

ORDINANCE NO. 4134

AN ORDINANCE relating to fire lanes and the impounding of vehicles from fire lanes, repealing Ordinance #3660, Section 8 and KCC 17.04.090 and adding new sections.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:

Section 1. Ordinance #3660, Section 8 and KCC 17.0.090, is hereby repealed.

NEW SECTION. Section 2. A new Section 13 added to KCC 17.04 as follows:
UNIFORM FIRE CODE, 1976 EDITION, SECTION 13.208, ACCESS ROADWAYS FOR FIRE APPARATUS is hereby adopted by reference as a section of the Fire Code of King County.

NEW SECTION. Section 3. A new section is added to KCC 17.04 as follows:
Fire Lanes shall be established by the Fire Marshal. All designated Fire Lanes shall be clearly marked. Obstruction of a fire lane by a parked vehicle or any other object shall be deemed a public nuisance and immediate hazard to life and property; upon the request of the Fire Marshal, his authorized designee, officer of the Department of Public Safety, the Chief of the Fire District, or his authorized designee, the vehicle or object obstructing the fire lane shall be impounded without prior notification to its owner.

Impoundment pursuant to this section shall be carried out according to the procedures provided in Sections 4 and 6 through 11 of Ordinance #3537 by the Fire Marshall, his authorized designee, the Chief of the Fire District, or his authorized designee, or by the Department of Public Safety.

INTRODUCED AND READ for the first time this 8th day of January, 1979.

PASSED this 12th day of March, 1979.

KING COUNTY COUNCIL
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Ruby Chow
Chairperson

ATTEST:

Dorothy M. Quinn
Deputy Clerk of the Council

APPROVED this 23rd day of March, 1979.

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King County Executive