ORDINANCE NO. 2707

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 16.48 OF THE MOSES LAKE MUNICIPAL CODE ENTITLED “FIRE HYDRANTS”

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MOSES LAKE, WASHINGTON ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Chapter 16.48 of the Moses Lake Municipal Code entitled “Fire Hydrants” is amended as follows:

16.48.040 Installation Requirements: All new and replaced hydrants, water mains, and appurtenances shall meet the following requirements:

A. All construction shall conform to the City of Moses Lake Community Street and Utility Standards in effect at the time of plan approval.

B. Hydrants shall be accessible to Fire Department apparatus over roads approved by the Fire Chief, in accordance with Moses Lake Municipal Code 16.36.

C. Hydrants shall not be obstructed by any structure or vegetation, or have the visibility impaired for a distance of fifty feet (50’) via the route of travel to such hydrant.

D. Hydrants located in parking lots, or on fire apparatus access roadways other than City streets that are not protected by curbs and space separation of at least five feet (5’) from vehicle operating areas shall be equipped with vehicle impact protection in accordance with Section 312 of the 2012 edition of the International Fire Code.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force five (5) days after its passage and publication of its summary as provided by law.

Adopted by the City Council and signed by its Mayor on March 11, 2014.

Dick Deane, Mayor

ATTEST:

W. Robert Taylor, Finance Director

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Katherine L. Kenison, City Attorney