

ORDINANCE NO. 1960

**ORDINANCE ADOPTING A NEW CITY OF SELAH
2014 WATER SYSTEM PLAN AND REPEALING THE 2008
COMPREHENSIVE WATER PLAN**

WHEREAS, RCW Chapter 36.70A et seq., the Washington State Growth Management Act (GMA), requires cities to adopt comprehensive water plans that are consistent with and implement their comprehensive land use plans; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Selah is required to plan in conformance with the GMA; and,

WHEREAS, a water system plan is intended to direct and prepare for future growth and development within the City of Selah, and,

WHEREAS, the 2014 Water System Plan is a planning document to implement the City of Selah Urban Growth Area Comprehensive Plan; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Selah has taken deliberate steps to meet the water planning requirements of the Washington State Department of Health during the development of the City of Selah 2014 Water System Plan; and,

WHEREAS, the document entitled **The City of Selah 2014 Water System Plan** (hereinafter WSP) has been prepared as a new water system plan for the City of Selah; and,

WHEREAS, the PLAN contains an Executive Summary, ten Chapters, and an Appendix as follows:

Introduction and Executive Summary

Chapter I: Description of Water System (including Section 1.6 service area policies)

Chapter II: Basic Planning Data and Water Demand Forecasting

Chapter III: System Analysis

Chapter IV: Water Resource Analysis & Water Use Efficiency (WUE)

Chapter V: Source Water Protection

Chapter VI: Operation and Maintenance Program

Chapter VII: Distribution Facilities Design and Construction Standards

Chapter VIII: Improvement Program

Chapter IX: Financial Program

Chapter X: Miscellaneous Documents

and,

WHEREAS, WAC 246-290-100(8) b requires approval of the WSP by the purveyor's

governing body or elected governing board.

WHEREAS, Chapter 43.21C RCW, the State Environmental Policy Act (SEPA) requires the City of Selah to conduct environmental review of the WSP; and,

WHEREAS, on November 9, 2014 the City of Selah published in the legal advertising section of the Yakima Herald Republic, the legal newspaper for the City of Selah, notice of the City of Selah Council’s public hearing scheduled for November 25, 2014 to consider the proposed WSP. A Determination of Nonsignificance (DNS) on the WSP was issued for review and comment on June 9, 2014; and,

WHEREAS, the WSP was made available for review on the City of Selah’s website at <http://www.selahwa.gov/>; and,

WHEREAS, all persons desiring to either provide written testimony or speak for or against or in relation to the WSP at the City Council Meeting on November 25, 2014 public hearing were given a full and complete opportunity to be heard; and,

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Selah has concluded that the adoption and implementation of the City of Selah 2014 Water System Plan is essential to direct the future growth and development of the City of Selah.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT HEREBY ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SELAH:

SECTION 1. PLAN ADOPTION. The document entitled THE CITY OF SELAH 2014 WATER SYSTEM PLAN, dated October 2014, is hereby adopted as required by RCW 36.70A and approved as required by WAC 246-290-100(8)b, shall be the official water system plan for the City of Selah. By this reference the City of Selah 2014 Water System Plan is incorporated as if fully set forth herein. The City Clerk/Treasurer and the City’s Public Works Department shall have copies of the Water System Plan available for public access, review and inspection at their respective offices.

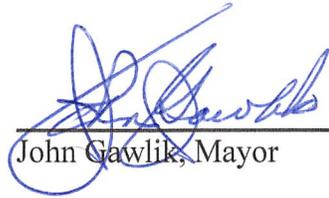
SECTION 2. REPEAL OF THE 2008 CITY OF SELAH COMPREHENSIVE WATER PLAN. The City of Selah 2008 Comprehensive Water Plan, adopted by Ordinance 1739, December 9, 2008 is hereby repealed.

SECTION 3. EFFECTIVE DATE. This ordinance shall be effective at 12:01 a.m. the day following publication of a summary of the ordinance in the official newspaper of the City of Selah.

SECTION 4. SEVERABILITY. If any section, phrase or provision of the City of Selah 2014 Water System Plan or this ordinance is held illegal, invalid or unenforceable by a court of competent jurisdiction the remaining provisions of the City of Selah 2014 Water System Plan

and this ordinance shall remain in full force and effect.

Dated this 24th day of February, 2015.



John Gawlik, Mayor

ATTEST:



Dale E. Novobielski, Clerk Treasurer

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Robert F. Noe, City Attorney

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