

**MOUNTLAKE TERRACE
TRANSPORTATION BENEFIT DISTRICT**

ORDINANCE NO. 1

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE MOUNTLAKE TERRACE
TRANSPORTATION BENEFIT DISTRICT AUTHORIZING A VEHICLE
LICENSE FEE OF TWENTY DOLLARS AND IDENTIFYING
PROJECTS TO BE FUNDED**

WHEREAS, after holding a public hearing on December 5, 2011, the Mountlake Terrace City Council established the Mountlake Terrace Transportation Benefit District by adopting Ordinance No. 2584, as authorized by RCW 35.21.255 and subject to the provisions of Chapter 36.73 RCW; and

WHEREAS, RCW 36.73.065 authorizes a transportation benefit district to impose, by majority vote of the district's governing board, up to \$20 of the vehicle license fee authorized in RCW 82.80.140; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with RCW 82.80.140, the new \$20 vehicle license fee may not be collected until six months after approval of this action by the governing board; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on January 3, 2012, regarding adoption of the proposed annual vehicle license fee in the amount of \$20 and selection of projects; and

WHEREAS, the Board of the Mountlake Terrace Transportation Benefit District, which is the governing board of the District, finds it is in the best interest of the District to establish an annual vehicle license fee in the amount of \$20 for the purposes of preserving, maintaining, operating, constructing, or reconstructing the transportation infrastructure of the City of Mountlake Terrace and funding transportation improvements within the District that are consistent with existing state, regional or local transportation plans necessitated by existing or reasonably foreseeable congestion levels;

**NOW THEREFORE, THE BOARD OF THE MOUNTLAKE TERRACE
TRANSPORTATION BENEFIT DISTRICT DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:**

Section 1. Fee Established. An annual vehicle license fee in the amount of \$20 is established, consistent with RCW 36.73.065, to be collected by the Washington Department of Licensing on qualifying vehicles, as set forth in RCW 82.80.140 and Chapter 36.73 RCW.

Section 2. Projects. The projects listed herein shall be funded in the following order of priority:

1. Main Street Reconstruction Project, which includes 56th Avenue West from 230th to 236th Streets SW, 236th Street SW from 56th Avenue West to Interstate 5, and any associated

improvements for streets connecting with these segments of 56th Avenue West and 236th Street SW;

2. Other projects as determined by the Board to ensure appropriate preservation, maintenance, operation, and improvements of the City's transportation infrastructure, consistent with Chapter 36.73 RCW.

Section 3. Notification to DOL. The Mountlake Terrace Transportation Benefit District Governing Board requests that the City Clerk for the City of Mountlake Terrace notify the Washington State Department of Licensing (DOL) of the vehicle license fee established in Section 1 of this ordinance and to request that DOL take all the steps necessary to implement collection of this fee in accordance with RCW 82.80.140.


Section 4. Publication, Effective Date. This ordinance shall take effect five days after passage and publication of a summary consisting of the title in the official newspaper of the City of Mountlake Terrace.

PASSED BY THE MOUNTLAKE TERRACE TRANSPORTATION BENEFIT DISTRICT BOARD this 3rd day of January, 2012 and signed in authentication of its passage the 3rd day of January, 2012.

MOUNTLAKE TERRACE TRANSPORTATION
BENEFIT DISTRICT



CHAIR OF THE TBD BOARD

ATTEST: 

TBD CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM:
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