

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OLYMPIA, WASHINGTON, APPROVING A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN THE CITY OF OLYMPIA AND THE CITIES OF LACEY, TUMWATER, AND YELM FOR A HOUSING DISPLACEMENT AND RACIALLY DISPARATE IMPACTS ANALYSIS

WHEREAS, Washington’s Growth Management Act requires jurisdictions to conduct a displacement and racially disparate impacts analysis (the Analysis) to inform the development of the housing element of their Comprehensive Plans; and

WHEREAS, jurisdictions in Thurston County have implemented regional approaches to addressing housing challenges; and

WHEREAS, the cities of Olympia, Lacey, Tumwater, and Yelm (the Cities) do not alone have sufficient resources to contract with a consultant to provide the services necessary to conduct the Analysis; and

WHEREAS, a contract with one Consultant will help each of the Cities comply with the requirements of the Growth Management Act, as well as inform regional policies and approaches to address displacement, while permitting the Cities to share the costs of the work to be performed by the consultant;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE OLYMPIA CITY COUNCIL DOES HEREBY RESOLVE as follows:

1. The Olympia City Council hereby approves the form of Memorandum of Understanding between the City of Olympia and the Cities of Lacey, Tumwater, and Yelm for a Housing Displacement and Racially Disparate Impacts Analysis and the terms and conditions contained therein.
2. The City Manager is authorized and directed to execute on behalf of the City of Olympia the Memorandum of Understanding, and any other documents necessary to execute said Agreement, and to make any amendments or minor modifications as may be required and are consistent with the intent of the Agreement, or to correct any scrivener's errors.

PASSED BY THE OLYMPIA CITY COUNCIL this _____ day of _____ 2024.

MAYOR

ATTEST:

CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Mark Barber

CITY ATTORNEY