



## RESOLUTION NO. 41806

1 BY REQUEST OF MAYOR WOODARDS AND COUNCIL MEMBERS BUSHNELL  
2 AND HINES

3 A RESOLUTION cancelling authorization for a Council Contingency Fund  
4 expenditure in the amount of \$50,000, to support the Labor Standards Task  
5 Force, as approved by Resolution No. 41735.

6 WHEREAS Resolution No. 41735 authorizing a Council Contingency Fund  
7 expenditure in the amount of \$50,000 for staffing and facilitation of the Labor  
8 Standards Task Force ("Task Force") was adopted by the City Council on  
9 August 12, 2025, and

10 WHEREAS due to recent Court decisions and a change in timing for Initiative  
11 No. 2 ("Initiative"), Labor Standards for Certain Employees to be considered during  
12 the February 10, 2026, special election, there is no longer adequate time to  
13 appropriately establish and engage a Task Force on the topics of the Initiative nor  
14 other labor standards before the end of the year, and

15 WHEREAS in light of shifting community needs and evolving priorities  
16 toward the end of the year, we are recommending cancellation of the Task Force  
17 spending authorization, and

18 WHEREAS this action will allow the City to redirect available funds to  
19 address emerging issues resulting from recent federal actions and areas where  
20 federal inaction has created additional local pressure, and other evolving needs,  
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WHEREAS by maintaining flexibility in our resources, the City can better respond to the needs of residents and stakeholders as they arise, ensuring that engagement and service delivery remain responsive and effective; Now, Therefore,

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

That the authorization for a Council Contingency Fund expenditure in the amount of \$50,000, to support the Labor Standards Task Force, as approved by Resolution No. 41735, is hereby cancelled.

Adopted \_\_\_\_\_

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Mayor

Attest:

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City Clerk

Approved as to form:

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Deputy City Attorney