

## ORDINANCE NO. 813

### AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF GIG HARBOR, WASHINGTON, ACCEPTING A DONATION OF FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$5,000.00) FROM THE MORRIS FOUNDATION FOR THE PURPOSE OF ENHANCING CITY PARKS, AND INCLUDING SUCH DONATION IN THE CITY'S PROPERTY ACQUISITION FUND.

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WHEREAS, pursuant to RCW 35.21.100, the City of Gig Harbor may accept any donations of money by ordinance, and may carry out the terms of the donation, if the same are within the powers granted to the City by law; and

WHEREAS, the City has received a check in the amount of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) from the Morris Foundation, to be used for the purpose of City park enhancement, as further described in the letter from David R. Morris, dated December 18, 1998, attached to this Ordinance as Exhibit A; now, therefore,

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GIG HARBOR, WASHINGTON, DO  
ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. **Acceptance of Donation.** The City Council hereby accepts the Five Thousand Dollar (\$5,000.00) donation from the Morris Foundation, subject to the following terms of the donation, as expressed in Exhibit A: the donation is to be used for the enhancement of the City Parks -- for either new real estate acquisitions and/or capital improvements to new parks within the City limits.

Section 2. **Finance Director to Acknowledge Acceptance in Letter.** As requested by the Morris Foundation, the Finance Director is hereby directed to send a copy of this Ordinance confirming the City's acceptance of the donation, for the uses described in the letter attached hereto

as Exhibit A. The Finance Director shall deposit the donation in the City's Property Acquisition Fund, and shall earmark the funds to be used for the purposes described in this ordinance.

Section 3. Severability. If any section, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance should be held to be invalid or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, such invalidity or unconstitutionality shall not affect the validity or constitutionality of any other section, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance.

Section 4. Effective Date. This ordinance shall take effect and be in full force five (5) days after publication of an approved summary consisting of the title.

APPROVED:

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MAYOR, GRETCHEN A. WILBERT

ATTEST/AUTHENTICATED:

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CITY CLERK, MOLLY TOWSLEE

APPROVED AS TO FORM:  
OFFICE OF THE CITY ATTORNEY:

BY \_\_\_\_\_

FILED WITH THE CITY CLERK: 01/06/99  
PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL: 01/25/99  
PUBLISHED: 02/03/99  
EFFECTIVE DATE: 02/08/99

**SUMMARY OF ORDINANCE NO. 813  
of the City of Gig Harbor, Washington**

On January 25, 1999, the City Council of the City of Gig Harbor, Washington, approved Ordinance No. 813, the summary of text of which is as follows:

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The full text of this ordinance will be mailed upon request.

DATED this 27<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1999.

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MOLLY TOWSLEE, CITY CLERK