ORDINANCE NO. 2008-08-078

AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO THE CITY'S PETTY CASH AND REVOLVING FUNDS; INCREASING THE POLICE DEPARTMENT'S PETTY CASH AUTHORITY IN THE ASSET FORFEITURE/DRUG ENFORCEMENT FUND FROM \$10,000.00 TO \$20,000.00.

WHEREAS, the City's ordinance governing petty cash funds is in need of revision to conform with current practice, and

WHEREAS, the Police department has requested that their petty cash authority be increased to facilitate multiple undercover operations; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the City to increase such authority;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY OF BELLINGHAM DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

<u>Section 1:</u> Bellingham Municipal Code Section 4.26.010, of Ordinance 8451 as amended by Ordinances 8693, 8856, 8981, 9059, 9311, 9464, 9619, 9675, 9892, 10048, and 10250, is amended to read as follows:

The Finance Director is authorized to establish a petty cash or revolving fund for each city department or division which the finance committee of the Council finds in need of such fund, in the following amounts:

E. The Police Department's undercover investigation fund, in an amount not to exceed \$20,000.00.

PASSED by the Council this 4th day of August . 2008.

Council President

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APPROVED by me this day of	August , 2008.
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