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## CITY OF BELLEVUE, WASHINGTON

ORDINANCE NO. 3398

AN ORDINANCE providing for payment by the City of mandatory employee contributions for all City employees belonging to the Public Employees' Retirement System or the Law Enforcement Officers' and Fire Fighters' Retirement system.

WHEREAS, certain of the City of Bellevue's employees are members of the mandatory retirement systems codified in RCW 41.26 (Public Employees' Retirement System) and RCW 41.40 (Law Enforcement Officers' and Fire Fighters' Retirement System), which systems provide for mandatory contributions by the covered employees; and

WHEREAS, effective September 1, 1984, Substitute Senate Bill No. 4477 (Chapter 277, Laws of 1984, 48th Legislature, Regular Session) allows cities to elect to pay these mandatory contributions on behalf of the employees in the manner provided for therein; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the City that the provisions of Substitute Senate Bill No. 4477 be implemented for employees of the City effective September 1, 1984; now, therefore

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BELLEVUE, WASHINGTON, DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. For compensation earned by employees on and after September 1, 1984, the City of Bellevue elects to implement the employer payment of all member contributions without exception under RCW 41.26.080(1), 41.26.450, 41.40.330(1), and 41.40.650, as authorized by Section 3 and in accordance with the provisions of Sections 1 and 2 of Substitute Senate Bill No. 4477, Chapter 277, Laws of 1984, 48th Legislature of the State of Washington, Regular Session.

Section 2. For purpose of Section 1 of this Ordinance and Sections 1, 2 and 3 of Substitute Senate Bill No. 4477, Chapter 277, Laws of 1984, 48th Legislature of the State of Washington, Regular Session, the City Council hereby specifies that the mandatory contributions under RCW 41.26.080(1), 41.26.450, 41.40.330(1), and 41.40.650, based on compensation earned from and after September 1, 1984, although designated in those Sections of the Revised Code of Washington as employee contributions, shall be paid by the City of Bellevue in lieu of contributions by the employee; that such payments by the City of Bellevue shall be made by way of a salary reduction for each affected employee in the amount of the required payments; and that such payments shall be designated as employer contributions for purposes of federal income taxation of the affected employees. The City Council further

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specifies that the employees shall not be given the option of choosing to receive the contributed amounts directly instead of the City paying them to the retirement system.

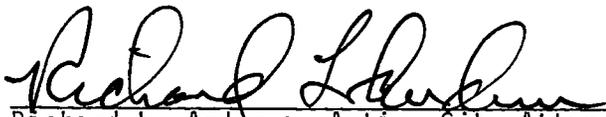
Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force five days after its passage and legal publication.

PASSED by the City Council this <sup>9th</sup> 16<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1984, and signed in authentication of its passage this 16<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1984.

(SEAL)

  
Cary E. Bozeman, Mayor

Approved as to form:

  
Richard L. Andrews, Acting City Attorney

Attest:

  
Marie K. O'Connell, City Clerk

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