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CITY OF BELLEVUE, WASHINGTON

ORDINANCE NO. 3822

AN ORDINANCE relating to allowable signing for hospitals; adding a new Section 22B.10.110 to the Bellevue Sign Code and amending Section 22B.10.020.

WHEREAS, it is in the public interest to provide readily visible signing for hospital facilities; and

WHEREAS, the City has complied with the State Environmental Policy Act and the City's Environmental Procedures Ordinance; now, therefore,

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BELLEVUE, WASHINGTON, DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Bellevue City Code (Sign Code) 22B.10 is amended by the addition of a new Section 22B.10.110 which reads as follows:

22B.10.110 Hospital Signs

- A. General: The provisions of Section 22B.10.030 apply to signs displayed at a hospital facility except as specifically provided otherwise in this section.
- B. Freestanding Signs:
 - Number: In addition to the number of freestanding signs permitted by Section 22B.10.030, a hospital facility may display a freestanding sign at each access designed and utilized primarily by emergency vehicles.
 - 2. Location: A freestanding sign identifying emergency access may be located adjacent to that access, provided however, that the setback requirements of 22B.10.030.B and of 20.20.020 for classified streets and the sight distance requirements of 20.20.830 must be met.
 - 3. Size: Each freestanding sign at a hospital facility access may be up to 75 sq. ft. in sign area and up to 15' high.
- C. Directional Signs: Directional signs located on the premises may be up to 25 sq. ft. in sign area and freestanding directional signs may be up to 10' in height. Such signs must be located at least 50' from a primary sign or from another freestanding directional sign.

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Section 2. Bellevue City Code (Sign Code) 22B.10.020 is amended by the addition of a new paragraph 13 and paragraphs 13-35 are re-numbered to paragraphs 14-36 respectively.

13. "Hospital Facility" means a building or buildings designed and used for medical tratement, surgical diagnosis, and housing persons under the care of doctors and nurses. Rest homes, nursing homes, convalescent homes and clinics are not included.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force thirty days after final passage by the City Council.

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