

CLEARANCES	Initial	Date	Date Received in Council Office:	Agenda date	Assigned to:
Originator: Council Clerk		11/9 1		3/24/92	Council - Intro
Division Head:				4/14/92	P&D/Council - Hearing
Dept. Head:				5/12/92	Council
Prosecutor:				8/11/92	Council/Hearing
Purchasing/Budget:				10/13/92	Public Service/Council
Executive:					

SUBJECT:

Ordinance replacing Whatcom County Code Section 9.32 regarding unlawful discharge of firearms and bow areas

ATTACHMENTS:

-Ordinance, various related correspondence

SUMMARY STATEMENT:

Please complete sections of box as appropriate & explain the item below.

Related County contract #: n/a	Should Clerk schedule a hearing? NO / / YES /xx/ Requested date: 4/14/92
Amount budgeted for this item/project: \$	Is it (or will it be) within budget? YES / / NO / / (Please explain below)
Budget line item number(s):	

The Council Office has received numerous complaints from citizens about people shooting near residences. Due to growth experienced by Whatcom County in recent years, areas that previously were uninhabited are being converted into residential and recreational areas. The Council already has the authority to create no shooting zones, and has created 18 of them in the past. This ordinance reorganizes the existing law regarding no shooting zones, creating a formal procedure for their creation and requiring that signs be posted to warn people of their existence. It also: Designates all county dumps and parks as no shooting zones; does not create any new no shooting zones; and makes violation of the no shooting law a class one civil infraction (maximum fine \$250).

ORIGINATOR'S RECOMMENDED ACTION:

Recommend adoption of this ordinance.

COMMITTEE ACTION TAKEN:

COUNCIL ACTION TAKEN:

- 3/24/92: Introduction
- 4/14/92: Decision delayed for 2 weeks-written record to remain open until 4/28/92.
- 5/12/92: Held in committee
- 8/11/92: Held in committee
- 10/13/92: Council adopted the ordinance with amendments. 7-0

Related File Numbers:

Ordinance or Resolution Number (this item only): 092-074

SPONSORED BY: Consent

PROPOSED BY: Council Clerk

INTRODUCTION DATE: 3/24/92

ORDINANCE NO. 92-074

REPLACING WHATCOM COUNTY CODE SECTION 9.32 REGARDING
UNLAWFUL DISCHARGE OF FIREARMS

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5 **WHEREAS**, due to the growth experienced by Whatcom County in recent years,
6 areas that previously were uninhabited and traditionally used for hunting or target
7 practice are being converted to residential and recreational use; and
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9 **WHEREAS**, while there is a Constitutional right to bear arms, that right must be
10 balanced with a reasonable degree of peace of mind for citizens as they enjoy their
11 dwelling and recreational areas; and
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13 **WHEREAS**, the discharge of firearms in populated areas, whether residential or
14 recreational, is a potential hazard to the public health, safety and welfare; and
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16 **WHEREAS**, Whatcom County Code 9.32 includes separate passages which
17 establish no shooting zones in a variety of areas within Whatcom County, and which
18 carry separate penalties for the discharge of firearms within said zones; and
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20 **WHEREAS**, it would be helpful to reorganize these sections of the Whatcom
21 County Code 9.32 for purposes of easy reference, continuity of intent, sign requirements,
22 and a more appropriate penalty for non-compliance; and
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24 **WHEREAS**, a method for the creation of no shooting zones needs to be
25 established and implemented by the county council; and
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27 **WHEREAS**, this ordinance attempts to address the concerns of citizens, and has
28 been reviewed by the Executive, interested citizens, and the following County

1 departments: Sheriff, Prosecutor, Parks, Public Works (including the divisions of Solid
2 Waste, Engineering and Maintenance and Operations);


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4 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the Whatcom County Council that
5 the existing text of Whatcom County Code 9.32 is repealed, effective 10 days after the
6 adoption and signing of this ordinance; and

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8 **BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED** that the text of Exhibit A is hereby adopted as
9 Title 9.32 of the Whatcom County Code, to take effect within 10 days of the adoption
10 and signing of this ordinance.

11 **ADOPTED** this 13th day of October, 1992.

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14 **ATTEST**

**WHATCOM COUNTY COUNCIL
WHATCOM COUNTY, WASHINGTON**


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20 Ramona Reeves, Council Clerk




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22 **APPROVED** as to form & content:

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27 Civil Deputy Prosecutor



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30 * **CLERK'S NOTE:** This ordinance has not been, nor will be, signed by the County Executive. On October 19, 1992 the
31 Executive indicated by memo (on file) that she would not sign Ordinance 92-074 because the ordinance did not have a Prosecuting
32 Attorney signature indicating approval as to form and content. Randy Watts, Chief Civil Deputy Prosecutor, said he would only
33 provide such signatures on ordinances prior to their adoption. It should be noted that he had been consulted by Council Member Bob
34 Imhof regarding several of the revisions that were made to this ordinance prior to its adoption. Section 2.30 of the Whatcom County
35 Home Rule Charter reads: "... If the Executive does not either sign or veto an ordinance within ten (10) days, Saturdays, Sundays, and
36 holidays excepted, after presentation of the ordinance by the Council, it shall become law without the Executive's signature. Except as
37 otherwise provided in this Charter, all ordinances shall take effect ten (10) days after the date they are signed by the County Executive
38 or otherwise enacted or at a later date if stated in the ordinance." Therefore this ordinance became effective as of October 24, 1992.

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Ramona Reeves, Clerk of the Council

WHATCOM COUNTY CODE CHAPTER 9.32

UNLAWFUL DISCHARGE OF FIREARMS

Sections:

- 9.32.010 Definitions.
- 9.32.020 Authority.
- 9.32.030 Creation by citizens or council.
- 9.32.040 Petition.
- 9.32.050 Resolution of intent
- 9.32.060 Ordinance establishing zone.
- 9.32.070 Notice of zone establishment.
- 9.32.080 Restrictions and penalties.
- 9.32.090 Exemptions.
- 9.32.100 Zones posted.
- 9.32.110 Severability.
- 9.32.120 No shooting zone number 1 established.
- 9.32.130 No shooting zone number 2 established.
- 9.32.140 No shooting zone number 3 established.
- 9.32.150 No shooting zone number 4 established.
- 9.32.160 No shooting zone number 5 established.
- 9.32.170 No shooting zone number 6 established.
- 9.32.180 No shooting zone number 7 established.
- 9.32.190 No shooting zone number 8 established.
- 9.32.200 No shooting zone number 9 established.
- 9.32.210 No shooting zone number 10 established.
- 9.32.220 No shooting zone number 11 established.
- 9.32.230 No shooting zone number 12 established.
- 9.32.240 No shooting zone number 13 established.
- 9.32.250 No shooting zone number 14 established.
- 9.32.260 No shooting zone number 15 established.
- 9.32.270 No shooting zone number 16 established.
- 9.32.280 No shooting zone number 17 established.
- 9.32.290 No shooting zone number 18 established.

9.32.010 Definitions.

- A. "Firearms" as used in this chapter means any weapon or device from which a projectile may be fired by an explosive such as gunpowder.
- B. "No shooting zone" is an area designated by the county council in which the

1 discharge of firearms is prohibited under this Ordinance.

2 C "Ranges" are private, public or commercial facilities meeting the following
3 criteria:

4 1. Covered ranges are ranges, whether interior or exterior,
5 constructed of materials such as concrete, wood, rock, soil, metal or a
6 combination thereof with sufficient thickness recommended by the State
7 Department of Wildlife for projectile backstop particular to caliber used.

8 2. The Bellingham Gun Club (Larson Road facility)
9 and the Custer Sportsman Club (Custer and Lynden facility).

10 9.32.020 Authority.

11 The county council has the authority and power to establish no shooting zones,
12 pursuant to authority granted by the state in RCW 36.32.120.

13 9.32.030 Initiation by Citizens or Council.

14 Citizens may petition the county council for the formation of a no shooting zone,
15 or the council may initiate the creation of a no shooting zone by passing a resolution
16 declaring its intent to do so, if it finds that such creation would be in the best interest of
17 the public health, safety and welfare.

18 9.32.040 Petition. Citizens petitioning the council for creation of a no shooting zone
19 shall follow the process set forth in this section. Using a form provided by the Council
20 Office, the petitioners shall submit to the council the following:

21 A. The signatures of at least 60 percent of persons owning property within the
22 proposed boundaries of the zone;

1 B. A legal description of the proposed boundaries of the no shooting zone.

2 Said boundaries shall not overlap those of existing no shooting zones. In preparing such
3 legal description, petitioners must seek the assistance of the county engineering division
4 and should place the proposed boundary lines along established roadways whenever
5 possible;

6 C. A map showing those boundaries, on an 8-1/2 by 11-inch sheet of paper;

7 D. A cover letter explaining the reasons petitioners would like the no shooting
8 zone to be formed, a history of shooting violations in the area, bearing the name,
9 address, and phone numbers of a person who will act as liaison with the county council
10 concerning this proposed zone. Anti-gun and anti-hunting sentiments shall not be
11 considered as reasons for presenting a no shooting zone petition to the county council.

12 9.32.050 Resolution of Intent.

13 A. Upon its own initiative the council may pass a resolution declaring its
14 intent to form a no shooting zone.

15 B. The resolution will contain the following:

16 1. A statement that the council believes the formation of the no shooting
17 zone would be in the best interests of the public health, safety and welfare;

18 2. Citations of the council's authority to pass such a resolution;

19 3. A statement that creation of a no shooting zone could result in the
20 imposition of civil penalties;

21 4. A legal description and map of the proposed boundaries of the no
22 shooting zone, verified by the county engineering division;

1 5. A request for public comment on the proposed no shooting zone, along
2 with a statement that the council will be consulting with other county departments
3 before scheduling the matter for public hearing.

4 6. A statement that the council cannot create the no shooting zone without
5 first having a hearing on the proposal, and that such hearing date is yet to be
6 announced.

7 C. Upon passage of the resolution, the clerk of the council will advertise the
8 resolution's contents in the county's official newspaper, as well as the newspaper of
9 widest circulation within the boundaries of the proposed zone.

10 9.32.060 Ordinance establishing zone.

11 A. Following either the receipt at a full council meeting of a citizen's petition
12 complying with the requirements of this Title, or passage of a resolution of intent by a
13 majority of the full council, the clerk of the council will draft an ordinance to establish
14 the no shooting zone and assign a number to the proposed zone.

15 B. Following preparation of the ordinance, the clerk of the council will seek
16 review of the ordinance by the following county departments and state agencies:
17 Prosecutor's office; sheriff's office; executive; planning department; public works
18 department, including the engineering and buildings and code divisions; and the
19 Washington State Department of Wildlife, enforcement division.

20 C. The clerk of the council will schedule the ordinance for introduction and
21 hearing by the county council. Notice of hearing shall be published in accordance with
22 state and county law, in the newspaper of general circulation within the county and the

1 newspaper of general circulation within the proposed boundaries of the no shooting
2 zone.

3 D. Following the public hearing, the council shall take into consideration the
4 comments made by the public and county departments when making its decision to adopt
5 or to not adopt the ordinance.

6 9.32.070 Notice of zone establishment.

7 A. Upon adoption of the ordinance establishing a no shooting zone, the clerk
8 of the council shall publish notice of adoption in the newspaper of general circulation
9 within the county and the newspaper of general circulation within the proposed
10 boundaries of the no shooting zone.

11 B. Notice of the ordinance's adoption shall be sent to the following
12 departments and/or (including the engineering and buildings and codes divisions); parks
13 department; Washington State Patrol; What-Comm; the Washington State Department of
14 Wildlife, enforcement division and other interested organizations.

15 9.32.080 Restrictions and penalties.

16 A. It is unlawful to discharge firearms within the areas described as no
17 shooting zones within this chapter.

18 B. All county dumps and present county parks are no shooting zones, except
19 for those areas listed under "exemptions."

20 C. Violations of this chapter shall constitute class 1 civil infractions pursuant
21 to RCW 7.80.120. The maximum penalty and the default amount for such violations shall
22 be consistent with RCW7.80. All violations shall be heard and determined in accordance

1 with the system established in chapter RCW 7.80.

2 D. The Whatcom County Sheriff shall be the "enforcement officer" of this
3 chapter, as that term is defined in RCW 7.80.040.

4 9.32.090 Exemptions.

5 A. This chapter shall not apply to nor prohibit the discharge of firearms in the
6 slaughter of cattle, sheep or swine, or the attempted destruction of predators, or the
7 humane dispatch of diseased or injured animals.

8 B. This chapter shall not apply to law officers who discharge firearms while in
9 the line of duty, or citizen for self-defense, defense of others, or defense of their property.

10 C. The county park facility known as the Plantation Rifle Range is exempt
11 from this Title.

12 D. The county park known as Tennant Lake is exempt from this Title,
13 provided that shooting will be allowed only after permission is granted by the parks
14 director or his/her designee.

15 E. This chapter shall not apply to organized "black powder" events.

16 F. This chapter shall not apply to nor prohibit the discharge of firearms in
17 historically hunted areas adjacent to shorelines of lakes, ponds, and streams (including
18 the Nooksack River, Terrell Lake, Tennant Lake, Squaticum Lake, Mosquito Lake,
19 Fazon Lake, Boundary Lake, Green Lake, Pangborn Lake). The council shall determine
20 additional "historically hunted areas" from testimony at the no shooting zone hearing(s),
21 if and when there is consideration of additional zone(s), to which these may apply.

22 G. This chapter shall not apply to nor prohibit the discharge of firearms in any

1 competition\ or event at any county park which is authorized by or sponsored by the
2 county parks system.

3 H. This chapter shall not apply to covered ranges (9.32.010) and the inclusion
4 or exclusion of other types of ranges within a no shooting zone shall be determined
5 from testimony at the hearing(s), if and when there is consideration of additional
6 zone(s), to which these may apply. The intent is to provide private ranges if deemed safe.

7 I. The Bellingham Gun Club (Larson Road facility), and the Custer
8 Sportsman Club (Custer and Lynden facilities) are exempt from this Title.

9 J. All hunting activity in Whatcom County shall be conducted, also, under the
10 rules and regulations of the Washington State Dept. of Wildlife.

11 9.32.100 Zones posted

12 A. Signs stating that no shooting is allowed in a given area shall be placed by
13 the county at a minimum of four locations along the entire boundary of all no shooting
14 zones, particularly along road frontage or points of public access.

15 B. Exceptions to this section include county dumps and county parks, wherein
16 signs are required only at the main entrances.

17 C. Posting of signs shall be the responsibility of the public works department.

18 D. The signs will be created under the direction of the public works
19 department and shall conform to the following minimum requirements:

- 20 1. Each sign will be of sufficient size to contain the information required in
21 this section, and for the wording to be easily distinguished from a distance of 25
22 to 30 feet.

1 Road 657); thence northerly and northwesterly along Lake Whatcom Boulevard to the
2 southeasterly corner of the Plat of Echo Point at Strawberry Point; thence easterly to
3 Lake Whatcom; thence northwesterly along the shore line of Lake Whatcom to the north
4 line of Section 35, Township 38 North, Range 3 East, W.M., which is Cable Street, Plat
5 of West Geneva, extended east to Lake Whatcom; thence westerly along the north lines
6 of Sections 35 and 34 to the east city limits line for Bellingham (northwest corner of
7 Section 34); thence southerly along the easterly Bellingham city limits line to the
8 northwest corner of the southwest quarter (SW 1/4) of Section 34; thence westerly along
9 the Bellingham city limits line to the northwest corner of the southwest quarter (SW
10 1/4), southeast quarter (SE 1/4) of Section 32, Township 38 North, Range 3 East, W.M.;
11 thence southerly to the point of beginning.

12 9.32.130 No shooting zone number 2 established.

13 A. No shooting zone number 2 is also known as the zone in Township 37
14 around Lake Whatcom.

15 B. The boundaries are described as follows: Beginning at a point where
16 Lakeway Drive enters the city limits of the city of Bellingham along said Lakeway Drive
17 to Lake Whatcom Boulevard; thence along Lake Whatcom Boulevard to where it
18 intersects the common section line between Sections 6 and 31, Township 37 North,
19 Range 4 East, W.M.; thence easterly along said section line approximately 360 feet;
20 thence south 50° 00 east approximately 8,700 feet; thence south 30° 00 east
21 approximately 2,400 feet; thence south 28° 00 west until intersecting Lake Whatcom
22 Boulevard approximately 4,000 feet; thence southeast along Lake Whatcom Boulevard to

1 where it intersects the Blue Canyon Road; thence northwesterly along Blue Canyon
2 Road to its end; thence northwesterly along the Northern Pacific Railway right-of-way to
3 the end of the North Shore Road; thence along the North Shore Road to the point
4 where the North Shore Road enters the city limits of the city of Bellingham.

5 9.32.140 No shooting zone number 3 established.

6 A. No shooting zone number 3 is also known as the area north of Bellingham
7 city limits.

8 B. The boundaries are described as follows: Beginning at a point at the city
9 limits of the city of Bellingham at a point where the Hannegan Road would intersect
10 said city limits if extended; thence north to the intersection of the Hannegan Road and
11 Bakerview Road; thence westerly along the Bakerview Road to where said Bakerview
12 Road intersects the Jones Road; thence southerly along the Jones Road to the
13 waterfront of Bellingham Bay; thence in a southeasterly direction along the shores of
14 Bellingham Bay to the city limits of Bellingham and thence along the north city limits of
15 the city of Bellingham to the point of beginning.

16 9.32.150 No shooting zone number 4 established.

17 A. No shooting zone number 4 is also known as the zone in the area near
18 North Shore Road.

19 B. The boundaries are described as follows: A strip of land 500 feet wide lying
20 north of and parallel to the north right-of-way line of North Shore Road; beginning at
21 the east city limits of Bellingham, thence east to Agate Bay Lane.

22 9.32.160 No shooting zone number 5 established.

1 A. No shooting zone number 5 is also known as the zone in the Bonneville
2 Power Administration line easement and area east of Lake Whatcom.

3 B. The boundaries are described as follows: Portions of Sections 4, 5, 9 and
4 16, Township 37 North, Range 4 East, W.M., and Sections 29, 30, 31, 32 and 33,
5 Township 38 North, Range 4 East, W.M., situate in Whatcom County, more particularly
6 bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the intersection of the southwesterly line
7 of the Bonneville Power Administration line easement and the east line of Section 4;
8 thence northwesterly along said southwesterly line to the west line of Section 30; thence
9 south along said west line to the shoreline of Lake Whatcom; thence southeasterly along
10 the shoreline to the east line of Section 16; thence north along the east line of Sections
11 16, 9 and 4 to the point of beginning.

12 9.32.170 No shooting zone number 6 established.

13 A. No shooting zone number 6 is also known as the zone in Township 38.

14 B. The boundaries are described as follows: Beginning at a point one-quarter
15 mile west of the southeast corner of Section 7, Township 38 North, Range 3 East, W.M.;
16 thence north one mile to the north line of Section 7, said township and range; then east
17 along the section line of Sections 7 and 8, a distance of one-half mile; thence south one
18 mile to the point of beginning.

19 9.32.180 No shooting zone number 7 established.

20 A. No shooting zone number 7 is also known as the zone in the plat of
21 Lummi Island scenic estates.

22 B. The boundaries are described as follows: Beginning at the quarter corner

1 common to Sections 14 and 23, Township 37 North, Range 1 East, W.M.; thence north
2 89° 18' 18" east 991.83 feet; thence north 44° 19' 18" east to high water line of Hales
3 Passage; thence southeasterly along said high water line in Sections 14, 23, and 24 to the
4 south line of Government Lot 1, Section 24; thence westerly along said line to the
5 quarter corner common to Sections 23 and 24; thence southerly along the section line
6 between said sections to the south line of the northeast quarter, southeast quarter (NE ¼
7 SE ¼) Section 23; thence westerly along said line to the west line of the northeast
8 quarter southeast quarter (NE ¼ SE ¼); thence northerly along said line to the south
9 line of the north half, northwest quarter, southeast quarter (N ½ NW ¼ SE ¼); thence
10 westerly along said line to the north-south centerline of Section 23, thence northerly
11 along said line to the point of beginning.

12 9.32.190 No shooting zone number 8 established.

13 A. No shooting zone number 8 is also known as the zone in Township 37 west
14 of Larabee State Park.

15 B. The boundaries are described as follows: Those portions of Township 37
16 North, Range 3 East, W.M., lying west of Larabee State Park and south of east-west
17 centerline of Section 19. Also all land and water areas in the east two miles of Township
18 37 North, Range 2 East, W.M., lying outside the city limits of Bellingham, except those
19 portions of Section 13 which drain into Chuckanut Creek.

20 9.32.200 No shooting zone number 9 established.

21 A. No shooting zone number 9 also is known as the area in Township 30 at
22 Whitehorn Point.

1 B. The boundaries are described as follows: At Whitehorn Point, south of
2 Holeman Avenue and west of Koehn Road, Whatcom County, within the area bounded
3 on the north of Holeman Road and on the east of Koehn Road, which area is more
4 particularly described as follows: That portion of Government Lot 5 lying southerly and
5 easterly of Holeman Avenue; and that portion of Government Lot 4 lying southerly and
6 westerly of Holeman Avenue; and that portion of Government Lot 3 lying southeasterly
7 of Holeman Avenue; all in Section 2 and the west half of Section 11, Township 39 North,
8 Range 1 West of W.M., situate in Whatcom County.

9 9.32.210 No shooting zone number 10 established.

10 A. No shooting zone number 10 also is known as the area within Township 38,
11 within the Marine Drive area.

12 B. The boundaries are described as follows: All of Section 23, Township 38,
13 Range 2E except that portion lying within the city of Bellingham.

14 9.32.220 No shooting zone number 11 established.

15 A. No shooting zone number 11 also is known as the area of plats of Glacier
16 Springs.

17 B. The boundaries are described as follows: Plat of Glacier Springs, Division
18 1, Section 35, Township 40 North, Range 6 East, W.M., per the map therefore recorded
19 in volume 11 of plats at pages 72-72A in office of auditor of Whatcom County; Plat of
20 Glacier Springs, Division 2, Section 35, Township 40 North, Range 6 East, W.M., per
21 map thereof recorded in volume 12 of plats at pages 17-21 in office of auditor of
22 Whatcom County; and Plat of Glacier Springs, Division 3, Section 35, Township 40

1 North, Range 6 East, W.M., per the map thereof recorded in volume 12 of plats at pages
2 51-52 in office of auditor of Whatcom County.

3 9.32.230 No shooting zone number 12 established.

4 A. No shooting zone number 12 also is known as the area covering a portion
5 of Lummi Island.

6 B. The boundaries are described as follows: Section 10, the east one-half of
7 Sections 14 and 15, the west one-half of Section 23 and all of Section 24, Township 38
8 North, Range 1 East of W.M., situate on Lummi Island, Whatcom County.

9 9.32.240 No shooting zone number 13 established.

10 A. No shooting zone number 13 also is known as the Point Roberts area.

11 B. The boundaries are described as follows: Sections 1 through 4, and
12 Sections 9 through 12, Township 40 North, Range 3 West of W.M., and Sections 33
13 through 36, Township 41 North, Range 3 West of W.M.

14 9.32.250 No shooting zone number 14 established.

15 A. No shooting zone number 14 also is known as the area in plats of Emerald
16 Lake.

17 B. The boundaries are described as follows: Plat of Emerald Lake, recorded
18 in book 8 of plats at Page 95; Plat of Emerald Lake, division 2, in book 8 of plats at
19 Page 96; Plat of Emerald Lake, division 3, in book 9 of plats at pages 10 and 11; and
20 Emerald Lake, division 4, unrecorded.

21 9.32.260 No shooting zone number 15 established

22 A. No shooting zone number 15 also is known as the area in Township 30 on

1 and around Wiser Lake.

2 B. The boundaries are described as follows: Commencing at the intersection
3 of the west line of the east half of the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of
4 Section 1, Township 39 North, Range 2E W.M., and the northerly right-of-way line of
5 West Bartlett Road #498 and being the true point of beginning; thence north along said
6 west line, extended, to the southerly right-of-way line of West Wiser Lake Road #52;
7 thence easterly along said southerly right-of-way to Guide Meridian Road; thence
8 continuing easterly along the southerly right-of-way line of East Wiser Lake Road to its
9 intersection with the north-south centerline of the Southeast Quarter of Section 31,
10 Township 40 North, Range 3 East of W.M.; thence southerly along said centerline and
11 continuing southerly along the centerline of the Northeast Quarter of Section 6;
12 Township 39 North, Range 3E W.M., to its intersection with the northerly right-of-way
13 line of East Bartlett Road; thence westerly along said northerly line to the point of
14 beginning. The area contains approximately three hundred eighty-five acres.

15 9.32.270 No shooting zone number 16 established.

16 A. No shooting zone number 16 also is known as the Newhalem area.

17 B. The boundaries are described as follows: Government Lots 6, 7, and 10, in
18 Section Twenty-One (21), Township 37 North, Range 12 East, W.M., more commonly
19 referred to as Newhalem, except within such areas as shall be designated and posted as
20 firearms or bow ranges by Seattle City Light (a description of such excepted areas shall
21 be filed with the county sheriff and county council).

22 9.32.280 No shooting zone number 17 established.

1 A. No shooting zone number 17 also is known as the Diablo area.

2 B. The boundaries are described as follows: That portion of Gloc G. Davis
3 Homestead Entry No. 124 in Sections Five (5), Six (6) and Seven (7), in Township
4 Thirty-Seven (37) North, Range Thirteen (13) East W.M., unsurveyed land in Whatcom
5 County, Washington, described as follows: Beginning at a corner No. 1, situated on right
6 bank of Skagit River, from which United States Location Monument No. 124 bears
7 North 36° 10' 20" East 32 3/10 chains distant, thence north forty five degrees ten minutes
8 west 9 and thirty-two hundredths chains to corner No. 2: thence North fifty-six degrees
9 fifteen minutes East Twenty and twenty-eight hundredths chains to corner No. 3, thence
10 north eighteen degrees forty-eight minutes east nine and five-tenths chains to corner No.
11 4; thence north sixty-eight degrees twenty minutes east twenty-four and seventeen-
12 hundredths chains to corner No. 5, thence south thirty-two degrees thirty-six minutes east
13 fifteen and seven-hundredths chains to corner No. 6, thence south fifty-seven degrees
14 forty-five minutes east three and ninety-six hundredths chains to corner no. 7; thence
15 South forty degrees West one and ninety-seven hundredths chains to corner No. 8
16 situated on said right bank of Skagit River; thence meandering said right bank of Skagit
17 River, North thirty-eight degrees forty-five minutes west seven and eight-tenths chains,
18 south eighty-three degrees west ten chains, south seventy-three degrees thirty minutes
19 west ten chains, south forty-eight degrees west twelve chains, south thirty-eight degrees
20 forty-five minutes west fourteen chains, south fifty-seven degrees sixteen minutes west
21 four and sixty-two hundredths chains to corner No. 1, the place of beginning; containing
22 43 and fifty-six hundredths acres. More commonly referred as Diablo except within such

1 areas as shall be designated and posted as firearms or bow ranges by Seattle City Light
2 (a description of such excepted areas shall be filed with the county sheriff and county
3 council).

4 9.32.290 No shooting zone number 18 established.

5 A. No shooting zone number 18 also is known as the Samish Way, Yew Street
6 Road and Galbraith areas.

7 B. The boundaries are described as follows: That portion of the south half of
8 Section 4, Township 37 North, Range 3 East of W.M. lying southerly of Kingsmill Street
9 as shown on the Plat of Dickinson's Addition and the Plat of Northern Pacific Addition,
10 and lying westerly of the Trans Mountain Pipeline as described under Auditor's file No.
11 789621, and lying easterly of County Road 49 (Yew Street Road).

12 Also, all of Section 9, Township 37 North, Range 3 East of W.M. except that
13 portion lying Northeasterly of the Trans Mountain Pipeline as described under Auditor's
14 File No. 789621, and except that portion lying westerly of County Road 49 (Yew Street
15 Road), and except that portion lying southerly of SR 99 (Samish Way).

16 Also, that portion of the Northeast Quarter of Section 16, Township 37 North,
17 Range 3 East of W.M. lying northeasterly of SR 99 (Samish Way), and westerly of
18 County Road 224 (Galbraith Road).

19 Also, that portion of the Southwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section
20 14, Township 37 North, Range 3 E. W.M.

21 Also, that portion of the Southeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section
22 15, Township 37 North, Range 3 E. W.M. lying northeasterly of Samish Way, on

1 unnumbered County Road.

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