

Resolution No.2334

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO AN INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT TO COORDINATE THE INVESTIGATIONS RELATED TO OFFICER INVOLVED INCIDENTS THROUGH THE FORMATION OF A "LOWER COLUMBIA MAJOR CRIMES TASK FORCE"

WHEREAS, pursuant to Chapter 39.34 RCW (Interlocal Cooperation Act), public entities may contract with one another to perform government functions or services which each is by law authorized to perform; and

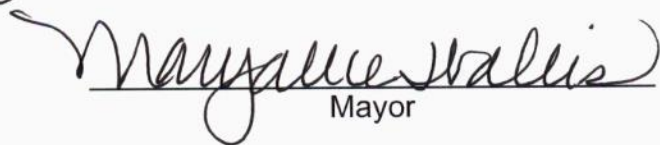
WHEREAS, the Member Agencies wish to coordinate the investigations related to officer involved incidents through the formation of a "Lower Columbia Major Crimes Task Force; and

WHEREAS, the Mission and Purpose of the Lower Columbia Major Crimes Task Force (LCMCT) is to thoroughly investigate officer involved incidents which involve great bodily harm or death, in-custody deaths, or other high-profile incidents where there may be an appearance of a conflict of interest, in accordance with RCW 10.114.011. The LCMCT shall meet the definition and criteria of Independent Investigation Team (IIT) as defined by WAC 139-12 and will operate primarily within Cowlitz County or outside the county upon the request of a Chief, Sheriff or agency designee.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Longview as follows:

Section 1. The City Manager is authorized to execute the interlocal agreement with the Cowlitz County Sheriff and the cities of Kelso, Woodland, Castle Rock and Kalama, which is attached as Exhibit A, and forming a part of this Resolution.

PASSED by the City Council of Longview, Washington, and approved by its Mayor this 13 day of August, 2020.



Mayor

ATTEST:

Kemlee Cady

City Clerk

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