My Appointment Expires Oct. 25, 1984

NOTICE OF
COUNTY ORDINANCE
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GIVEN that the following bills the provisions of state law for the

Affidavit of Publication

STATE Of NEVADA.
County of Wabon—SS.
Mary Heffling

Mar Bill No. 687, Ordi 05e16. 516, amending Ordinance No. 83, entitled "An ordinance

Typewritten copies of the Ordinances are available for inspection by all interested persons at the office of the County Clerk.

Judi Bailey, County Clerk Pub: Nov. 18, 25, 1981

SUMMARY: Increases service fees for issuing permits, checking plans and making inspections under the Uniform Building Code.

BILL NO. <u>687</u>

ORDINANCE NO. 516

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING "AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE DESIGN, ERECTION, CONSTRUCTION, ENLARGEMENT, ALTERATION, REPAIR, MOVING, REMOVAL, CONVERSION, DEMOLITION, OCCUPANCY, MENT, USE, HEIGHT, AREA, MAINTENANCE, EXCAVATION AND FOUNDA-TION OF ANY BUILDING OR STRUCTURE IN THE UNINCORPORATED AREA OF WASHOE COUNTY; PROVIDING FOR THE ISSUANCE OF PERMITS, COLLEC-TION OF FEES, AND ADMINISTRATION OF THE UNIFORM BUILDING CODE INCORPORATED HEREIN; PROVIDING A METHOD FOR THE CLASSIFICATION AND ABATEMENT OF ANY UNSAFE AND DANGEROUS BUILDING OR STRUCTURE WITHIN THE UNINCORPORATED AREA OF WASHOE COUNTY: ADOPTING REQUIREMENTS FOR INSULATION STANDARDS FOR ALL STRUCTURAL OCCUPANCIES; PROVIDING THE PARAMETERS OF THERMAL DESIGN CALCU-LATIONS TO BE MADE THEREUNDER; PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATION OF ANY REGULATION ADOPTED HEREIN; AND REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES AND PARTS OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH; AND OTHER MATTERS PROPERLY RELATING THERETO" BY INCREASING SERVICE FEES FOR ISSUING PERMITS, CHECKING PLANS AND MAKING INSPEC-TIONS.

THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY OF WASHOE DO ORDAIN:

SECTION 1.

Section 304 of Exhibit A of Washoe County Ordinance No. 83 is hereby amended to read as follows:

SECTION 304.

(a) Fees for issuing Building Permits

- 1. Any applicant for a building permit shall pay the building official a service fee which shall equal the sum of the amount set forth on Table No. 3-A and the amount of the surcharge imposed by subsection (d) of this section.
- 2. The building official shall determine the valuation of a project for purposes of establishing the amount due under Table No. 3A. The basis for computing the permit and plan check fees is the total value of all construction work for which the permit is issued as well as all finish work, painting, roofing, electrical, plumbing, heating, air conditioning, elevators, fire-extinguishing systems and any other permanent work or permanent equipment. To assist in determining valuation, the building official may utilize the current

- edition of <u>The Marshall Valuation Service</u> or any other publication generally accepted by the International Conference of Building Officials.
- 3. If a project for which a building permit is required is commenced prior to obtaining a permit, the service fee required pursuant to paragraph (a)(1) of this section shall be doubled. The payment of a doubled service fee does not release any person from fully complying with the requirements of this Code in the execution of the project nor preclude the building official from imposing any other penalty prescribed herein.

(b) Fees for checking plans.

- 1. If the valuation of the proposed project exceeds \$1,000.00 and a plan is required to be submitted pursuant to subsection (b) of Section 302, a service fee for checking the plans shall be paid to the building official at the time of submitting the plans and specifications for checking. When the building official is requested to duplicate approved plans or specifications, the person requesting the duplication will pay for the time expended in providing the service at the rate of \$4.00 per quarter hour or any part thereof, plus the surcharge imposed by paragraph (d) of this section.
- 2. The service fee for checking the plans of a building in Groups R, Division 3 and M Occupancy is one-half of the fee for issuing a building permit for the structure. The service fee for checking the plans of any other building is 65 percent of the fee for issuing a building permit.
- 3. If plans are incomplete or changed so as to require additional plan checking, the building official may charge an additional plan check fee, not to exceed the rate charged pursuant to section 304(b)1.
- (c) Expiration of Plan Check. If a building permit is not issued within 180 days following the date of the application for a permit because of the failure of the applicant to submit any necessary information or documents, the application expires by limitation and plans submitted for checking may thereafter be returned to the applicant or destroyed by the building official. The building official may extend the time for action by the applicant for a period not exceeding 180 days upon written request by the appli-

cant showing that circumstances beyond his control prevented action from being taken. In order to renew action on an application after expiration, the applicant shall resubmit plans and pay a new service fee for checking the plans.

(d) Surcharges.

- 1. An additional service fee in the amount of 9.9 percent of the basic service fee or rate must be paid upon application for any permit, variance, inspection, reinspection or plan check required pursuant to this Code.
- 2. If first approved in the manner required by Section 5 of Chapter 150, Statutes of Nevada, 1981, an additional annual service fee in the amount of 9.9 percent of the basic service fee or rate must be paid in 1982, and cumulatively each year thereafter, upon application for any permit, variance, inspection, reinspection or plan check required pursuant to this Code.

(e) Refunds.

- 1. Except as provided in subparagraphs 2 and 3, the building official may refund any portion of a permit fee paid pursuant to any provision of this code if:
 - A. A written application for a refund is submitted to the building official within 180 days after the date the permit was issued; and
 - B. No substantial work authorized by the building permit has been commenced on the project site.
- 2. No portion of the fee paid pursuant to section 304 (b) is refundable.
- 3. No portion of the tax imposed pursuant to section 3 of Washoe County Ordinance 216 (Residential Construction Tax) is refundable, but credit for any tax paid shall be given to any subsequent applicant for a building permit.

TABLE NO. 3-A BUILDING PERMITS

| TOTAL VALUATION | SERVICE FEE |
|--|--|
| \$1.00 to \$500.00 \$501.00 to \$2,000.00 | \$10.00 \$10.00 for the first \$500.00 plus \$1.50 for each additional \$100.00 or fraction thereof, to and including \$2,000.00 |
| \$2,001.00 to \$25,000.00 | \$32.50 for the first \$2,000.00 plus \$6.00 for each additional \$1,000.00 or fraction thereof, to and including \$25,000.00 |
| \$25,001.00 to \$50,000.00 | \$170.50 for the first \$25,000.00 plus \$4.50 for each additional \$1,000.00 or fraction thereof, to and including \$50,000.00 |
| \$50,001.00 to \$100,000.00 | \$283.00 for the first \$50,000.00 plus \$3.00 for each additional \$1,000.00 or fraction thereof, to and including \$100,000.00 |
| \$100,001.00 and up | \$433.00 for the first \$100,000.00 plus \$2.50 for each additional \$1,000.00 or fraction thereof |

OTHER PERMITS AND INSPECTIONS

| TYPE | SERVICE FEE |
|---|-------------|
| All Administrative Permits Required by Tahoe Regional Planning Agency | \$50.00 |
| Any Variance Per Tahoe Regional Planning Agency Ordinances | \$50.00 |
| Mobile Home Inspection (Safety Seal) | \$40.00 |
| Mobile Home Lot Development Inspection | \$25.00 |
| Business License Inspection | \$25.00 |
| Code Inspections | \$25.00 |
| Move & Alter Inspections | \$40.00 |

Reinspections (for any reason) \$20.00 osed on the 20 day of October , 1981.

Proposed on the 20 day of October , 1981. Proposed by Commissioners Farr, Ferrari, Brown, Underwood & Williams Passed on the 10th day of November , 1981.

Vote:

Ayes:

Commissioners: Farr, Ferrari, Brown, Underwood & Williams

Nays:

Commissioners: None

Absent:

Commissioners: None

Chairman of the Board

ATTEST:

County Clerk

This ordinance shall be in force and effect from and after the <u>25th</u> day of <u>November</u>, 1981.