ORDINANCE NO. 98-99

ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF MASON COUNTY COMMISSIONERS PROHIBITING THE DISCHARGE OF FIREARMS ON HASKEL HILL ROAD, ANDERSON ROAD, AND WILSON ROAD INCLUDING ALL SIDE ROADS AND ADJOINING PROPERTIES, AND PRESCRIBING A MISDEMEANOR FOR VIOLATION THEREOF.

WHEREAS, a petition has been made to the Board of Mason County Commissioners to prohibit the discharge of firearms on Haskel Hill Road, Anderson Road, and Wilson Road including all side roads and adjoining properties; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provisions of the Revised Code of Washington, Sections 36.32.120, subparagraph 7, the County Commissioners are empowered to make and enforce by appropriate ordinance such police regulation, as are not in conflict with State Law, as the Board of County Commissioners may deem necessary for the general welfare and protection of the citizens of Mason County;

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on August 24, 1999 at 7:30 p.m. to consider public testimony;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Mason County Commissioners:

<u>Section 1.</u> From and after the adoption date of this resolution, it shall be unlawful to discharge any firearms whatsoever within the unincorporated area of Mason County hereinafter described as follows:

On Haskel Hill Road, Anderson Road, and Wilson Road including all side roads and adjoining properties further described as starting at a point one hundred feet southerly from the intersection of North Island Drive, Harstine Island, and Haskel Hill Road and running northerly to the point of intersection with the unnamed county road which begins at the point where the unnamed county road intersects with the Haskel Hill Road, and then north westerly to the high tide line of Pickering Passage, and then easterly along the high tide line to the entrance to Jarrell Cove and down the west high tide line to the point where the west high tide line intersects with the Haskel Hill Road which is situated in a portion of Range 2, Twn 21, Sec 26 (Exhibit 1) EXCEPT as follows:

(a) For the protection of life and property.

Section 2. Any person violating this ordinance shall be guilty of a MISDEMEANOR.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Board of Mason County Commissioners, this 24th day of August, 1999.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS Y. WASHINGTØN MASON COUNT

Q Cynthia D. Olsen, Chairperson

John A. Bolender, Commissioner

Refused to sign Mary Jo Cady, Commissioner

ATTEST:

WARCA Rebecca S. Rogers, Clerk of the Board

APPROVED AS TO FORM: N CH-DPA

Deputy Prosecuting Attorney Michael Clift

c: Clerk of the Board Sheriff

