

RESOLUTION NO. M-2519

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OLYMPIA, WASHINGTON, APPROVING
A MUTUAL AID AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF OLYMPIA AND DEPARTMENT OF THE
ARMY**

WHEREAS, the City of Olympia, through the Olympia Fire Department, wishes to enter into a mutual aid agreement with the Department of the Army , through the Joint Base Lewis-McChord Fire and Emergency Services Department, in order to secure for the City and the Army the benefits of mutual aid in fire prevention, the protection of life and property from fire and firefighting, including emergency services, basic medical support, basic and advanced life support, hazardous material containment and confinement, and special rescue events involving vehicular and water mishaps, and trench, building, and confined space extractions; and

WHEREAS, the Mutual Aid Agreement between the City and the Army provides a process to quickly notify the aiding party, assemble, and deploy fire service personnel and equipment as mutual aid resources; and


WHEREAS, if either the City of Olympia or the Department of the Army requires one another's assistance, it may so request utilizing the procedures detailed in the mutual aid agreement; and

WHEREAS, this mutual will benefit the City by providing access to additional firefighting and emergency services personnel and equipment in case of a major emergency;

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

1. The Olympia City Council hereby approves the form of the mutual aid agreement between the City of Olympia and the Department of the Army 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 Mutual Aid Agreement, and any other documents necessary to execute said Agreement, and to make any 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 7th day of May 2024.



MAYOR

ATTEST:

Sean Krier

CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Michael M. Young

DEPUTY CITY ATTORNEY