

RESOLUTION R-5588

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KIRKLAND SPONSORING THE PUGET SOUND EMERGENCY RADIO NETWORK (PSERN) OPERATOR REQUEST TO JOIN THE ASSOCIATION OF WASHINGTON CITIES EMPLOYEE BENEFIT TRUST.

1           WHEREAS, the City is a member of the PSERN Operator, which  
2 was created by an interlocal cooperation agreement as authorized by  
3 Chapter 39.34 RCW; and  
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5           WHEREAS, the PSERN Operator will provide emergency public  
6 safety radio system network services used for dispatching and  
7 communications between fire, law enforcement, and other first  
8 responders for the City of Kirkland and many other public entities; and  
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10           WHEREAS, the PSERN Operator wishes to participate in the  
11 Association of Washington Cities (AWC) Employee Benefit Trust benefits  
12 program as a quasi-municipal entity; and  
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14           WHEREAS, AWC Employee Benefit Trust requires that a city  
15 member of the AWC Employee Benefit Trust sponsor a non-city entity's  
16 request before the non-city entity can participate in the AWC Employee  
17 Benefit Trust benefit programs and provided the non-city entity by  
18 agreement also provides services to the city member of the AWC  
19 Employee Benefit Trust; and  
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21           WHEREAS, the conditions for the City's sponsorship of the  
22 PSERN Operator's participation in the AWC Employee Benefit Trust have  
23 been met.  
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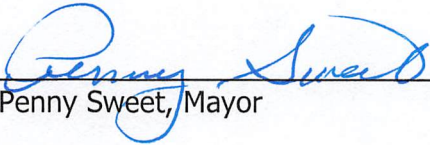
25           NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the City Council of the City  
26 of Kirkland as follows:  
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28           Section 1. The City hereby sponsors the Puget Sound  
29 Emergency Radio Network Operator of King County's request for  
30 application to join the Association of Washington Cities (AWC) Employee  
31 Benefit Trust as a non-city entity.  
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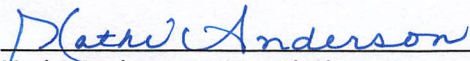
33           Section 2. The City requests that the Puget Sound Emergency  
34 Radio Network Operator of King County be allowed membership into the  
35 Association of Washington (AWC) Employee Benefit Trust.  
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37           Passed by majority vote of the Kirkland City Council in open  
38 meeting this 18th day of April, 2023.

39 Signed in authentication thereof this 18th day of April, 2023.

  
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Penny Sweet, Mayor

Attest:

  
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Kathi Anderson, City Clerk