ORDINANCE NO. 2009-001

(1035)

ORDINANCE ADDING CHAPTER 21 TO TITLE III OF THE SAN LEANDRO MUNICIPAL CODE, RELATING TO VERY HIGH FIRE HAZARD SEVERITY ZONES

The City Council of the City of San Leandro does ORDAIN as follows:

Section 1. Chapter 21 is hereby added to Title III of the San Leandro Municipal Code to read as follows:

"CHAPTER 21 VERY HIGH FIRE SEVERITY ZONES

Section 3-21-100: TITLE

This Chapter shall be known as the Fire Severity Map Ordinance.

Section 3-21-110: PURPOSE

The purpose of this Ordinance is to designate those areas within the San Leandro City limits that the California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection has determined, under California Government Code Section 51179, are Very High Fire Hazard Severity Zones (VHFHS Zones).

Section 3-21-120: EFFECT

Basic authorities and responsibilities for designated Very High Fire Hazard Severity Zones (VHFHS Zones) are set forth in Government Code Section 51175 et seq.

Section 3-21-130: MAP

The map, prepared by the Fire Resource Assessment Program, California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection labeled Very High Fire Hazard Severity Zones in the Local Response Area (LRA) as prepared by CAL FIRE dated September 3, 2008, is on file at the Alameda County Fire Department Prevention Office, the Office of the City Clerk, and at the Permit Center, all located at 835 E. 14th Street, in San Leandro. Such map may from time to time be amended by resolution of the City Council.

Section 3-21-140: Designation

The areas recommended as VHFHS Zones as set forth on the Very High Fire Hazard Severity Map are designated as VHFHS Zones."

Section 2. <u>Effective Date and Publication</u>. This ordinance shall take effect thirty (30) days after adoption and the title thereof shall be published once prior to adoption.

Introduced by Councilmember Gregory on this 2nd day of March, 2009, and passed to print by the following called vote:

Members of the Council:

AYES:	Councilmembers Gregory, Prola, Reed, Souza, Starosciak, Stephens; Mayor Santos	(7)
NOES:	None	(0)
ABSENT:	None	(0)
	Marian Handa, City Clerk	
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