

ORDINANCE NO. 508

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF Malden, WASHINGTON, adopting an updated Shoreline Master Program.

WHEREAS, RCW 90.58 mandates all local governments that have a stream greater than 20 cfs must create a Shoreline Master Program; and

WHEREAS, the premise of the Shoreline Master Program is to balance water-oriented preferred uses, public access, and environmental protection; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Ecology awarded a grant to communities within Whitman County and the County itself to conduct a update to their Shoreline Master Programs; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council has now completed the required update; and

WHEREAS, the locally adopted Shoreline Master Program will be sent to the State Department of Ecology for review and approval, a process which may entail further changes to the Shoreline Master Program document; now, therefore

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the Town of Malden as follows:

Section 1.

"Shoreline Master Program Adopted. The "Town of Malden Shoreline Master Program," approved and published by the Town Council on June 8, 2016; three copies of which have been placed on file in the office of the Town Clerk/Treasurer, is hereby adopted by this reference as the 2016 Town of Malden Shoreline Master Program, and is made part hereof as fully set forth herein."

Section 2. Effective date. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in full force fourteen (14) days after formal approval of the Shoreline Master Program by the Department of Ecology.

PASSED by the Town Council and approved by the Mayor of the Town of Malden on this 8 day of June 2016.

APPROVED:



Christina L. Ferrell
Mayor, Town of Malden

ATTEST:



Town Clerk/Treasurer

