1.01.030. (Ord. 109560 § 1, 1980.)

1.01.020 Copies as proof of ordinances.

In accordance with RCW 35.21.550 (Chapter 7, Section 35.21.550, Laws of Washington 1965), copies of the Seattle Municipal Code shall be received in all courts and administrative tribunals of the city and the state as ordinances of the city of permanent and general effect without further proof. (Ord. 109560 § 2, 1980.)

1.01.030 New or amendatory material.

In accordance with RCW 35.12.560 (Chapter 7, Section 36.21.560, Laws of Washington 1965), new, amendatory or other materials altering the Seattle Municipal Code shall be adopted by the city's legislative authority as separate ordinances, as provided by Article IV of the City Charter,¹ prior to inclusion in the

Seattle Municipal Code. After adoption of the Code, any ordinance amending the codification shall set forth in full the section or sections, or subsection or subsections of the codification being amended, as the case may be, and the same shall constitute a sufficient compliance with that provision of Article IV of the City Charter¹ requiring sections to be amended to be set forth in full in the text of the amending ordinance.

(Ord. 109560 § 3, 1980.)

1. Editor's Note: The Charter is included at the beginning of this Code.

1.01.040 Single subject requirement met.

Section 4. In accordance with the provisions of RCW 35.21.570 (Chapter 7, Section 35.21.570, Laws of Washington 1965), adoption of the Seattle Municipal Code by the ordinance codified in this chapter constitutes sufficient compliance with that provision of Article IV of the City Charter¹ requiring that no ordinance shall contain more than one subject to be clearly expressed in its title.

(Ord. 109560 § 4, 1980.)

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Chapter 1.04

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Sections:

- 1.04.010 Severability.

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The provisions of this Code are declared to be separate and severable. The invalidity of any clause, sentence, paragraph, subdivision, section, chapter, title or other portion of this Code, or the invalidity of the application thereof to any person or circumstance shall not affect the validity of the remainder of this Code, or the validity of its application to other persons or circumstances.

(Ord. 109560 § 11, 1980.)