ORDINANCE NO. 2716

AN ORDINANCE of the City of Kent, Washington, relating to inattentive driving, a lesser included offense of negligent driving; adding a new Kent City Code Section 10.02.032.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KENT, WASHINGTON DOES HEREBY ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1.

A. It is unlawful for any person to operate a motor vehicle in an inattentive manner over the highways of the City.

B. For the purpose of this violation, "inattentive" means the operation of a vehicle upon the public highways of the City in a lax or slack manner.

C. The offense of operating a vehicle in an inattentive manner shall be considered to be a lesser offense than but included in the offense of operating a vehicle in a negligent manner.

D. Any person violating the provisions of this section is guilty of a traffic infraction and the mandatory penalty will be $47.00.

Section 2. Effective Date. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force five (5) days from and after its passage, approval and publication as provided by law.

DAN KELLEHER, MAYOR

ATTEST:

MARIE JENSEN, CITY CLERK
APPROVED AS TO FORM:

SANDRA DRISCOLL, CITY ATTORNEY

PASSED the ___ day of _____, 1987.

APPROVED the ___ day of _____, 1987.

PUBLISHED the ___ day of _____, 1987.

I hereby certify that this is a true copy of Ordinance No. 2716, passed by the City Council of the City of Kent, Washington, and approved by the Mayor of the City of Kent as hereon indicated.

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MARIE JENSEN, CITY CLERK

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