1 CITY OF FIRCREST **RESOLUTION NO. 1846** 2 A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF 3 FIRCREST, WASHINGTON AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT FOR PUBLIC 4 DEFENSE SERVICES WITH PIERCE COUNTY DEPARTMENT 5 **OF** ASSIGNED COUNSEL TO **PROVIDE LEGAL** REPRESENTATION TO INDIGENT DEFENDANTS. 6 WHEREAS, for the past several years, the Firerest Municipal Court has had a contract 7 with the Pierce County Department of Assigned Counsel to provide legal representation 8 to indigent defendants and wishes to continue this service, 9 NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE **CITY OF FIRCREST:** 10 **Section 1.** The City Manager is hereby authorized and directed to execute an agreement 11 for public defense services with the Department of Assigned Counsel for indigent 12 defense, from January 1, 2024, through December 31, 2025, to perform legal representation to defendants in the City of Fircrest and in the City of Ruston referred to 13 the Fircrest Municipal Court. 14 APPROVED AND ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF 15 **FIRCREST, WASHINGTON**, at a regular meeting thereof this 26th day of September 2023. 16 APPROVED 17 18 19 20 ATTEST: 21 22 Acting City Clerk 23 24 APPROVED AS TO FORM: 25 26 Robert Zeinemann, City Attorney 27

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