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A RESOLUTION of the City Council of the City of Lakewood,

Washington, setting a public hearing on the proposed property tax levy rates for taxes to be collected in 2004

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WHEREAS, as taxation of private property is a matter of public concern and an issue upon which citizens may expect and be entitled to redress of government, it is appropriate for the Lakewood City Council to conduct a public hearing upon the amount of taxes to be levied upon private property.

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

Section 1. Public Hearing Set. That a public hearing shall be held regarding the levy rate for property taxes to be collected in 2004 and said hearing is hereby set for the Monday, November 17, 2003, at 7 p.m. in the City of Lakewood City Council Chambers.

Section 2. Severability. If any sections, sentence, clause or phrase of this Resolution shall be held to be invalid or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, or its application held inapplicable to any person, property or circumstance, such invalidity or unconstitutionality or inapplicability shall not effect the validity or constitutionality of any other section, sentence, clause or phrase of this Resolution or its application to any other person, property or circumstance.

Section 3. This Resolution shall be in full force and effect upon passage and signatures hereon.

PASSED by the City Council this 3rd day of November, 2003.

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Bill Harrison, Mayor

Attest:

Alice M. Bush, CMA/AAE, City Clerk

Approved as to form:

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