



## Legislation Text

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### **AMENDMENT TO INDIGENT DEFENSE CONTRACT**

#### **COUNCIL STRATEGIC INITIATIVE ADDRESSED:**

Continue effective financial management

#### **SUMMARY STATEMENT:**

The City contracts with the 5 attorneys of Longview Municipal Defense for indigent public defense service. Per the terms of the Agreement, the contract expires at the end of 2018. Under the terms of the current contract, the City pays \$49,583.33 per month. That is not proposed to change.

#### **RECOMMENDED ACTION:**

Authorize the City Manager to amend the contract for indigent defense services with Longview Municipal Defense, to extend the term of the contract to the end of 2020.

#### **STAFF CONTACT:**

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