



## RESOLUTION NO. 41801

1 A RESOLUTION relating to taxes and licensing; authorizing the execution of an  
2 Interlocal Agreement with the Washington State Employment Security  
3 Department (“ESD”) allowing authorized City staff to receive confidential  
4 unemployment insurance data from ESD for a period to start on the date  
5 of contract execution through November 30, 2028.

6 WHEREAS to effectively administer the City’s tax and license program, the  
7 Tax and License Division relies on several resources to discover business activity  
8 in the City and verify the amount of local Business and Occupation tax paid to the  
9 City by a business, and

10 WHEREAS being able to access Washington State Employment Security  
11 Department (“ESD”) data provides another avenue for discovery of businesses  
12 and verification of payroll in the City, and

13 WHEREAS the information shared by ESD through the agreement increases  
14 the City’s effectiveness in administering a fair and equitable tax and license  
15 program, generating additional local tax and license revenues to the general fund;

16 Now, Therefore,

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

18 Section 1. That the proper officers of the City are hereby authorized to  
19 enter into an Interlocal Agreement with the Washington State Employment  
20 Security Department (“ESD”), allowing authorized City staff to receive confidential  
21 unemployment insurance data from ESD for a period to start on the date of  
22 contract execution through November 30, 2028, as more specifically set forth in  
23 the document on file in the office of the City Clerk.  
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Section 2. That the City Manager, or designee, is hereby directed to negotiate and execute an agreement with ESD, outlining the scope of work and deliverables outlined in Section 1.

Adopted \_\_\_\_\_

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Mayor

Attest:

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City Clerk

Approved as to form:

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Deputy City Attorney