

**CITY OF MAPLE VALLEY, WASHINGTON**

**ORDINANCE NO. O-12-527**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MAPLE VALLEY, WASHINGTON, AMENDING CHAPTER 9.05, CRIMINAL CODE OF THE MAPLE VALLEY MUNICIPAL CODE, DECLARING A PUBLIC EMERGENCY, ESTABLISHING SEVERABILITY AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE AND PROVIDING FOR CORRECTIONS.**

WHEREAS, on December 6, 2012 Governor Gregoire and Sam Reed, the Washington Secretary of State, certified the results of the 2012 elections; and

WHEREAS, Initiative Measure No. 502 (“I-502”), an Act Relating to Marijuana creates certain criminal penalties for violation of state law as amended by I-502; and

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to amend Chapter 9.05, Criminal Code, by adopting I-502;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MAPLE VALLEY, WASHINGTON, DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

**Section 1.** A new Section 9.05.720, Initiative Measure No. 502 adopted, is hereby added as follows to Chapter 9.05, Criminal Code, of the Maple Valley Municipal Code:

9.05.720 Initiative Measure No. 502 adopted. Initiative Measure No. 502, Session Law Number 13C3S21, is adopted and incorporated in full into this Chapter.

**Section 2.** Public emergency declared. The City Council hereby declares a public emergency in the enactment of this ordinance, necessary for the protection of public health and public safety.

**Section 3.** Severability. If any section, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance should be held to be invalid or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, such invalidity or unconstitutionality shall not affect the validity or constitutionality of any other section, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance.

**Section 4.** Effective Date. A summary of this ordinance shall be published in the official newspaper of the City. This ordinance shall be effective immediately pursuant to RCW 35A.13.190.

**Section 5.** Corrections by City Clerk or Code Reviser. Upon approval of the City Attorney, the City Clerk and the code reviser are authorized to make necessary corrections to this ordinance, including the correction of clerical errors; references to other local, state or federal laws, codes, rules, or regulations; or to correct ordinance numbering and section/subsection numbering.

ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL AT A REGULAR MEETING THEREOF THIS  
10th DAY OF DECEMBER.

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William T. Allison, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Shaunna Lee-Rice, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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Christy A. Todd, City Attorney

Date of Publication: December 18, 2012

Effective Date: December 10, 2012, as a declaration of public emergency