

RESOLUTION NO. 1539

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FIFE, PIERCE COUNTY, WASHINGTON AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO INTERLOCAL JAIL SERVICES AGREEMENTS WITH OTHER JURISDICTIONS FOR HOUSING PRISONERS, AND REPEALING RESOLUTION NO. 726

WHEREAS, Fife operates a jail under the authority of chapter 70.48 RCW; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to RCW 39.34 and RCW 70.48, Fife is authorized to enter into interlocal agreements with other jurisdictions to provide or receive jail services; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interests of Fife to enter into such agreements in order to help pay for the cost of operating Fife's jail, house prisoners in the jails of other jurisdictions when Fife's jail is at capacity, and generate revenue; and

WHEREAS, Resolution No. 726 authorized the City Manager to enter into jail services agreements with other jurisdictions to house prisoners in the Fife jail, provided the form attached to Resolution No. 726 was used; and

WHEREAS, it has often been in Fife's interest to amend the approved form on a case by case basis to provide different rate structures or make other changes, which under Resolution No. 726, require council approval; and

WHEREAS, the Council finds that for efficient jail operation, the authority to enter into jail services agreements with other jurisdictions to provide or receive jail services should be delegated to the City Manager, provided the City receives fair value for the jail services it provides or receives under such agreement, the agreement is consistent with City Council policy direction and the adopted City budget, and the agreement has been reviewed and approved as to form by the City Attorney's office prior to execution; now, therefore,

IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED AS FOLLOWS:

1. The Council hereby authorizes the City Manager, on behalf of the City, to enter into jail services agreements with any governmental jurisdiction authorized to enter into such agreements by Federal or State law, for the housing of inmates in the other jurisdiction's jail, provided the City receives fair value for the jail services it receives under such agreement, the agreement is consistent with City Council policy direction and the adopted City budget, and the agreement has been reviewed and approved as to form by the City Attorney's office prior to execution.

2. Council hereby authorizes the City Manager, on behalf of the City, to enter into jail services agreements with any governmental jurisdiction authorized to enter into such agreements by Federal or State law, for the housing of inmates in Fife's jail, provided the City receives fair value for the jail services it provides under such agreement, the agreement is consistent with City Council policy direction and the adopted City budget, and the agreement has been reviewed and approved as to form by the City Attorney's office prior to execution.

3. The City Manager shall notify the City Council after entering into any agreement under the authority granted herein.

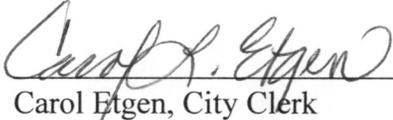
4. Resolution No. 726, dated December 11, 2001, is hereby repealed.

ADOPTED by the City Council at an open public meeting held on the 12th day of February, 2013.



Robert D. Cerqui, Mayor

Attest:



Carol Etgen, City Clerk