

February 17, 2009

**MEMORANDUM
For Meeting of February 24, 2009**

TO: Mayor Johnson and Five City Council Members
THROUGH: Steve Worthington, City Manager

FROM: Brad Blackburn, Chief of Police

SUBJECT: Resolution 1286
State of Washington Agreement GCA-5997
Amendment No. 1

REPORT IN BRIEF:

Final agreement with the State of Washington to allow installation of red light system at the intersection of Pacific Highway East and 54th Avenue East.

BACKGROUND:

This agreement was tentatively discussed in July of 2008.

Just recently, Washington State Department of Transportation returned the document to allow the City of Fife and the State of Washington to enter into an agreement to which will allow installation at the intersection located at 54th Avenue East and Pacific Highway East, (State Route 99 at milepost 0.18).

RECOMMENDATIONS:

Pass the resolution to allow City Manager to proceed with this agreement.



Brad Blackburn
Chief of Police



Approved for Agenda:
Steve Worthington, City Manager

RESOLUTION NO. 1286

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FIFE, PIERCE COUNTY, WASHINGTON AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT WITH WSDOT FOR OPERATION OF RED LIGHT PHOTO ENFORCEMENT CAMERAS ON STATE TRAFFIC SIGNAL SYSTEMS

WHEREAS, the City is planning to use Red Light Running Traffic Violation Monitoring Camera Systems (“RLR Camera Systems”), to improve enforcement of vehicles running red lights, and

WHEREAS, the City’s RLR Camera Systems will provide increased safety to the roadway system by increasing enforcement of vehicles running red light signal indications, and

WHEREAS, the City has requested authorization to install and operate RLR Camera Systems on State traffic signal systems at the intersection of 54th Avenue East and Pacific Highway East; and

WHEREAS, the State is willing to grant authorization on the terms and conditions set forth in the agreement attached hereto as Exhibit A; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED that the City Manager is authorized to execute the agreement with WSDOT attached hereto as Exhibit A for operation of RLR Camera Systems on State of Washington traffic control signals.

ADOPTED by the City Council at an open public meeting held on the 24th day of February, 2009.

Barry D. Johnson, Mayor

Attest:

Steven Marcotte, City Clerk/Treasurer