

TOWN OF WOODWAY

ORDINANCE 2022-635

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF WOODWAY AMENDING CHAPTER 1.04,
REVISING THE TOWN'S HOLIDAY SCHEDULE; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY;
ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND AUTHORIZING SUMMARY
PUBLICATION BY ORDINANCE TITLE ONLY.

WHEREAS, Chapter 1.04 of the Town of Woodway Municipal Code (WMC) identifies legal holidays recognized by the Town; and

WHEREAS, RCW 1.16.050 authorizes local government legislative authorities to establish, by ordinance or resolution, paid holidays for their employees; and

WHEREAS, the State of Washington adopted Senate House Bill 1016 making Juneteenth (June 19) a paid state holiday beginning in 2022; and

WHEREAS, President Biden signed into law a bill making Juneteenth (June 19) the 12th federally recognized holiday; and

WHEREAS, the date of June 19 commemorates the day in 1865 when knowledge of the Emancipation Proclamation and the abolishment of slavery reached the last remaining enslaved people in Galveston, TX; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council of the Town of Woodway would like to add Juneteenth (June 19) to the list of legal holidays recognized by the Town of Woodway; and

NOW, THEREFORE, the Town Council of the Town of Woodway does hereby ordain as follows:

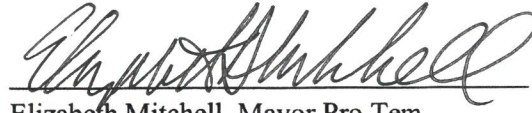
Section 1. WMC Section 1.04.010: Definitions is hereby amended as set forth in Exhibit A.

Section 2. If any part or portion of this Ordinance is declared invalid for any such reason, such declaration of invalidity shall not affect any remaining portion.

Section 3. This Ordinance shall take effect 5 days after date of publication by ordinance title only.

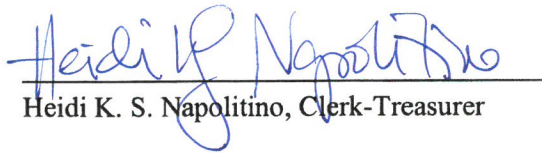
PASSED this 18th day of January 2022 by the Town Council of the Town of Woodway.

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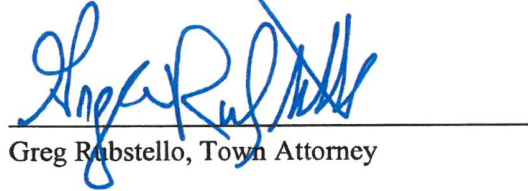
Elizabeth Mitchell, Mayor Pro Tem

ATTEST:



Heidi K. S. Napolitano, Clerk-Treasurer

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Greg Rubstello, Town Attorney

Date Passed by the Town Council: 18 JANUARY 2022

Date Published: 28 JANUARY 2022

Effective Date: 2 FEBRUARY 2022

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1.04.010 DEFINITIONS.

The following words and phrases, whenever used in this code or in ordinances or regulations of the Town, shall be construed as defined in this section unless from the context a different meaning is intended, or unless a different meaning is specifically defined and more particularly directed to the use of such words or phrases:

- A. "City" and "Town" each mean the Town of Woodway, Washington, or the area within the territorial limits of the Town of Woodway, Washington, and such territory outside the Town over which the Town has jurisdiction or control by virtue of any constitutional or statutory provision.
- B. "Code enforcement officer" means any Town employee or official designated by ordinance or by the Mayor to enforce the provisions of the code or a section or sections of the code, and may include, but is not limited to, the Town Administrator, the Town's Building Official, Public Works Director or law enforcement officers.
- C. "Council" means the Town Council of the Town of Woodway. "All its members" or "all Councilmembers" means the total number of Councilmembers holding office.
- D. "County" means Snohomish County.
- E. "Director" shall have a meaning as defined in individual chapters of this code. The authority provided in those chapters shall also be granted to the Mayor and Town Administrator.
- F. "Hearing Examiner" means the Hearing Examiner of the Town of Woodway as created by Chapter 2.56 of this code.
- G. "Law" denotes applicable Federal law, the Constitution and statutes of the State of Washington, the ordinances of the Town of Woodway, and, when appropriate, any and all rules and regulations which may be promulgated thereunder.
- H. "Legal holiday(s)" as recognized by the Town of Woodway are:
 - 1. The first day of January, commonly called New Year's Day;
 - 2. The third Monday of January, celebrated as the anniversary of the birth of Martin Luther King, Jr.;
 - 3. The third Monday of February, to be known as Presidents' Day and celebrated as the anniversary of the births of Abraham Lincoln and George Washington;
 - 4. The last Monday of May, commonly known as Memorial Day;
 - ~~4.5.~~ The nineteenth day of June, to be known as Juneteenth
 - ~~5.6.~~ The fourth day of July, the anniversary of the Declaration of Independence;
 - ~~6.7.~~ The first Monday in September, to be known as Labor Day;
 - ~~7.8.~~ The eleventh day of November, to be known as Veterans' Day;
 - ~~8.9.~~ The fourth Thursday in November, to be known as Thanksgiving Day;
 - ~~9.10.~~ The Friday immediately following the fourth Thursday in November, to be known as Native American Heritage Day;
 - ~~10.11.~~ The twenty-fourth day of December, commonly called Christmas Eve; and
 - ~~11.12.~~ The twenty-fifth day of December, commonly called Christmas Day.

If a legal holiday falls on a Saturday, the Town will observe the holiday the Friday before. If a legal holiday falls on a Sunday, the Town will observe the holiday the Monday after.

- I. "May" is permissive.
- J. "Month" means a calendar month.
- K. "Must" and "shall" are each mandatory.
- L. "Oath" includes an affirmation or declaration in all cases in which, by law, an affirmation may be substituted for an oath, and in such cases the words "swear" and "sworn" shall be equivalent to the words "affirm" and "affirmed."
- M. "Owner," applied to a building or land, includes any part owner, joint owner, tenant in common, joint tenant, tenant by the entirety, of the whole or a part of such building or land.
- N. "Person" includes a natural person, joint venture, joint stock company, partnership, association, club, company, corporation, business, trust, organization, or the manager, lessee, agent, servant, officer or employee of any of them.
- O. "Personal property" includes money, goods, chattels, things in action and evidences of debt.
- P. "Preceding" and "following" mean next before and next after, respectively.
- Q. "Property" includes real and personal property.
- R. "Real property" includes lands, tenements and hereditaments.
- S. "Sidewalk" or "walkway" means that portion of a street between the curblin and the adjacent property line intended for the use of or commonly used by pedestrians.
- T. "State" means the State of Washington.
- U. "Street" includes all streets, highways, avenues, lanes, alleys, courts, places, squares, curbs, or other public ways in this Town that have been or may hereafter be dedicated and open to the public use, or such other public property so designated in any law of this State.
- V. "Tenant" and "occupant," applied to a building or land, include any person who occupies the whole or a part of such building or land, whether alone or with others.
- W. "Written" includes printed, typewritten, emailed, or otherwise reproduced in permanent visible form.
- X. "Year" means a calendar year.