

# Ordinance No. 107788

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Water Department and  
prescribing the duties  
of the Superintendent of  
Water.

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AS AMENDED

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Ord. 109480 -Amends Sec 3; reorganizing the Water & Engr. Depts'.

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(b) The Superintendent of Water shall be appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by a majority of the City Council, and shall serve for a four-year term; Provided, that the Superintendent of Water serving on December 31, 1978, shall serve as such until a new Superintendent is appointed pursuant to the terms of this ordinance.

Section 2. Pursuant to the Administrative Code (Ordinance 102228), the Superintendent of Water may adopt whatever rule he or she deems useful for the conduct of the department's business.

Section 3. Under the direction of the Mayor, the duties of the Superintendent of Water include:

(a) Operating, maintaining, managing and controlling the municipal water system and related facilities.

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(c) Appointing, supervising and controlling officers and employees of the Water Department, subject to personnel ordinances and rules of the City.

(d) Performing other duties as assigned by the City.

Section 4. The Water Department heretofore established by Charter Article VII shall become the Water Department established pursuant to the provisions of this ordinance.

1 All of the records, books, papers, properties, equipment,  
2 offices, rights and responsibilities of the Department  
3 heretofore created by Charter are transferred to the  
4 department established by this ordinance.

5 The appointment of each and every employee of the  
6 Water Department heretofore established by Charter is ratified  
7 and confirmed as an appointment to the Water Department  
8 established pursuant to the provisions of this ordinance,  
9 and such employment shall be deemed to be continuous and  
10 without interruption of service, and no employee shall suffer  
11 any loss of accrued service credit, vacation time, sick leave,  
12 compensation time, or any other benefit, on account of this  
13 transfer from a department created by charter to a department  
14 created by this ordinance.

15 Section 5. The effective date of this ordinance shall  
16 be January 1, 1979.  
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(To be used for all Ordinances except Emergency.)

Section 6. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force thirty days from and after its passage and approval, if approved by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect at the time it shall become a law under the provisions of the city charter.

Passed by the City Council the 6 day of November, 1978,  
and signed by me in open session in authentication of its passage this 6 day of  
November, 1978.

John Muller  
President of the City Council.

Approved by me this 15 day of November, 1978.  
Charles Royer  
Mayor.

Filed by me this 15 day of November, 1978.

E. L. Kinn  
Attest: City Comptroller and City Clerk.

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By: Wayne McGuire  
Deputy Clerk.

# The City of Seattle--Legislative Department

MR. PRESIDENT:

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and Adopted

Your Committee on Water & Waste Management

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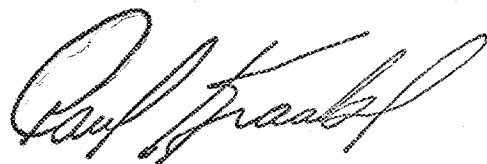
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to which was referred 99643

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SUBMITS THE FOLLOWING DIVIDED REPORT:

*Paul Frank*  
DO NOT PASS.

PASS AS AMENDED

WILLIAMS

Chairman

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10/30/78 - met to re-refer  
to W & W M. motion  
carried

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KING COUNTY—SS.**

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Ordinance No. 107788

was published on \_\_\_\_\_ November 17, 1978

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Subscribed and sworn to before me on

November 17, 1978

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Notary Public for the State of Washington,  
residing in Seattle.

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JOHN MILLER,  
President of the City Council.

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CHARLES ROYER.