



RESOLUTION NO. 39462

1 A RESOLUTION relating to the Tacoma Training and Employment Program;
2 authorizing the execution of an agreement with Arbor E&T, LLC, dba
3 ResCare Workforce Services, in the amount of \$346,221, budgeted from the
4 Training and Employment Program Fund, for the period of January 1, 2016,
5 through December 31, 2016, to provide case management, support
6 services, and job placement and job match services to Tacoma residents
7 and residents of Tacoma Public Utilities retail service areas engaged in
8 training and education opportunities.

9 WHEREAS, on September 16, 1997, the City Council passed Ordinance
10 No. 26128, which established the Youth Building Tacoma Training and
11 Employment Project, now known as the Tacoma Training and Employment
12 Program ("TTEP"), with the intent of focusing resources on young adults, ages
13 18 to 24 years, residing in the City of Tacoma, to promote the development of a
14 trained workforce, particularly in building and construction trades and technical and
15 career fields, and

16 WHEREAS, in 2014, the Youth Building Tacoma Advisory Committee, now
17 the TTEP Advisory Committee, implemented the TOOL Center Pre-Apprenticeship
18 Program ("Program") to better serve the intent of the project and meet legal
19 requirements for the use of ratepayer funds, and

20 WHEREAS, in 2015, the City issued a Request for Proposals for Program
21 services, and four organizations were chosen to participate: Tacoma Ministerial
22 Alliance Housing & Community Development Corporation, for outreach and
23 assessment services; SureHouse Open Bible Church, for outreach and
24 assessment services; Bates Technical College, as a training provider; and
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Arbor E&T, LLC, dba ResCare Workforce Services, for case management, support services, and job placement and job match services, and

WHEREAS ResCare Workforce Services will provide support services to participants on an as-needed basis to maximize the likelihood of success in training and employment, including assistance with acquiring tools, clothing, and transportation, as well as soft-skills training, and

WHEREAS ResCare will provide drug screening prior to participant admission into the Program; administer milestone incentives to each participant; and, post-Program completion, provide participants with job placement and job match services, and

WHEREAS, during 2016, these four providers will work collaboratively to recruit and train 45 individuals through the Program; Now, Therefore,

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

That the proper officers of the City are hereby authorized to execute an agreement with Arbor E&T, LLC, dba ResCare Workforce Services, in the amount of \$346,221, budgeted from the Training and Employment Program Fund, for the period of January 1, 2016, through December 31, 2016, for case management, support services, and job placement and job match services to Tacoma residents and residents of Tacoma Public Utilities retail service areas engaged in training



1 and education opportunities, said agreement to be substantially in the form of the
2 document on file in the office of the City Clerk.

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4 Adopted _____

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Mayor

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City Clerk

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10 Approved as to form:

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Deputy City Attorney

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