



## RESOLUTION NO. 41337

1 A RESOLUTION authorizing the execution of a cooperative agreement with the  
2 Environmental Protection Agency, in the amount of \$500,000, accepting  
3 and depositing said sum into the Local Employment and Apprenticeship  
4 Training Program Fund, for the Brownfields Job Training Program.

4 WHEREAS the Community and Economic Development Department's  
5 Local Employment and Apprenticeship Training Program (LEAP) has  
6 successfully managed eight EPA-funded Brownfields Job Training Programs  
7 over the past 22 years, and

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9 WHEREAS, on December 14, 2022, notice was received that the City of  
10 Tacoma was chosen to begin negotiations to receive funding via a Cooperative  
11 Agreement, and

12 WHEREAS staff presented before the Economic Development  
13 Committee on July 26, 2023, noting a grant proposal would be submitted for a  
14 2023 EPA Brownfields Job Training Grant, and

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16 WHEREAS the City's program workplan was accepted in October of 2023  
17 and the Cooperative Agreement was finalized, and

18 WHEREAS under the grant process guidelines, the City Council must  
19 approve acceptance of grant funding; Now, Therefore,

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

22 Section 1. That the proper officers of the City are hereby authorized to  
23 accept grant funding from the EPA in the amount of \$500,000, to support a  
24 Brownfields Job Training Program.

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Section 2. That the proper officers of the City are hereby authorized to

execute the Cooperative Agreement for the administration of the funding  
accepted pursuant to Section 1.

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Mayor

Attest:

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City Clerk

Approved as to form:

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Deputy City Attorney