ORDINANCE NO. 1384

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GIG HARBOR, WASHINGTON, RELATING TO THE CITY'S PARKING CODE; AMENDING SECTION 10.06.046 OF THE GIG HARBOR MUNICIPAL CODE TO ADOPT RCW 46.08.185 REGARDING DESIGNATED PARKING FOR ELECTRIC VEHICLE CHARGING STATIONS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY AND ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, RCW 46.08.185 was enacted by the State of Washington in 2013 to encourage the use of electric vehicles and make exclusive availability of charging stations to these vehicles; and

WHEREAS, the City of Gig Harbor has installed and designated electric vehicle charging stations within the City; and

WHEREAS, the City of Gig Harbor desires to update the Municipal Code to incorporate RCW 46.08.185 by reference to allow enforcement of violations of this statute within the City; Now, therefore,

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GIG HARBOR, WASHINGTON, ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

<u>Section 1</u>. Section 10.06.046 of the Gig Harbor Municipal Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

10.06.046 Statutes adopted by reference.

The following state statutes, including all future amendments, repeals, or additions thereto, are hereby adopted by reference as if set forth in full:

RCW

46.08.185	Electric vehicle charging stations – Signage – Penalty.
46.19.050	Restrictions – Prohibitions – Violations – Penalties
	(Special parking privileges for persons with
	disabilities).

46.61.570 Stopping, standing, or parking prohibited in specified places – Reserving portion of highway prohibited.

46.61.575 Additional parking regulations.

<u>Section 2.</u> <u>Severability.</u> If any section, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance should be held to be 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 3. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in full force five (5) days after passage and publication of an approved summary consisting of the title.

PASSED by the Council and approved by the Mayor of the City of Gig Harbor, this 26th day of February, 2018.

CITY OF GIG HARBOR

Mayor Kit Kuhn

ATTEST/AUTHENTICATED:

Molly M. Towslee, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM: Office of the City Attorney

Angela G. Summerfield

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