



RESOLUTION NO. 38829

1 A RESOLUTION relating to public safety; authorizing the execution of an
2 interlocal agreement with the Washington State Patrol for the purpose of
3 allowing reimbursement of fire mobilization costs incurred pursuant to
4 activation of the Washington State Fire Services Resource Mobilization
5 Plan.

6 WHEREAS the Washington State Fire Services Resource Mobilization
7 Plan (“Mobilization Plan”) provides a statewide process to quickly notify,
8 assemble, and deploy fire service personnel and equipment to any jurisdiction in
9 Washington that has expended all local and mutual aid resources to manage and
10 mitigate an emergency incident, and

11 WHEREAS the Tacoma Fire Department (“TFD”) has, on occasion,
12 provided resources and equipment to assist the state and/or other jurisdictions in
13 fighting fires and responding to other emergencies, and

14 WHEREAS such deployments occur rarely, usually when additional
15 resources for structural firefighting are needed, and

16 WHEREAS, in the past two decades, TFD resources were deployed to two
17 significant events; thus, TFD staff estimates that there is a 10 percent chance
18 each year that a deployment could occur, with an estimated average annual cost
19 risk of \$23,000, of which approximately 75 percent would be eligible for
20 reimbursement; Now, Therefore,

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

22 That the proper officers of the City of Tacoma are hereby authorized to
23 enter into an interlocal agreement with the Washington State Patrol for the
24 purpose of allowing for reimbursement of fire mobilization costs incurred pursuant
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1 to activation of the Washington State Fire Services Resource Mobilization Plan,
2 said document to be substantially in the form of the proposed agreement on file in
3 the office of the City Clerk.
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5 Adopted _____
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8 Mayor

9 Attest:
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11 City Clerk

12 Approved as to form:
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14 Deputy City Attorney

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