



## RESOLUTION NO. 39617

1 A RESOLUTION relating to labor negotiations; authorizing the execution of  
2 Amendment No. 3 to the Professional Services Contract with Summit Law  
3 Group, in the amount of \$300,000, for a cumulative contract amount of  
4 \$700,000, budgeted from the General Fund, for labor negotiation services  
5 for the City of Tacoma, on behalf of the Human Resources Director.

6 WHEREAS, in August 2013, the City entered into a Professional Services  
7 Contract with Summit Law Group ("Summit"), in the amount of \$50,000, to serve  
8 as Chief Negotiator, in partnership with the City's Management Team and  
9 Human Resources Director and staff, to bargain and complete contract  
10 negotiations or mediation related to the Joint Labor contract, and

11 WHEREAS the need for bargaining and negotiation services increased  
12 and continued, and, effective December 23, 2013, the parties entered into  
13 Amendment No. 1 to the contract, in the amount of \$150,000, for a maximum  
14 contract amount of \$200,000, and extended the term of the contract to  
15 February 1, 2015, and

16 WHEREAS, in recognition of the continuing need for bargaining and  
17 negotiation services on July 28, 2015, pursuant to Resolution No. 39248, the  
18 City Council authorized Amendment No. 2 to the contract, in the amount of  
19 \$200,000, for a maximum contract amount of \$400,000, and to extend the term  
20 of the contract to December 31, 2018, and

21 WHEREAS, in order to accommodate the City's ongoing need for these  
22 services, the parties wish to enter into Amendment No. 3 to the contract to  
23 increase the maximum compensation thereunder by \$300,000, for a new  
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maximum compensation of \$700,000, to continue said services through

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December 31, 2018; Now, Therefore,

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

That the proper officers of the City are hereby authorized to enter into Amendment No. 3 to the Professional Services Contract with Summit Law Group, in the amount of \$300,000 for a cumulative contract amount of \$700,000, budgeted from the General Fund, through December 31, 2018, for the purpose of serving as labor negotiator for the City of Tacoma, on behalf of the Human Resources Director, to bargain and complete contract negotiations or mediation, and to advise on labor negotiation matters as directed by the City, said amendment to be substantially in the form of the proposed document on file in the office of the City Clerk.

Adopted \_\_\_\_\_

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Mayor

Attest:  
  
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City Clerk

Approved as to form:  
  
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Deputy City Attorney