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being duly sworn, deposes and says:
That as legal clerk of the RENO GAZETTEJOURNAL, a daily newspaper published in Reno,
oe County, State of Nevada, that the notice:
Ordinance 983

of which a copy is hereto attached, has been published in each regular and entire issue of said newspaper on the following dates to wit:

June 18, 25 1997

Signed

Subscribed and sworn to before me on 06/25/97

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SUMMARY: Amends the Washoe County Code by waiving certain permit fees.

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ordinance no. <u>983</u>

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE WASHOE COUNTY CODE BY WAIVING OR REFUNDING CERTAIN PERMIT FEES OTHERWISE CHARGED IN THE UNIFORM BUILDING CODE AS ADOPTED IN CHAPTER 100 OF THE WASHOE COUNTY CODE.

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

<u>SECTION 1.</u> Chapter 100 of the Washoe County Code is hereby amended by adding sections 2 through 5 of this ordinance.

SECTION 2.

The floods which affected Northern Nevada Findings. during January of 1997 caused extensive flooding and damage to structures in the County of Washoe. Portions of Washoe County have been designated as a disaster area and a state of emergency has been declared. residents suffer hardships because of time and costs involved in reestablishing lives, homes and businesses. many areas continue to be inundated by water and damages are extensive and continue to be assessed. a streamlined and less expensive permit processing system, residents may remain homeless, neighborhoods will continue to experience the negative impacts of unrepaired structures, and economic hardships will result from the delay in reconstruction. Action is necessary by Washoe County to further the public health and safety as set forth in this ordinance.

<u>SECTION 3.</u> Section 100.____ of the Washoe County Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

100. Permit Fee Waiver. Notwithstanding the provisions of Chapter 100 of the Washoe County Code, for a period of six (6) months from the declaration of the emergency in Washoe County dated January 2, 1997, due to the January 1997 floods, the following permit fees shall not be charged for purposes of renovation or repair or replacement of flood damaged properties: Department of Public Words fees, and Department of Community Development building inspection and permit fees for minor to moderate in kind renovations and repairs. In kind replacement and repairs shall meet all current County ordinances, including Building, Planning, and Development Code requirements.

SECTION 4. Section 100. of the Washoe County Code is hereby amended to read as follows:
100. Refund. Fees paid by applicants for permits prior to the effective date of this ordinance shall be returned to each applicant if: 1) the applicant requests the refund; 2) the application was made during the time period stated in and for the purposes described in Section 3 of this ordinance.
SECTION 5. Section 100. of the Washoe County Code is hereby amended to read as follows:
100. <u>Expiration</u> . This ordinance shall expire on August 31, 1997.
Proposed on the <u>AOTH</u> day of May , 1997. Proposed by Commissioner June . Passed on the <u>IOTH</u> day of June , 1997.
Vote:
Ayes: Joanne Bond, Jim Galloway, Mike Mouliot, Jim Shaw, and Grant Tims
Nays: None
Absent: No one Chairman Washoe County Commission
ATTESTE ALEY
County 2 Chief Deputy
This ordinance shall be in force and effect from and after the <u>2774</u> day of <u>June</u> , 1997.