CITY OF MERCER ISLAND RESOLUTION NO. 1672

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF MERCER ISLAND, WASHINGTON RATIFYING AMENDMENTS TO THE KING COUNTY COUNTYWIDE PLANNING POLICIES.

WHEREAS, on December 3, 2024, the Metropolitan King County Council adopted Ordinance No. 19871 amending the King County CPPs; and

WHEREAS, the CPPs adopted by King County Ordinance No. 19871 amended the policies related to the King County Urban Growth Area (UGA) and countywide centers; and

WHEREAS, the City is not a countywide center; and

WHEREAS, the CPP amendments adopted by King County Ordinance No. 19871 do not change the UGA as it pertains to the City of Mercer Island; and

WHEREAS, CPP FW-1(e) requires that amendments to the CPPs be ratified within 90 days by cities and towns representing at least 70 percent of the county population and 30 percent of those jurisdictions; and

WHEREAS, on January 2, 2025, the City was notified that the County had amended the CPPs and that the deadline for ratification was April 1, 2025; and

WHEREAS, ratification of the CPPs can be accomplished by an affirmative vote of the City Council; and

WHEREAS, on March 18, 2025, the Mercer Island City Council considered the proposed amendments to the King County CPPs; and

WHEREAS, the Community Planning and Development Department recommends the ratification of the CPPs established by King County Ordinance No. 19871;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MERCER ISLAND, WASHINGTON, AS FOLLOWS:

- **Section 1.** The Countywide Planning Policies adopted by King County Ordinance No. 19871 are hereby ratified by the City of Mercer Island.
- **Section 2.** The Council directs the City Clerk to transmit a copy of this Resolution to the Clerk of the King County Council.

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MERCER ISLAND, WASHINGTON, AT ITS MEETING ON THE 18TH DAY OF MARCH 2025.

CITY OF MERCER ISLAND

Salim Nice, Mayor

ATTEST:

Andrea Larson, City Clerk