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AN ORDINANCE establishing the date for an election on the question of annexation of the city of Newport Hills into the King County Rural Library District, and declaring an emergency.

FINDINGS OF FACT:

The City of Newport Hills, Washington by Ordinance No. 27, has initiated the proposed annexation and expressed its intent to join the King County Rural Library District, finding that the public interest will be served thereby. Since there is no city-appointed library board, the state librarian has been notified per RCW 27.12.360.

City of Newport Hills Ordinance No. 27 does satisfy the provisions of RCW 27.12.010 (5), and 27.12.360 requesting the calling of an election to be held among the qualified voters therein.

The Board of Trustees of the King County Rural Library District by Resolution No. 1994-13 has concurred with the proposal as submitted on August 30, 1994, all in accordance with RCW 27.12.360.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:

SECTION 1. A special election shall be held on the 8th day of November, 1994, within the city of Newport Hills. The ballot proposition shall be in substantially the following in accordance with RCW 27.12.370:

"Shall the City of Newport Hills, Washington be annexed to and be part of the King County Rural Library District?"

YES.....[]

NO.....[]

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SECTION 2. Notice of the election shall be published as required by law.

SECTION 3. The county council finds as a fact and declares than an emergency exists and that this ordinance is necessary for the immediate preservation of public peace, health, or safety or for the support of county government and its existing institutions.

INTRODUCED AND READ for the first time this 6th day of September, 1994.

PASSED this 19th day of September, 1994.

KING COUNTY COUNCIL
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Passed by a vote of 10-0.

Kent Pullen
Chair

ATTEST:

Gerald A. Peterson
Clerk of the Council

APPROVED this 28th day of September, 1994.

Ray Lohr
King County Executive:

Attachments: City of Newport Hills Ordinance No.27

King County Library Board Resolution no. 1994-13

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ORDINANCE NO. 27

Certification
I, Susan Matthew, Interim City Clerk of the City of Newport Hills, Washington, do hereby certify this is a true and correct copy of Ord # 27

Dated this 23rd day of August, 1994.

Susan Matthew
Susan Matthew

CLERK
CITY COUNCIL

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF NEWPORT HILLS, WASHINGTON, DECLARING THE CITY'S INTENT TO JOIN AND BE ANNEXED TO THE KING COUNTY RURAL LIBRARY DISTRICT; REQUESTING THE CONCURRENCE OF THE LIBRARY DISTRICT BOARD OF TRUSTEES; AND REQUESTING THE KING COUNTY COUNCIL TO CALL A SPECIAL ELECTION IN THE CITY ON THE PROPOSITION OF WHETHER THE CITY SHOULD BE ANNEXED TO THE LIBRARY DISTRICT TO THE VOTERS.

WHEREAS, RCW 35.02.130 authorizes the City Council of the City of Newport Hills to submit a ballot proposition to the voters of the City to authorize annexation of the City by a library district; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to RCW 27.12.360 the process of annexation is initiated by an ordinance of the City Council stating the City's intent to join the library district and finding that the public interest will be served thereby; and

WHEREAS, as the City has no City Library Board, the State Librarian shall be notified of this proposed ordinance pursuant to RCW 27.12.360; and

WHEREAS, if the library district concurs in the annexation, notification thereof shall be transmitted to the King County Council which shall then call a special election to be held in the City at the time and in the manner provided in RCW 27.12.370; now, therefore,

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEWPORT HILLS, WASHINGTON, DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Declaration of Intent and Finding. The City of Newport Hills hereby declares its intent to join and be annexed to the King County Rural Library District. Having reviewed the options for providing library service to the residents of the City, the City Council finds that the public interest will best be served by annexation of the City to the Library District.

Section 2. Request for Concurrence of Library District. Pursuant to RCW 27.12.360, the City Council requests that the Board of Trustees of the King County Rural Library District concur in the proposed annexation of the City to the Library District. The City Clerk is authorized and directed to forward a certified copy of this ordinance to the Board of Trustees of the Library District and to the State Librarian.

Section 3. Transmittal to County Council and Request for Special Election. Pursuant to RCW 27.12.360 and 27.12.370, if the Board of Trustees of the King County Rural Library District concurs in the annexation, the City Clerk is authorized and directed to notify, and to send a certified copy of this ordinance and a copy of the Library District's concurrence, to the King County Council. The City Council finds that an emergency exists requiring a special election to be held in the City of Newport Hills on the proposition of whether the City should annex to the Library District, in that it is essential that the City determine the manner in which library services will be provided to residents of the City. The King County Council is requested to concur in the finding of emergency and to call by resolution a special election to be held in the City of Newport Hills on November 8, 1994, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters of the City the proposition of whether the City should annex to the King County Rural Library District. The King County Council is also requested to give notice of the election as provided in RCW 29.27.080. The proposition to be submitted at the special election shall be in the form of a ballot title as follows:

PROPOSITION

ANNEXATION OF THE CITY OF NEWPORT HILLS
TO THE KING COUNTY RURAL LIBRARY DISTRICT

Shall the City of Newport Hills be annexed to and be a part of the King County Rural Library District?

YES

NO

Section 4. Annexation. If a majority of persons voting on the annexation proposition vote in favor of annexation, then the City of Newport Hills shall be annexed to and constitute a part of the King County Rural Library District effective immediately upon the official date of incorporation of the City.

Section 5. Effective Date. Pursuant to the authorization for submission of ballot propositions set forth in RCW 35.02.130, this ordinance shall take effect five days after its passage and publication as required by law.

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CLERK KING COUNTY COU Resolution No. 1994-13

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE KING COUNTY RURAL LIBRARY DISTRICT CONCURRING, SUBJECT TO CONDITION, WITH THE ANNEXATION OF THE CITY OF NEWPORT HILLS INTO THE KING COUNTY RURAL LIBRARY DISTRICT.

WHEREAS, the City of Newport Hills has passed an ordinance which initiates the process for a special election to determine whether the City of Newport Hills shall be annexed into the King County Rural Library District, and

WHEREAS, RCW 27.12 provides a process for the annexation of cities and towns into rural library districts, and

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees believes that the annexation would be in the best interest of all involved, and

WHEREAS, the several steps to be taken to meet the boundary changes requirements necessitate the taking of this action by the Library District.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE KING COUNTY RURAL LIBRARY DISTRICT THAT:

The Board of Trustees of the King County Rural Library District does hereby concur with the City of Newport Hills in its intent to annex to the King County Rural Library District.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 25TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1994.

Karen E. Sloman

[Signature]

Susan B. Churchill

James Gray

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PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL ON AUGUST 11, 1994.

Rm Todd

Deputy Mayor Ron Todd

ATTEST:

Susan Matthew

Susan Matthew, Interim City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Rod Kaseguma

Rod Kaseguma, City Attorney

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