

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO AN INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT FOR COOPERATIVE PURCHASING, TO PURCHASE RENEWABLE DIESEL AND RENEWABLE DIESEL FUEL BLENDS UNDER CLARK PUBLIC UTILITY'S FUTURE PURCHASE CONTRACT

WHEREAS, RCW 39.34 permits local governmental units to make the most efficient use of their powers by enabling them to cooperate with other localities on a basis of mutual advantage and thereby to provide services and facilities in a manner and pursuant to forms of governmental organization that will accord best with geographic, economic, population and other factors influencing the needs and development of local communities; and

WHEREAS, RCW 39.34 also allows cooperative purchasing between public agencies; and

WHEREAS, entering into cooperative purchasing agreements will increase efficiency and savings by taking advantage of volume discounts and government pricing; and

WHEREAS, cooperative purchasing programs have followed the advertising and call for bid process requirements, eliminating further costs to the City; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of the proposed interlocal agreement is to allow the Parties to purchase renewable diesel and renewable diesel fuel blends under Clark Public Utility's future purchase contract for these materials.

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 to allow the Parties to purchase renewable diesel and renewable diesel fuel blends under Clark Public Utility's future purchase contract for these materials, which interlocal agreement 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 _____ day of _____ 2018.

Mayor

ATTEST:

City Clerk