



## RESOLUTION NO. 41160

1 BY REQUEST OF MAYOR WOODARDS AND COUNCIL MEMBERS BUSHNELL,  
2 DANIELS, AND USHKA

3 A RESOLUTION authorizing the one-time use of funds in the amount of \$10,000,  
4 budgeted from the Council Contingency Fund, to support the first Khmer  
5 New Year celebration.

6 WHEREAS the Asian Pacific Cultural Center (“Center”) is planning their first  
7 Khmer New Year celebration, which will showcase Cambodian arts, crafts, history,  
8 food and drinks, clothing, storytelling, cooking, language, and more at the Center on  
9 April 1, 2023, and

10 WHEREAS Cambodian people from all over the state will be participating in  
11 the event at which their proud heritage will be showcased, and at the same time,  
12 the general public will learn about Cambodian history and culture, and will have the  
13 opportunity to join in craft making, game playing, and Cambodian food and drinks,  
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16 WHEREAS the Center is subsidizing the event by providing staffing, the  
17 sound system, and utilities, and this request would assist the Center by providing  
18 funding for food and drinks, materials and supplies, decorations, and artists  
19 honorariums, and

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21 WHEREAS planning for this first annual celebration occurred outside the  
22 City’s standard event grant application timeline, and this request is intended to  
23 provide a one-time opportunity for contingency funds to support this annual event in  
24 the City, and

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WHEREAS, at the March 14, 2023, Study Session, Council Member Bushnell shared a Council Consideration Request to authorize the one-time use of \$10,000 from the Council Contingency Fund to support the first Khmer New Year celebration, and

WHEREAS City staff will negotiate and execute an agreement for services, with terms and deliverables for the City's contribution, and

WHEREAS RCW 35.34.250 and 35.34.260 authorize a withdrawal from the Council Contingency fund for any municipal expense, the necessity or extent of which could not have been foreseen or reasonably evaluated at the time of adopting the budget, and

WHEREAS Ordinance No. 22569 requires an affirmative vote of not less than six members of the Council in order to withdraw moneys from this fund; Now, Therefore,

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

Section 1. That one-time funding in the amount of \$10,000, budgeted from the Council Contingency Fund, is hereby approved for the purpose of supporting the first Khmer New Year celebration.



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Section 2. That the proper officers of the City are hereby authorized to confirm deliverables with the Asian Pacific Cultural Center for the purposes hereinabove enumerated, and document as appropriate.

Adopted \_\_\_\_\_

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Mayor

Attest:

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City Clerk

Approved as to form:

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Deputy City Attorney