

CLEARANCES	Initial	Date	Date Received in Council Office	Agenda Date	Assigned to:
Originator: Public Engineering	<i>[Signature]</i>	<i>[Signature]</i>	<b>RECEIVED</b>  <b>APR 15 1998</b>  <b>WHATCOM COUNTY COUNCIL</b>	04/21/98	Introduction
Division Head:	<i>[Signature]</i>	<i>[Signature]</i>		5/19/98	Hearing
Dept. Head:	<i>jm</i>	4/10/98			
Prosecutor Dan Gibson	<i>DG</i>	4/16/98			
Purchasing/Budget:					
Executive:	<i>JK</i>	4-15-98			

**SUBJECT:** Ordinance authorizing a system of assessment for Diking District No. 4

- ATTACHMENTS:**
1. Cover Letter
  2. Ordinance
  3. Agenda Bill
  4. Assessment Roll
  5. District Map

Related County Contract #:

Should Clerk schedule a hearing: NO / / YES / / Req. Date:

**SUMMARY STATEMENT:**

The Supervisors of newly formed Diking District No. 4 have devised a system of assessment to provide revenue for the district. The assessment will be based on the total acreage of the district. Each property owner will pay a proportionate share, based on the number of acres in their individual parcels, of \$0.323 per acre for each one thousand dollars of revenue.

**Recommended Action: Approval**

**COUNCIL ACTION TAKEN:**

1998 - 170 A 4/21/98: Introduced  
5/19/98: Adopted 5 - 0, Brown & Hoag absent. Ord. #98-039

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Parks	
Planning	
Prosecutor	
Public Works	Edwin R. Henken
Sheriff	
Superior Court	
Treasurer	Barbara Cory
Other	
<b>Ordinance or Resolution Number (this item)</b>	
Ord. # 98-039	

1 SPONSORED BY: Public Works, Engineering

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3 PROPOSED BY: Edwin R. Henken

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5 INTRODUCTION DATE: 4/21/98

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7 ORDINANCE NO. 98=039

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10 AUTHORIZING A SYSTEM OF ASSESSMENTS FOR DIKING DISTRICT NO. 4

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12 WHEREAS, the supervisors of Diking District No. 4 have chosen to base the assessment  
13 solely on acreage, and

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15 WHEREAS, the total acreage within Diking District No. 4 is 3092.88; therefore, to  
16 generate one thousand dollars, each acre would be assessed \$0.323, and

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18 WHEREAS, the Whatcom County Engineer, in compliance with R.C.W. 85.38.160(2),  
19 has prepared a proposed system of assessment for Diking District No. 4 and notified property  
20 owners in the district of this system of assessments.

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22 NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED, by the Whatcom County Council that a  
23 system of assessment based solely on acreage and assessing \$0.323 per acre for each one  
24 thousand dollars of the district's assessment revenue is hereby authorized for Diking District No.  
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27 ADOPTED this 19 day of May, 1998.

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30 ATTEST:

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34 Dana Brown-Davis, Council Clerk


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36 APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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40 Civil Deputy Prosecutor

WHATCOM COUNTY COUNCIL  
WHATCOM COUNTY, WASHINGTON

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Robert Imhof, Council Chair

( ) Approved ( ) Denied

  
Pete Kremen, Executive  
Date: 5-21-98