# RESOLUTION NO. 40629

1  A RESOLUTION relating to emergency management; approving and promulgating
2  the City of Tacoma Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan.

3  WHEREAS pursuant to the Revised Code of Washington 38.52.070, every

4  jurisdiction that seeks recognition as an emergency management organization

5  must produce and keep a current Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan

6  ("CEMP"), which is a required component for the City to be recognized by the

7  federal and state government as a direct recipient of disaster relief funding, and

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9  WHEREAS the CEMP is a document intended to represent the interests of

10  the community, and informs and recommends opportunities for the City, its

11  residents, and visitors to increase the understanding of current and future risks, as

12  well as preparedness for and resiliency against those risks, and

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14  WHEREAS one of the goals of emergency management and the CEMP is

15  to identify the needs of the community and offer multiple avenues for increasing

16  success in both outreach and engagement, and

17  WHEREAS promulgation of the updated CEMP allows for the continued

18  existence of the Tacoma Emergency Management Program, the ability to apply for

19  and receive federal emergency management grant funding, and allow for the

20  additional planning, preparedness, and educational opportunities for the benefit of

21  additional planning, preparedness, and educational opportunities for the benefit of

22  our underserved and inequitably served population, and

23  WHEREAS the current City CEMP is due to be updated by July 31, 2020;

24  Now, Therefore,

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

Section 1.  That the proper officers of the City hereby approve and promulgate the City of Tacoma Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan.

Section 2.  That the City Manager, or designee, is hereby authorized to take and execute any additional measures or documents that may be necessary to complete this transaction which are consistent with the approved form of documents referenced by this Resolution, and the intent of this Resolution.

Adopted _____

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Mayor

Attest:

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City Clerk

Approved as to form:

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City Attorney

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