



RESOLUTION NO. 39923

1 A RESOLUTION setting Tuesday, February 6, 2018, as the date for a public
2 hearing on the proposed Correctional and Detention Facilities Permanent
3 Regulations, as recommended by the Planning Commission.

4 WHEREAS, on March 7, 2017, the City Council adopted Ordinance
5 No. 28417, enacting emergency interim zoning regulations pertaining to public and
6 private correctional facilities, for a period of six months, to expire on September 6,
7 2017, and

8 WHEREAS the proposed regulations address not only the land use
9 concerns relating to the location and expansion of correctional and detention
10 facilities, but also the health and safety of residents and visitors of those facilities,
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13 WHEREAS the interim regulations amended Sections 13.06.100, 13.06.200,
14 13.06300, 13.06.400, and 13.06.700 of the Tacoma Municipal Code ("TMC"), and
15 were intended to prohibit or require conditional use permits for new or expanded
16 correctional facilities in the interim, to allow time for the City Council and the
17 Planning Commission to conduct appropriate research; analyze potential impacts
18 and applicable local, state and regional policies; and determine the appropriate
19 permanent regulatory framework for public and private correctional facilities in
20 Tacoma, and
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22 WHEREAS, following a public hearing conducted on April 25, 2017, the
23 City Council adopted Ordinance No. 28429 on May 9, 2017, retaining and
24 modifying the interim regulations and extending the effective duration to one year,
25 to expire on March 6, 2018, and
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WHEREAS the Planning Commission has reviewed the interim regulations as modified on May 9, 2017; developed draft permanent regulations for the City Council's consideration for adoption upon the expiration of the interim regulations; conducted a public hearing on January 3, 2018, to receive public comment on the draft regulations; and put forward its recommendation on January 17, 2018, as documented on the Commission's Findings of Fact and Recommendations Report, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to TMC 13.02, the City Council is required to conduct a public hearing before enacting any amendments to the Land Use Regulatory Code, and

WHEREAS the public hearing provides an opportunity for engaging concerned citizens in the decision-making process of the City Council; Now, Therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

Section 1. That Tuesday, February 6, 2018, at approximately 5:15 p.m., is hereby fixed as the time, and the City Council Chambers on the First Floor of the Tacoma Municipal Building, 747 Market Street, Tacoma, Washington, as the place when and where a public hearing shall be held on the proposed Correctional and Detention Facilities Permanent Regulations, as recommended by the Planning Commission.



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Section 2. That the City Clerk shall give proper notice of the time and place of said hearing.

Adopted _____

Mayor

Attest:

City Clerk

Approved as to form:

Deputy City Attorney