ORDINANCE NO. 2016-11

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF EATONVILLE, WASHINGTON, AMENDING THE EATONVILLE MUNICIPAL CODE BY ADOPTING A NEW CHAPTER 13.34 "ELECTRIC NET METERING"

WHEREAS, the Town of Eatonville owns and operates an electrical distribution system that provides electrical services within town limits; and

WHEREAS, in recent years, the state of Washington has adopted regulations to encourage private investment in renewable energy resources and to continue the diversification of the energy resources used in the state; and

WHEREAS, the Council of the Town of Eatonville wishes to amend the Eatonville Municipal Code by adding a new chapter 13.34 "Electric Net Metering" to establish rules and procedures for determining the terms and conditions governing the interconnection of electric generating facilities to the Town's electric distribution system; and

WHEREAS, the Council of the Town of Eatonville having found the new chapter 13.34 to be reasonable and in the public interest; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF EATONVILLE AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Eatonville Municipal Code Title 13 "Public Services" is amended by adding a new chapter 13.34 "Electric Net Metering," a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit A and incorporated by this reference.

Section 2. Should any section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance, or its application to any person or circumstance, be declared unconstitutional or otherwise invalid for any reason, or should any portion of this Ordinance be preempted by state or federal law or regulation, such decision or preemption shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance or its application to other persons or circumstances.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect after publication of a summary, consisting of the title, pursuant to RCW 35.27.300.

1ST READING: 06/27/2016
2ND READING: 07/11/2016

PASSED by the Town Council of the Town of Eatonville and attested by the Clerk in authentication of such passage this 11th day of July, 2016.

Mike Schaub
Mayor

ATTEST:

Kathy Linnemeyer
Town Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Gregory A. Jacoby
Town Attorney