# FIRCREST CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING AGENDA

	UESDAY, OCTOBER 24, 2023 00 P.M. FIR	COUNCIL CHA CREST CITY HALL, 115 RAMSDELL S	
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1.	CALL TO ORDER		- <b>8</b> •
2.			
	ROLL CALL		
4.	PRESENCE OF THE OFFICE PERSON		
	A. Officer Bugarin Introduction & Swearing In Ceremo	ny	
5.	CITY MANAGER COMMENTS		
6.	DEPARTMENT HEAD COMMENTS		
7.	COUNCILMEMBER COMMENTS		
8.	PUBLIC COMMENTS FOR ITEMS NOT ON THE A speak at the appropriate time using the raise your hand feature or by pressi		nt, you may
9.	COMMITTEE, COMMISSION & LIAISON REPOR	TS	
	A. Parks & Recreation		
	B. Pierce County Regional Council		
	C. Public Safety, Courts		
	<ul><li>D. Facilities, Street, Water, Sewer, and Storm Drain</li><li>E. Other Liaison Reports</li></ul>		
4.0	•		
10.	CONSENT CALENDAR		_
	<b>A.</b> Approval of <u>vouchers/payroll</u> checks		2
	B. Approval of Minutes: September 26, 2023, Regular	Meeting	15
	October 09, 2023 Special Mo		20
	October 10, 2023, Regular N	<u>feeting</u>	22
11	. PUBLIC HEARING 7:15 P.M.		
	A. To receive comments on the 2024 preliminary budg	<u>;et</u>	25
	<b>B.</b> To receive comments on the 2024 preliminary budg	et revenue sources	26
12	2. UNFINISHED BUSINESS		
13	3. NEW BUSINESS		
	A. Resolution: Kenyon Disend, PLLC Contract Amend	<u>lment</u>	47
	B. Resolution: Approval of the Alliance/ "Prose" Proje	ect Memorandum of Understanding	52
	C. Resolution: MOU Salary Plan Amendment with T	eamsters 117	60
	D. Claremont Fence Discussion		
14	I. CALL FOR FINAL COMMENTS		

# 15. EXECUTIVE SESSION

A. To Review the Performance of a Public Employee, pursuant to RCW 42.30.110 (g)

# 16. ADJOURNMENT

Join the Zoom Dial-in Information: 253-215-8782 Webinar ID: 850 6025 7564 Password: 412467

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30727 10/10/202310/24/20234298	AWC Employee Benefit Trust	742.50	11/2023 Retired Medical
521 22 20 01 LEOFF I Medical Premiums	001 000 521 General Fund	742.50	11/2023 Retired Medical
30802 10/16/202310/24/202310562	Amazon Capital Services	43.65	Network Patch Cable for PW Switch
518 81 35 00 Small Tools & Equip - I/S	001 000 518 General Fund	43.65	Network Patch Cable for PW Switch
30805 10/17/202310/24/20231734	Aown, Mark	26.92	03-00870.1 - 717 SAN JUAN AVE
343 10 00 00 Storm Drain Revenues 343 40 00 00 Sale Of Water 343 50 00 00 Sewer Revenues	415 000 340 Storm Drain 425 000 340 Water Fund (der 430 000 340 Sewer Fund (der	-7.50 -8.20 -11.22	
30715 10/10/202310/24/202310279	Ault Electric Services, LLC	1,596.45	Install (4) GFCI Receptacles at Fircrest Pavilion
576 80 48 00 Rep & Maint - Parks	001 000 576 General Fund	1,596.45	Install (4) GFCI Receptacles at Fircrest Pavilion
30755 10/13/202310/24/202310279	Ault Electric Services, LLC	601.11	Replaced (2) Lamps & (1) Ballast on Can Lights that Were Not Working
518 30 48 02 Rep & Maint - City Hall	001 000 518 General Fund	601.11	Replaced (2) Lamps & (1) Ballast on Can Lights that were not Working
30782 10/13/202310/24/202310279	Ault Electric Services, LLC	3,743.40	Replace Wire at Whittier Park on Field Lights
576 80 48 00 Rep & Maint - Parks	001 000 576 General Fund	3,743.40	Replace Wire at Whittier Park on Field Lights
	Total Ault Electric Services, LLC	5,940.96	
30790 10/16/202310/24/20234052	Auto Value, NPW Tacoma	59.56	#54557D - Wiper Blades, #62854D - Wiper Blades
548 65 48 12 O & M - Street	501 000 548 Equipment Rent	39.31	#54557D - Wiper Blades
548 65 48 13 O & M - Storm	501 000 548 Equipment Rent	10.13	#62854D - Wiper Blades
548 65 48 14 O & M - Water/Sewer	501 000 548 Equipment Rent	10.12	#62854D - Wiper Blades
30800 10/16/202310/24/20236502	Ballew's Hitch Truck & RV	821.74	Install Side Steps & Directional Lights on New Bucket Truck
594 48 64 12 ERR Capital - Street	501 000 548 Equipment Rent	821.74	Install Side Steps & Directional Lights on New Bucket Truck
30811 10/17/202310/24/20232708	Blair, Robert	318.20	06-00430.1 - 1308 PALM DR
343 40 00 00 Sale Of Water	425 000 340 Water Fund (der	-318.20	
30763 10/13/202310/24/20233572	CED	54.49	Parts to fix Lights in Building

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	518 30 31	03 Oper Supplies - PWF	001 000 518 General Fund	54.49	Parts to fix Lights in Building
30758	10/13/202	2310/24/202310229	Casey Civil, PLLC	4,561.25	P#68 44th St. Lift Station Professional Svcs. thru September 2023
	594 35 63	03 Project Engineering - Sewer	432 000 594 Sewer Improven	4,561.25	P#68 44th St. Lift Station Professional Svcs. thru September 2023
30803	10/16/202	2310/24/20233994	CenturyLink	657.93	Telecommunications - October 2023
	518 10 42	00 Communication - Non Dept	001 000 518 General Fund	215.62	City Hall Alarm & Fax (3) - 10/2023
	521 22 42	00 Communication - Police	001 000 521 General Fund	229.36	Police BA/Modem & Fax - 10/2023
	531 50 42	00 Communication - Storm	415 000 531 Storm Drain	17.97	PW Alarm - 10/2023
	531 50 42	00 Communication - Storm	415 000 531 Storm Drain	19.02	PW Fax - 10/2023
	534 10 42	00 Communication - Water Adr	425 000 534 Water Fund (der	17.97	PW Alarm - 10/2023
	534 10 42	00 Communication - Water Adr	425 000 534 Water Fund (der	32.50	PW DSL/Telemetry - 10/2023
	534 10 42	00 Communication - Water Adr	425 000 534 Water Fund (der	19.02	PW Fax - 10/2023
	535 10 42	01 Communication - Sewer Adr	430 000 535 Sewer Fund (der	17.97	PW Alarm - 10/2023
	535 10 42	01 Communication - Sewer Adr	430 000 535 Sewer Fund (dex	32.50	PW DSL/Telemetry - 10/2023
	535 10 42	01 Communication - Sewer Adr	430 000 535 Sewer Fund (der	19.02	PW Fax - 10/2023
	542 30 42	00 Communication - Street Rec	101 000 542 City Street Fund	17.97	PW Alarm - 10/2023
	542 30 42	00 Communication - Street Rec	101 000 542 City Street Fund	19.01	PW Fax - 10/2023
30797	10/16/202	2310/24/20234313	Chuckals Inc	101.40	Office Supplies - Central & Rec
	518 10 34	01 Office Supplies - Central	001 000 518 General Fund	90.65	Office Supplies - Central
		00 Office Supplies - Rec	001 000 571 General Fund	10.75	• •
30730	10/10/202	23 10/24/2023 4324	City Treasurer-Tacoma	66,240.67	Fire/EMS - 11/2023
	522 20 40	00 Tacoma Contract - Fire	001 000 522 General Fund	19,404.00	Fire - 11/2023
	522 20 41	00 Tacoma Contract - EMS	001 000 522 General Fund	46,836.67	EMS - 11/2023
30751	10/13/202	2310/24/20238188	Comcast Business Communications LLC	551.82	Internet Access Fee - September 2023
	518 81 42	00 Communication/Internet - I/	001 000 518 General Fund	551.82	Internet Access Fee - September 2023
30752	10/13/202	2310/24/20238188	Comcast Business Communications LLC	451.87	Internet Access Fee - October 2023
	518 81 42	00 Communication/Internet - I/	001 000 518 General Fund	451.87	Internet Access Fee - October 2023
			Total Comcast Business Communications LLC	1,003.69	
30806	10/17/202	2310/24/20232176	Cook, Elizabeth R.	55.20	04-02240.0 - 765 MONTEREY LANE
		00 Storm Drain Revenues	415 000 340 Storm Drain	2.35	

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343 40 00 00 Sale Of Water 343 50 00 00 Sewer Revenues	425 000 340 Water Fund (der 430 000 340 Sewer Fund (der	-67.83 10.28	
30753 10/13/202310/24/20233573	Copiers Northwest Inc	35.91	Printer Usage 8/28/23-9/28/23
521 22 45 00 Oper Rentals - Copier - Polic	001 000 521 General Fund	35.91	Printer Usage 8/28/23-9/28/23
30798 10/16/202310/24/20237268	CustomEnvelope.com	319.61	Green Return Envelopes (3000) - PW
531 50 49 03 Printing & Binding - Storm 534 10 49 04 Printing & Binding - Water <i>I</i> 535 10 49 03 Printing & Binding - Sewer <i>I</i>	415 000 531 Storm Drain 425 000 534 Water Fund (der 430 000 535 Sewer Fund (der	106.54	Green Return Envelopes (3000) - PW Green Return Envelopes (3000) - PW Green Return Envelopes (3000) - PW
30791 10/16/202310/24/20233588	Daily Journal Of Commerce, Inc	349.25	P#68 - Advertisement for 44th Street Sewer Lift Station Upgrade
594 35 63 01 Other Improvements - Sewe	432 000 594 Sewer Improven	349.25	P#68 - Advertisement for 44th Street Sewer Lift Station Upgrade
30807 10/17/202310/24/20231887	Dale, Alvina	71.58	03-02310.0 - 425 ALAMEDA AVE
343 10 00 00 Storm Drain Revenues 343 40 00 00 Sale Of Water 343 50 00 00 Sewer Revenues	415 000 340 Storm Drain 425 000 340 Water Fund (der 430 000 340 Sewer Fund (der	-50.97 -36.04 15.43	
30810 10/17/202310/24/20236242	Dana, Isaac D	69.71	02-00540.0 - 129 DEL MONTE AVE
343 10 00 00 Storm Drain Revenues 343 40 00 00 Sale Of Water 343 50 00 00 Sewer Revenues	415 000 340 Storm Drain 425 000 340 Water Fund (der 430 000 340 Sewer Fund (der	-16.99 -18.56 -34.16	
30814 10/17/202310/24/20234310	Dept Of Revenue-EXCISE TAX	677.41	September 2023 Excise Taxes
531 50 44 00 Excise Tax - Storm 534 10 44 00 Excise Tax - Water 534 10 44 00 Excise Tax - Water 535 10 44 00 Excise Tax - Sewer 571 20 43 00 Excise Tax - Participation Fet 576 20 31 03 Oper Supplies - Pool 576 20 43 00 Excise Tax - Pool Revenue 589 30 00 00 Retail Sales Tax	415 000 531 Storm Drain 425 000 534 Water Fund (der 425 000 534 Water Fund (der 430 000 535 Sewer Fund (der 001 000 571 General Fund 001 000 576 General Fund 001 000 576 General Fund 655 000 580 Agency Fund/Bc		September 2023 Excise Taxes September 2023 Excise Taxes September 2023 Excise Taxes September 2023 Excise Taxes
30756 10/13/202310/24/20238532	Dog Waste Depot	351.98	Dog Waste Bags (2 Cases)
576 80 31 02 Oper Supplies - Parks	001 000 576 General Fund	351.98	Dog Waste Bags (2 Cases)

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30742 10/12/202310/24/20239254	Doyle Printing Company	533.99	5,000 - #10 Window Envelopes (Inside Security Tint)
518 10 34 02 Printing & Binding - Central	001 000 518 General Fund	533.99	5,000 - #10 Window Envelopes (Inside Security Tint)
30770 10/13/202310/24/20239254	Doyle Printing Company	55.05	Business Cards - R. Schaub (250)
521 22 31 00 Office & Oper Sup - Police	001 000 521 General Fund	55.05	Business Cards - R. Schaub (250)
	Total Doyle Printing Company	589.04	
30809 10/16/202310/24/20234318	Fircrest City of - Interfund (Treasur)	11,456.08	October 2023 Interfund
518 30 47 00 Public Utility Services - City	001 000 518 General Fund	650.89	October 2023 Interfund
531 50 47 02 Public Utility Services - Bldg	415 000 531 Storm Drain	97.02	October 2023 Interfund
531 50 47 02 Public Utility Services - Bldg	415 000 531 Storm Drain	1.09	October 2023 Interfund
534 10 47 00 Utility Services/Building - W	425 000 534 Water Fund (der	445.62	
534 80 47 01 Utility Services/Pumping	425 000 534 Water Fund (der		October 2023 Interfund
534 80 47 03 Public Utility Services - Mete	425 000 534 Water Fund (der	2.54	October 2023 Interfund
535 10 47 00 Utility Services/Building - Se	430 000 535 Sewer Fund (der		October 2023 Interfund
535 80 47 04 Public Utility Services - Mete	430 000 535 Sewer Fund (der		October 2023 Interfund
542 30 47 02 Electricity & Gas/Bldg - Stre	101 000 542 City Street Fund		October 2023 Interfund
542 30 47 02 Electricity & Gas/Bldg - Stre	101 000 542 City Street Fund		October 2023 Interfund
542 80 47 00 Public Utility Services - St Βε	101 000 542 City Street Fund		October 2023 Interfund
548 65 47 00 Utility Services/Building - Sh	501 000 548 Equipment Rent		October 2023 Interfund
571 10 47 00 Public Utility Services - Rec	001 000 571 General Fund		October 2023 Interfund
576 20 47 00 Public Utility Services - Pool	001 000 576 General Fund		October 2023 Interfund
576 80 47 00 Public Utility Services - Parks	001 000 576 General Fund	7,579.29	October 2023 Interfund
30799 10/16/202310/24/20233638	Fircrest Golf Club	38.98	Business Lunch - D Masko & Judge Foley
513 10 49 00 Miscellaneous - Admin	001 000 513 General Fund	38.98	Business Lunch - D Masko & Judge Foley
30717 10/10/202310/24/20233642	Flags A' Flying LLC	89.29	US Flag for Rec Center 5x8
518 30 31 01 Oper Supplies - Rec Bldg	001 000 518 General Fund	89.29	US Flag for Rec Center 5x8
30728 10/10/202310/24/202310298	Foley, Meagan M.	225.00	Pro Temp Judge - 10/11/23 (3 hrs) - FMC
512 51 41 02 Prof Srvs - Pro Temp Judges	001 000 512 General Fund	225.00	Pro Temp Judge - 10/11/23 (3 hrs) - FMC
30729 10/10/202310/24/202310298	Foley, Meagan M.	300.00	Pro Temp Judge - 10/4/23 (4 hrs) - FMC
512 51 41 02 Prof Srvs - Pro Temp Judges	001 000 512 General Fund	300.00	Pro Temp Judge - 10/4/23 (4 hrs) - FMC
30750 10/13/202310/24/202310298	Foley, Meagan M.	225.00	Pro Temp Judge - 10/5/23 (3 hrs) - RMC

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512 52 41 02 Prof Svcs - Pro Temp Judges	001 000 512 General Fund	225.00	Pro Temp Judge - 10/5/23 (3 hrs) - RMC
	Total Foley, Meagan M.	750.00	
30804 10/17/202310/24/20232138	Gleason, Christine	295.89	04-01870.1 - 540 MONTEREY LANE
343 10 00 00 Storm Drain Revenues 343 40 00 00 Sale Of Water 343 50 00 00 Sewer Revenues	415 000 340 Storm Drain 425 000 340 Water Fund (der 430 000 340 Sewer Fund (der	-67.13 -73.41 -155.35	
30714 10/09/202310/24/20231335	Gosnell TTEE, June Evelyn	4.93	02-00510.0 - 115 DEL MONTE AVE
343 10 00 00 Storm Drain Revenues 343 40 00 00 Sale Of Water 343 50 00 00 Sewer Revenues	415 000 340 Storm Drain 425 000 340 Water Fund (der 430 000 340 Sewer Fund (der	-1.09 -1.20 -2.64	
30734 10/12/202310/24/20233668	Gray Lumber Company Inc	84.60	#54557 Replaced Side Rails on Dump Bed for Dump Truck
548 65 48 12 O & M - Street	501 000 548 Equipment Rent	84.60	#54557 Replaced Side Rails on Dump Bed for Dump Truck
30778 10/13/202310/24/20239273	Hanberg, Sean	78.00	Library Reimbursement - 1 Year (Kathleen)
572 21 49 00 Library Services	001 000 572 General Fund	78.00	Library Reimbursement - 1 Year (Kathleen)
30796 10/16/202310/24/20237383	Holden Polygraph LLC	700.00	Polygraph Pre-Employment Testing - M Bugarin, F Schaub
521 10 41 00 Prof Svcs - Civil Svc	001 000 521 General Fund	700.00	Polygraph Pre-Employment Testing - M Bugarin, R Schaub
30765 10/13/202310/24/20233692	Home Depot Credit Services	52.75	Light Bulbs (6)
518 30 31 04 Oper Supplies - CH	001 000 518 General Fund	52.75	Light Bulbs (6)
30812 10/17/202310/24/20231496	Jonker, Maria C	2,232.00	02-02050.5 - 412 COLUMBIA AVE
343 10 00 00 Storm Drain Revenues 343 40 00 00 Sale Of Water 343 50 00 00 Sewer Revenues	415 000 340 Storm Drain 425 000 340 Water Fund (der 430 000 340 Sewer Fund (der	-494.77 -541.16 -1,196.07	
30732 10/10/202310/24/20239817	Kenyon Disend	4,295.50	Attorney Services & Teamsters Grievance - September 2023
515 41 41 01 City Attorney	001 000 515 General Fund	4,073.50	Attorney Services - September 2023

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518 11 41 00 Prof Svcs - Personnel	001 000 518 General Fund	222.00	Attorney Services & Teamsters Grievance - September 2023
30733 10/10/202310/24/20239817	Kenyon Disend	790.50	Attorney Services - September 2023
518 11 41 00 Prof Svcs - Personnel	001 000 518 General Fund	790.50	Attorney Services - September 2023
30759 10/13/202310/24/20239817	Kenyon Disend	1,326.00	Attorney Services - September 2023 - Land Use
515 41 41 02 Special Legal Counsel	001 000 515 General Fund	1,326.00	Attorney Services - September 2023 - Land Use
	Total Kenyon Disend	6,412.00	
30713 10/09/202310/24/20231628	Kutschia, Ludowika	89.99	02-03320.1 - 1157 GARDEN CIRCLE
343 40 00 00 Sale Of Water 343 50 00 00 Sewer Revenues	425 000 340 Water Fund (der 430 000 340 Sewer Fund (der	-28.03 -61.96	
30779 10/13/202310/24/20237337	Larsen, Roman A	78.00	Library Reimbursement - 1 Year (Nicole)
572 21 49 00 Library Services	001 000 572 General Fund	78.00	Library Reimbursement - 1 Year (Nicole)
30744 10/13/202310/24/202310264	Larson, Shari	781.39	Gentle Yoga & Chair Yoga Classes (9/1/23-9/30/23)
571 20 49 06 Instructor Fees	001 000 571 General Fund	781.39	Gentle Yoga & Chair Yoga Classes (9/1/23-9/30/23)
30745 10/13/202310/24/2023156	LeCompte, Karen	78.00	Library Reimbursement - 1 Year
572 21 49 00 Library Services	001 000 572 General Fund	78.00	Library Reimbursement - 1 Year
30768 10/13/202310/24/20236939	Leavitt Group NW	112.08	Notary Bond - Errors & Omissions - K Rosario
518 10 49 02 Notary	001 000 518 General Fund	112.08	Notary Bond - Errors & Omissions - K Rosario
30712 10/09/202310/24/20232843	Lunceford Trust, Gerald & Peggy	100.64	06-01690.2 - 1429 EVERGREEN DR
343 10 00 00 Storm Drain Revenues 343 40 00 00 Sale Of Water 343 50 00 00 Sewer Revenues	415 000 340 Storm Drain 425 000 340 Water Fund (der 430 000 340 Sewer Fund (der	-22.31 -24.40 -53.93	
30783 10/13/202310/24/20239002	McDonald & Sons Ventures LLC	4,343.43	Install New Electrical Meter Base & Main Disconnect at 44th St. Liftstation
535 50 48 00 Rep & Maint - Sewer Maint	430 000 535 Sewer Fund (der	4,343.43	Install New Electrical Meter Base & Main Disconnect at 44th St. Liftstation
30726 10/10/202310/24/20236369	McLendon Hardware Inc (Tacoma)	42.98	Clips for Lights on Building

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518 30 31 01 Oper	Supplies - Rec Bldg	001 000 518 General Fund	42.98	Clips for Lights on Building
30746 10/13/202310/24	4/202310265	Mirande, Therese	230.81	Gentle Yoga Classes, Chair Yoga & Yin Yoga Series (September)
571 20 49 06 Instru	uctor Fees	001 000 571 General Fund	230.81	Gentle Yoga Classes, Chair Yoga & Yin Yoga Series (September)
30794 10/16/202310/24	1/20232845	Moline, Margaret	78.00	Library Reimbursement - 1 Year
572 21 49 00 Libra	ry Services	001 000 572 General Fund	78.00	Library Reimbursement - 1 Year
30780 10/13/202310/24	1/20231952	Morasch, Lynn	78.00	Library Reimbursement - 1 Year
572 21 49 00 Libra	ry Services	001 000 572 General Fund	78.00	Library Reimbursement - 1 Year
30788 10/16/202310/24	1/20235766	Multicare Cntr of Occupational Medicine	131.00	DOT Exams - 09/21/23 - Marez
534 10 20 01 Cont 535 10 20 01 Cont	ract Benefits - Storm ract Benefits - Wtr Adm ract Benefits - Sewer Ac ract Benefits - Street Re	415 000 531 Storm Drain 425 000 534 Water Fund (der 430 000 535 Sewer Fund (der 101 000 542 City Street Fund	32.75 32.75	DOT Exams - 09/21/23 - Marez DOT Exams - 09/21/23 - Marez DOT Exams - 09/21/23 - Marez DOT Exams - 09/21/23 - Marez
30789 10/16/202310/24	1/2023 10590	NW Court Consultants	47,520.00	P#75 Tennis Court Resurfacing & Striping
594 76 62 03 Build	lings & Structures - PBC	301 000 594 Park Bond Capit	47,520.00	P#75 Tennis Court Resurfacing & Striping
30735 10/12/202310/24	1/20232491	Neufeld, Brian	78.00	Library Reimbursement - 1 Year (Kristin)
572 21 49 00 Libra	ry Services	001 000 572 General Fund	78.00	Library Reimbursement - 1 Year (Kristin)
30801 10/16/202310/24	1/20238993	Pacific Office Automation - A/R	414.86	Copier Usage - 08/01/23-09/01/23
531 50 45 00 Oper 534 10 45 02 Oper 535 10 45 00 Oper 542 30 45 00 Oper 571 10 45 01 Oper 576 80 45 00 Oper 30813 10/17/202310/24		001 000 518 General Fund 415 000 531 Storm Drain 425 000 534 Water Fund (der 430 000 535 Sewer Fund (der 101 000 542 City Street Fund 001 000 571 General Fund 001 000 576 General Fund	10.30 10.30 10.29 10.30 62.45 6.94	City Hall 08/01/23-09/01/23 Storm 08/01/23-09/01/23 Water 08/01/23-09/01/23 Sewer 08/01/23-09/01/23 Street 08/01/23-09/01/23 Rec 08/01/23-09/01/23 Parks 08/01/23-09/01/23
548 65 31 13 Gas - 548 65 31 14 Gas -		501 000 548 Equipment Rent 501 000 548 Equipment Rent		Storm - 10/2023 W/S - 10/2023
30748 10/13/202310/24	1/20233986	Puget Sound Energy, BOT-01H	51.06	Natural Gas - PW - September 2023

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	531 50 47 02 Public Utility Services - Bldg	415 000 531 Storm Drain	12.76	Natural Gas - PW - September 2023
	534 10 47 00 Utility Services/Building - W	425 000 534 Water Fund (dex	12.76	Natural Gas - PW - September 2023
	535 10 47 00 Utility Services/Building - Se	430 000 535 Sewer Fund (der	12.77	
	542 30 47 02 Electricity & Gas/Bldg - Stre	101 000 542 City Street Fund	12.77	Natural Gas - PW - September 2023
30749	10/13/202310/24/20233986	Puget Sound Energy, BOT-01H	48.32	Natural Gas - City Hall September 2023
	518 30 47 00 Public Utility Services - City	001 000 518 General Fund	48.32	Natural Gas - City Hall September 2023
		Total Puget Sound Energy, BOT-01H	99.38	
30737	10/12/202310/24/20234683	Puyallup, City of	161.84	Jail Services - September 2023
	523 60 40 01 Jail	001 000 523 General Fund	161.84	Jail Services - September 2023
30736	10/12/202310/24/20234754	Reitz, Sheila	78.00	Library Reimbursement - 1 Year
	572 21 49 00 Library Services	001 000 572 General Fund	78.00	Library Reimbursement - 1 Year
30769	10/13/202310/24/20236823	Robblee's Total Security Inc	68.47	44th St. Lift Station Locks for New Panel
	535 50 31 01 Oper Supplies - Sewer Main	430 000 535 Sewer Fund (der	68.47	44th St. Lift Station Locks for New Panel
30731	10/10/202310/24/2023337	Roberts, Christopher	25.00	Gym Fees Reimbursement - September 2023
	521 22 20 00 Personnel Benefits - Police	001 000 521 General Fund	25.00	Gym Fees Reimbursement - September 2023
30747	10/13/202310/24/202310398	Rubke, Patricia	308.00	Barre Classes (Beginning Barre, Barre HIIT, Barre) 09/01/23-09/30/23
	571 20 49 06 Instructor Fees	001 000 571 General Fund	308.00	Barre Classes (Beginning Barre, Barre HIIT, Barre) 09/01/23-09/30/23
30716	10/10/202310/24/20234035	Sarco Supply	88.07	Janitorial Supplies - Rec Bldg
	571 10 31 04 Janitorial Supplies - Rec Bldo	001 000 571 General Fund	88.07	Janitorial Supplies - Rec Bldg
30760	10/13/202310/24/20234035	Sarco Supply	128.80	Janitorial Supplies - Public Works
	518 30 31 03 Oper Supplies - PWF	001 000 518 General Fund	128.80	Janitorial Supplies - Public Works
30761	10/13/202310/24/20234035	Sarco Supply	64.46	Operating Supplies - City Hall
	518 30 31 04 Oper Supplies - CH	001 000 518 General Fund	64.46	Operating Supplies - City Hall
30762	10/13/202310/24/20234035	Sarco Supply	64.46	Janitorial Supplies - Pool
	576 20 31 02 Janitorial Supplies - Pool	001 000 576 General Fund	64.46	Janitorial Supplies - Pool

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	Total Sarco Supply	345.79	
30754 10/13/202310/24/20236088	Sentinel Pest Control Inc	120.23	Pest Control - City Hall - 10/2023
518 30 48 02 Rep & Maint - City Hall	001 000 518 General Fund	120.23	Pest Control - City Hall - 10/2023
30771 10/13/202310/24/20234056	Sherwin-Williams Company	314.92	Solvent for Cleaning Street Painting Machines
542 30 31 02 Oper Supplies - Street Reg	101 000 542 City Street Fund	314.92	Solvent for Cleaning Street Painting Machines
30776 10/13/202310/24/20237308	SiteCrafting Inc	897.00	Monthly Hosting - CityofFircrest.net - July - September 2023
518 81 41 02 Web Design & Maintenance	001 000 518 General Fund	897.00	Monthly Hosting - CityofFircrest.net - July - September 2023
30777 10/13/202310/24/20237749	Sound Uniform Solutions Inc	33.09	Uniform Alterations - J Roberts
521 22 49 01 Uniforms/Clothing/Laundry	001 000 521 General Fund	33.09	Uniform Alterations - J Roberts
30795 10/16/202310/24/20235304	South Sound 911	32,742.50	4th Otr 2023 - SouthSound 911 Contract Services
521 22 41 02 Dispatching - Lesa 521 22 41 04 Records 521 22 41 05 IT Charges	001 000 521 General Fund 001 000 521 General Fund 001 000 521 General Fund	3,007.50	LE Communications Services 4th Qtr 2023 Records/Permitting Services 4th Qtr 2023 RMS & IT Support Services 4th Qtr 2023
30773 10/13/202310/24/20234084	Staples Business Advantage	559.23	Office Supplies - Admin, Central, Planning & Building
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30774 10/13/202310/24/20234084	Staples Business Advantage	73.24	Office Supplies - Police
521 22 31 00 Office & Oper Sup - Police	001 000 521 General Fund	73.24	Office Supplies - Police
30775 10/13/202310/24/20234084	Staples Business Advantage	37.97	Adjustable Desk Lamp
524 20 35 00 Small Tools & Equip - Buildi 558 60 35 00 Small Tools & Equip - Plann	001 000 524 General Fund 001 000 558 General Fund	18.98 18.99	Adjustable Desk Lamp Adjustable Desk Lamp
	Total Staples Business Advantage	670.44	

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576 20 49 02 Miscellaneous - Pool	001 000 576 General Fund	52.42	Linen Service 09/20/23 - Pool
30719 10/10/202310/24/20234110	Superior Linen Service	49.12	Linen Service 09/08/23 - Public Works
518 30 48 03 Rep & Maint - PW	001 000 518 General Fund	49.12	Linen Service 09/08/23 - Public Works
30720 10/10/202310/24/20234110	Superior Linen Service	49.12	Linen Service 09/22/23 - Public Works
518 30 48 03 Rep & Maint - PW	001 000 518 General Fund	49.12	Linen Service 09/22/23 - Public Works
30721 10/10/202310/24/20234110	Superior Linen Service	81.41	Linen Service 09/08/23 - City Hall
518 30 48 02 Rep & Maint - City Hall	001 000 518 General Fund	81.41	Linen Service 09/08/23 - City Hall
30722 10/10/202310/24/20234110	Superior Linen Service	81.41	Linen Service 09/22/23 - City Hall
518 30 48 02 Rep & Maint - City Hall	001 000 518 General Fund	81.41	Linen Service 09/22/23 - City Hall
30723 10/10/202310/24/20234110	Superior Linen Service	124.77	Linen Service 09/06/23 - Rec Center
518 30 48 01 Rep & Maint - Rec Bldg	001 000 518 General Fund	124.77	Linen Service 09/06/23 - Rec Center
30724 10/10/202310/24/20234110	Superior Linen Service	124.77	Linen Service 09/20/23 - Rec Center
518 30 48 01 Rep & Maint - Rec Bldg	001 000 518 General Fund	124.77	Linen Service 09/20/23 - Rec Center
30725 10/10/202310/24/20234110	Superior Linen Service	52.42	Linen Service 09/06/23 - Pool
576 20 49 02 Miscellaneous - Pool	001 000 576 General Fund	52.42	Linen Service 09/06/23 - Pool
	Total Superior Linen Service	615.44	
30738 10/12/202310/24/20234328	Systems for Public Safety Inc	273.03	#66367D 2018 Ford Interceptor - Replace Seatbelt
548 65 48 08 O & M - Police	501 000 548 Equipment Rent	273.03	#66367D 2018 Ford Interceptor - Replace Seatbelt
30739 10/12/202310/24/20234328	Systems for Public Safety Inc	819.56	#60943D - 2016 Ford Interceptor - LOF, Install Sea Cover, Perform 48,000 Service, 2-Stage Fuel/Induction Cleaning Service
548 65 48 08 O & M - Police	501 000 548 Equipment Rent	819.56	#60943D - 2016 Ford Interceptor - LOF, Install Seat Cover, Perform 48,000 Service, 2-Stage Fuel/Induction Cleaning Service
30740 10/12/202310/24/20234328	Systems for Public Safety Inc	309.23	#66367D 2018 Ford Interceptor - Replace Battery
548 65 48 08 O & M - Police	501 000 548 Equipment Rent	309.23	#66367D 2018 Ford Interceptor - Replace Battery

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30741 10/12/202310/24/20234328	Systems for Public Safety Inc	129.46	#71535D - 2021 Ford Interceptor - LOF, Mechanical & Emergency Equipment Safety Inspection
548 65 48 08 O & M - Police	501 000 548 Equipment Rent	129.46	#71535D - 2021 Ford Interceptor - LOF, Mechanical & Emergency Equipment Safety Inspection
	Total Systems for Public Safety Inc	1,531.28	
30772 10/13/202310/24/20234120	Tacoma Daily Index	35.63	September 2023 Publications
511 60 41 01 Advertising - Legisl	001 000 511 General Fund	35.63	Notice of Special City Council Meeting
30781 10/13/202310/24/20234133	Tacoma Rubber Stamp	45.21	Nameplate - M. Newman & E. Lane
558 60 31 00 Office & Oper Sup - Plannin	001 000 558 General Fund	45.21	Nameplate - M. Newman & E. Lane
30787 10/16/202310/24/20234133	Tacoma Rubber Stamp	48.47	Nametags - A. Kropelnicki & M. Newman
558 60 49 00 Miscellaneous - Planning 571 10 49 00 Miscellaneous - Rec	001 000 558 General Fund 001 000 571 General Fund		Nametags - M. Newman (2) Nametags - A. Kropelnicki
	Total Tacoma Rubber Stamp	93.68	
30785 10/13/202310/24/20234322	Tacoma, City of - POWER	10,484.74	Power - Various Locations - September 2023
518 30 47 00 Public Utility Services - City	001 000 518 General Fund	644.72	City Hall Power 09/2023
531 50 47 02 Public Utility Services - Bldg	415 000 531 Storm Drain	78.26	PW Power 09/2023
534 10 47 00 Utility Services/Building - W	425 000 534 Water Fund (der	78.26	PW Power 09/2023
534 80 47 01 Utility Services/Pumping	425 000 534 Water Fund (der	6,039.04	PW, Well #4, #6, #7, #8 & #9, Golf Course Tank 09/2023
535 10 47 00 Utility Services/Building - Se	430 000 535 Sewer Fund (der	78.26	PW Power 09/2023
535 80 47 01 Utility Services/Pumping	430 000 535 Sewer Fund (dep	1,038.78	Pumps/LS Power 09/2023
542 30 47 02 Electricity & Gas/Bldg - Stree	101 000 542 City Street Fund	78.26	PW Power 09/2023
542 30 47 03 Electricity/Traffic Lights	101 000 542 City Street Fund	41.92	Traffic Control 09/2023
542 63 47 00 Electricity/Street Lights	101 000 542 City Street Fund		Street Lights 09/2023
548 65 47 00 Utility Services/Building - Sh	· ·	33.84	F&E Garage Power 09/2023
571 10 47 00 Public Utility Services - Rec	001 000 571 General Fund		Rec Center Power 09/2023
576 80 47 00 Public Utility Services - Parks	001 000 576 General Fund	85.57	Parks Power - 09/2023
30784 10/13/202310/24/20234139	Tapco Visa Card	2,031.80	Charges thru 10/15/23
513 10 31 00 Office & Oper Sup - Admin	001 000 513 General Fund		Box.com Annual License Fee (8/5/23-8/4/24)
518 10 49 00 Miscellaneous - Non Dept	001 000 518 General Fund	50.00	Annual Fee - Tapco

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30743 10/13/202310/24/202310212	Triple Impact Coaching LLC	1,102.50	Basketball Clinic - Wednesday Workouts 09/06/23-09/27/23
571 20 49 06 Instructor Fees	001 000 571 General Fund	1,102.50	Basketball Clinic - Wednesday Workouts 09/06/23-09/27/23
30808 10/16/202310/24/20238484	US Bank, Recreation Dept Account	914.14	P-Card Charges thru 10/15/23
571 10 31 02 Senior Program Supplies 571 10 41 00 Senior Trips 573 90 49 01 Community Events	001 000 571 General Fund 001 000 571 General Fund 001 000 573 General Fund	23.25	Senior Morning Supplies Senior Trip Supplies Community Event Supplies
30815 10/17/202310/24/20234172	Union 76 Royal	56.83	#71536 Gas/Fuel - 08/16/2023 (Card Not Working)
548 65 31 08 Gas - Police	501 000 548 Equipment Rent	56.83	#71536 Gas/Fuel - 08/16/2023 (Card Not Working)
30816 10/17/202310/24/20234172	Union 76 Royal	54.21	#60452 Gas/Fuel - 08/09/2023 (Card Not Working)
548 65 31 08 Gas - Police	501 000 548 Equipment Rent	54.21	#60452 Gas/Fuel - 08/09/2023 (Card Not Working)
	Total Union 76 Royal	111.04	
30766 10/13/202310/24/20239253	University Place Tire & Auto	81.88	#55697D - LOF & Reset Maintenance Light
548 65 31 06 Gas - Facilities	501 000 548 Equipment Rent	81.88	#55697D - LOF & Reset Maintenance Light
30711 10/09/202310/24/202310335	Viafore, David	3.47	11-00260.4 - 1301 CONTRA COSTA AVE
343 50 00 00 Sewer Revenues	430 000 340 Sewer Fund (dex	-3.47	
30786 10/13/202310/24/202310040	WECI	1,393.87	Alameda St L/S Pump Repair - Parts, Labor and Travel
535 50 48 00 Rep & Maint - Sewer Maint	430 000 535 Sewer Fund (dex	1,393.87	Alameda St L/S Pump Repair - Parts, Labor and Travel
30764 10/13/202310/24/20234231	Water Mgmt Labs Inc	105.00	Coliform Testing - September 2023 - Well #7 Start Up
534 80 41 00 Water Testing	425 000 534 Water Fund (deț	105.00	Coliform Testing - September 2023 - Well #7 Start Up
30767 10/13/202310/24/20234231	Water Mgmt Labs Inc	42.00	Fluoride Testing - 08/22/2023
534 80 41 00 Water Testing	425 000 534 Water Fund (dex	42.00	Fluoride Testing - 08/22/2023

# **ACCOUNTS PAYABLE**

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#### CALL TO ORDER, PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE, AND ROLL CALL

Mayor Brett L. Wittner called the regular meeting to order at 7:00 P.M. and led the Pledge of Allegiance. Councilmembers David M. Viafore, Shannon Reynolds, Hunter T. George, Nikki Bufford, and Jim Andrews were present. Councilmember Joe Barrentine was absent and excused.

#### PRESIDING OFFICER'S REPORT

#### A. Police Chief Schaub Introduction & Swearing In Ceremony

City Manager Masko introduced Police Chief Schaub and stated that he has over 28 years of law enforcement experience and knowledge. Police Chief Schaub stated that he is excited at the opportunity and briefed the Council on his community policing principles. Mayor Wittner swore in Ronald Schaub as the Fircrest Police Chief.

#### **B.** Centennial Committee Appointments

Mayor Wittner briefed the Council on the Centennial Committee formation and stated that the Steering Committee members are appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the Council. Councilmember Bufford MOVED to confirm the Mayor's appointments to the City of Fircrest Centennial Celebration Steering Committee as follows: Councilmember David Viafore as the Committee Chair, Councilmember Shannon Reynolds, Councilmember Nikki Bufford, City Manager Dawn Masko, Parks & Recreation Director Jeff Grover, and Events Coordinator Judy Schmidtke; seconded by Councilmember Viafore. Mayor Wittner invited Councilmember comment; none were provided. Mayor Wittner invited public comment; none were provided.

# The Motion Carried (6-0).

#### CITY MANAGER COMMENTS

City Manager Masko reported on the Centennial Committee's responsibilities, the Municipal Court's new case management system, and the Pierce County City Manager's meeting.

#### A. Council Photo Discussion

Acting City Clerk Burkhart reported on the Council group photo and asked for Council feedback on setting a date. Council discussions included the necessity for a group photo, November dates, photo placement, and logistics.

#### **DEPARTMENT HEAD COMMENTS**

- Public Works Director Bemis provided an update on the City's heating, ventilation, and air conditioning (HVAC) system, Masko Park beautification, the Eldorado Ave/ Farallone Ave backyard sewer main pipe bursting project, and stated that the department is monitoring sanitary sewer flows.
- Community Development Director Newman reported on the City's 2030 target growth cycles, reviewed the Mildred Street "Prose" Development documents, and continues to work on grants to comply with recent state-mandated laws. There was a brief discussion on identifying zoning districts and building blocks for population growth.
- Project Coordinator Bob Jean commented on the City's proposed Inflow and Infiltration (I&I) program, highlighting that the program will help reduce waste overflows and stated that Alliance Residential has voluntarily contributed funds to the project.

 Parks and Recreation Director Grover provided an update on the Fircrest Park improvement project, upcoming City events, and the October 7, 2023, Whittier Park work party collaboration with Pierce County Conservation District. There was a brief discussion on Haunted Trails volunteers.

## **COUNCILMEMBER COMMENTS**

- Councilmember Andrews: no comment.
- Councilmember Bufford thanked City Manager Masko for the City Manager's weekly updates, commented on providing stormwater management outreach, and provided feedback on the Comprehensive Plan community workshop.
- Councilmember George welcomed Police Chief Schaub, congratulated the Centennial Committee members, welcomed Community Development Director Newman, and commented on climate model policies.
- Councilmember Reynolds reported on a follow-up comment from the Comprehensive Plan community workshop event and stated that it provided good ideas for the City.
- Councilmember Viafore thanked staff for the Comprehensive Plan community workshop, commented on the facilities liaison, and welcomed Police Chief Schaub and Community Development Director Newman.
- Mayor Wittner welcomed the Police Chief and thanked the meeting attendees.

## PUBLIC COMMENTS FOR ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA

Mayor Wittner invited public comment. The following individuals provided public comment:

- Vince Navarre, 1205 Del Monte Ave, thanked Mayor Wittner for helping him.
- Former Councilmember, Jerry Foss, 1101 Paradise Parkway, commented on the Mildred Street "Prose" Development and the status of remediation.

## COMMITTEE, COMMISSION, AND LIAISON REPORTS

# A. Parks & Recreation

There was no report.

## **B.** Pierce County Regional Council

Councilmember Reynolds reported on several agenda items including aviation system capacity discussions, Pierce County emergency planning, South Sound military partnership, and budget presentation. Councilmember Reynolds stated that PCRC will have a December recess and officer elections will occur in November.

#### C. Public Safety, Courts

Councilmember Viafore reported on Judge Miller's transition plan and the Fircrest Municipal Court bailiff issue. Councilmember Viafore commented that City staff is working on providing the Council with a proposal for the judge's transition.

## D. Street, Water, Sewer, and Storm Drain

Councilmember Bufford provided an update on the Emerson Street stormwater project, the Emerson Street sidewalk extension project, and the Claremont Well house repair/replacement status.

# E. Other Liaison Reports

Councilmember Andrews commented on the Pierce Transit Liaison reports. Councilmember Reynolds provided a brief update on the Pierce Transit board to include labor negotiations, bus rapid transit, and electrical vehicle options.

#### CONSENT CALENDAR

Mayor Wittner requested the Acting City Clerk read the Consent Calendar:

- A. Approval of Check No. 220154 through 220219 in the amount of \$189,145.78 Approval of payroll electronic funds transfer in the amount of \$139,164.48
- B. Approval of the September 12, 2023, Regular Meeting minutes.

Councilmember Bufford MOVED to approve the Consent Calendar as read; seconded by Councilmember Viafore. Councilmember Andrews requested to remove item 10B. Approval of the September 12, 2023, Regular Meeting minutes.

## The Motion to Approve the Consent Calendar Carried (6-0) as amended.

Councilmember Andrews stated he would contact City staff for clarity.

#### **PUBLIC HEARING**

There was no public hearing scheduled.

#### UNFINISHED BUSINESS

There was no unfinished business.

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

## A. Resolution No. 1846: Pierce County Department of Assigned Counsel

City Manager Masko provided an overview of the proposed resolution and highlighted that the agreement extends the contract through December 31, 2025, and updates the compensation. Councilmember Bufford MOVED to adopt Resolution No. 1846, authorizing the City Manager to execute an agreement for Public Defense Services with Pierce County for indigent legal defense services; seconded by Councilmember Viafore. Mayor Wittner invited Councilmember comment. There was a brief discussion on the 2024 budget. Mayor Wittner invited public comment; none were provided.

## The Motion Carried (6-0).

# B. Resolution No. 1847: Memorandum of Understanding: Fircrest Parks & Recreation Foundation

City Manager Masko provided an overview of the proposed resolution and highlighted that the grants from the Fircrest Parks & Recreation Foundation will help expand the recreational

programs and activities. Councilmember Bufford MOVED to adopt Resolution No. 1847, authorizing the City Manager to execute a Memorandum of Understanding Between the City of Fircrest and the Fircrest Parks and Recreation Foundation; seconded by Viafore. Mayor Wittner invited Councilmember comment. There was a brief discussion on the effort and time invested to formalize the relationship between the City and the Foundation. Mayor Wittner invited public comment.

• Andrew Imholt, 1009 Crestwood Lane, thanked the City Council and City Manager Masko for formally establishing the relationship.

# The Motion Carried (6-0).

# C. Resolution No. 1848: Leavitt Group Insurance Broker Contract Amendment

City Manager Masko reported on the proposed resolution and highlighted that the Cities Insurance Association of Washington (CIAW) requires the City to designate a servicing representative. City Manager Masko stated that if the City did not designate a servicing representative, then the City would be billed 10% of the annual cost for insurance by CIAW. Councilmember Bufford MOVED to adopt Resolution No. 1848, authorizing the City Manager to execute Amendment #12 to the agreement with Leavitt Group NW for insurance broker services; seconded by Councilmember Andrews. Mayor Wittner invited Councilmember comment. There was a brief discussion about the City's insurance representative. Mayor Wittner invited public comment; none were provided.

# The Motion Carried (4-2) with Councilmember Viafore and Councilmember Reynolds dissenting.

## D. 2024 Preliminary Budget Presentation

Finance Director Colleen presented the 2024 proposed budget to the Council and stated that hard copies are available at City Hall. She highlighted the 2024 budget session schedule and impacts on the budget to include a Consumer Price Index of 4.5%, a Tacoma Fire contract increase, a 1% property tax increase, and ARPA funds.

Mayor Wittner asked the Council if there were any other new business items.

Councilmember Viafore invoked Fircrest City Council Rule 18. Rules of Order and introduced the motion to suspension of temporary sign enforcement for Council consideration. Councilmember Viafore MOVED to suspend the enforcement of the Temporary Signs Ordinance No. 22.26.021 effective September 26, 2023, for 45 days; seconded by Councilmember Reynolds. Mayor Wittner invited Councilmember comment. Council discussions included restrictions on rights and potential litigation, sign code updates, staff impacts, the appearance of selective enforcement, City code concern complaints, fine enforcement, free speech, and the intent of the adopted sign code. Mayor Wittner invited public comment.

- Vince Navarre, 1205 Del Monte Ave, expressed concern about the sign code enforcement suspension and commented on the appearance of fairness.
- Nancy Atwood, 1204 Farallone Ave, commented on the sign's appearance and proximity and code violations.

#### SEPTEMBER 26, 2023 FIRCREST CITY COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES – REGULAR 5

There was a brief discussion on public discussions, elected official commitments to constituents, and temporary sign restrictions.

Councilmember Reynolds requested a roll call vote: Councilmember Andrews-No; Councilmember Bufford – No; Councilmember George – No; Councilmember Reynolds – No; Councilmember Viafore - Yes; Mayor Wittner – No.

Upon a roll call vote, The Motion Failed (5-1) with Councilmember Viafore dissenting.

#### **CALL FOR FINAL COMMENTS**

There were no final comments.

#### **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

At 8:48 P.M., Mayor Wittner reported that the Council would take a seven-minute recess and convene into two executive sessions, not to exceed sixty (60) minutes to discuss Potential Litigation, pursuant to RCW 42.30.110(1)(i) and Property Acquisition pursuant to RCW 42.30.110(1)(b). City Attorney Zeinemann and City Manager Masko were invited to the executive sessions.

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

Councilmember Bufford MOVED to adjourn the meeting at 9:28 P.M.; seconded by Councilmember Andrews. The Motion Carried (6-0).

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#### CALL TO ORDER, PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE, AND ROLL CALL

Mayor Brett L. Wittner called the special meeting to order at 6:00 P.M. and led the Pledge of Allegiance. Councilmembers David M. Viafore, Shannon Reynolds, Joe Barrentine, Nikki Bufford, and Jim Andrews were present. Councilmember Hunter T. George was absent.

#### AGENDA MODIFICATIONS

There were none.

#### PRELIMINARY 2024 BUDGET

Finance Director Corcoran presented the Preliminary 2024 Budget General Fund overview, which included personnel changes, capital projects, and transfers. Finance Director Corcoran highlighted that the preliminary budget reflects a 4.5 percent cost of living adjustment increase for all employees based on the Consumer Price Index (CPI). 2023 Personnel changes include the addition of a Community Development Directory and City Clerk, and the deletion of the Administrative Services Director. The 2024 proposed budget does not include, but staff is recommending the request for an additional Recreational Specialist and a part-time Accountant II.

There was a brief discussion on the benefits and cost breakdown for the personnel changes.

Finance Director Corcoran briefed the Council on City staff's recommended uses for the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funds. Council discussions included on going costs associated with ARPA purchases, the City's heating, ventilation, and air conditioning (HVAC) system, and the police vehicle dash cameras. There was a Council consensus to have a special meeting for an ARPA funds discussion and have staff provide additional information for ongoing costs on suggested ARPA purchases.

Councilmember Barrentine left the Council Chambers at 6:41 P.M. and returned to the meeting at 6:43 P.M.

Finance Director Corcoran presented the Equipment Repair and Replacement (ERR) Fund overview and highlighted the replacement of three police vehicles and 14 computers.

Finance Director Corcoran highlighted the 2024 capital projects including the City's time and temperature sign upgrade project, City Hall alarm system upgrade, and dash cameras and patrol rifle noise suppressions.

Councilmember George joined the meeting at 6:57 P.M.

Discussions included the Council Chamber's audio-visual equipment upgrade, police vehicles, and the alarm system in the ERR fund. There was a discussion held on the lower business district light standards.

Finance Director Corcoran highlighted General Fund revenue changes, stating the property tax line, retail sales tax, and other tax revenues increased. Pool and recreation revenue increases are

based on the pool season usage analysis. Lastly, the investment interest increases are based on the current market and cumulative reserve loan.

She highlighted major general fund expenditure changes. Administration changes include a decrease in professional services due to City Manager recruitment and an Acting City Manager contract in 2023. Non-departmental changes include a transfer out of ARPA funds to Water Capital. Police changes include a decrease in professional services due to the Police Chief recruitment and Interim Police Chief contract. There was an increase in Fire and Emergency Management Systems of 4.5 percent due to an increase in CPI. Recreation changes include an increase in instructor-based expenses and an increase in donations.

Discussions included the Mildred Street development revenue, assessment of the public safety building, service levels from the Building Official, City's centennial funding, community events, and police vehicles.

Finance Director Corcoran highlighted the Park Bond Debt Service Fund and Park Bond Capital Fund changes. There was a brief discussion on the Fircrest Park maintenance facility.

Finance Director Corcoran stated that the 2024 Real Estate Excise Tax Fund included revenue for REET-I and REET-II estimated at \$150,000 each and a transfer to Street Fund for capital projects.

The Cumulative Reserve Fund will receive its last loan payments and the interest will go into the General Fund.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

Councilmember Bufford MOVED to adjourn the meeting at 7:56 P.M., seconded by Councilmember Barrentine. <u>The Motion Carried (7-0)</u>.

# CALL TO ORDER, PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE, AND ROLL CALL

Mayor Brett L. Wittner called the regular meeting to order at 7:00 P.M. and led the Pledge of Allegiance. Councilmembers Shannon Reynolds, Joe Barrentine, Hunter T. George, Nikki Bufford, and Jim Andrews were present. Councilmember David M. Viafore was absent and excused.

## PRESIDING OFFICER'S REPORT

# A. Police Chief Schaub Pinning Ceremony

City Manager Masko reported on the Police Chief's ceremonial badge pinning.

# B. Appointment of Streets, Facilities, & Equipment Council Liaison

Mayor Wittner appointed Councilmember Bufford as the Streets, Facilities, & Equipment Council liaison. There were no objections noted from the Council.

#### **CITY MANAGER COMMENTS**

City Manager Masko reported on the International City/County Management Association (ICMA) conference and thanked the Council for their support. City Manager Masko also reported on the upcoming budget sessions, the Maintenance Worker I position, and the Council photo date.

#### DEPARTMENT HEAD COMMENTS

- Public Works Director Bemis reported on the Claremont Street Well House damage, the Emerson Street sidewalk project, the Regents Blvd overlay project, and a city building energy audit.
- Parks and Recreation Director Grover provided a status update on the Fircrest Park Improvement project and reported on important dates. There was a brief discussion on community engagement and outreach.
- Police Chief Schaub reported on various departmental items to include police vehicle lead times, rifle suppression lifespan, the Fircrest Civil Service Rules, and provided an update on staffing. There was a brief discussion on the Fircrest Police Department non-emergency number.
- Community Development Director Newman reported on the Mildred Street development "Prose", the comprehensive plan update, and a permit fee schedule update.

## **COUNCILMEMBER COMMENTS**

- Councilmember Andrews; no comment.
- Councilmember Bufford; no comment.
- Councilmember George; no comment.
- Councilmember Reynolds; no comment.
- Councilmember Barrentine; no comment.
- Mayor Wittner commented on the Wainwright Intermediate School tree issue.

#### PUBLIC COMMENTS FOR ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA

Mayor Wittner invited public comment. There were no public comments.

## COMMITTEE, COMMISSION, AND LIAISON REPORTS

#### A. Administration

Councilmember Andrews provided kudos to City Manager Masko and reported that the administration is dealing with personnel issues.

# B. Environmental, Planning, and Building

Councilmember George provided kudos to Community Development Director Newman.

## C. Finance, IT, Facilities

Councilmember Reynolds reported that the Finance department is working on the 2024 budget.

# D. Other Liaison Reports

Councilmember George reported on the South Sound Housing Affordability Partners' (SSHAP) executive board meeting.

#### **CONSENT CALENDAR**

Mayor Wittner requested the Acting City Clerk read the Consent Calendar:

- A. Approval of Check No. 220220 through 220285 in the amount of \$120,771.59 Approval of Check No. 14290 through 14298 in the amount of \$8,882.42 Approval of Check No. 14299 through 14305 in the amount of \$59,463.14 Approval of payroll electronic funds transfer in the amount of \$143,798.77
- B. Registering no objections to Rollin' 253 Liquor License Application
- C. Approval of the September 18, 2023, Special Meeting minutes

Councilmember Bufford MOVED to approve the Consent Calendar as read; seconded by Councilmember Barrentine.

## The Motion Carried (6-0).

## **PUBLIC HEARING**

There was none scheduled.

#### **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

There was none.

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

#### A. End of Pool Season Summary

Parks and Recreation Director Grover provided an update on the Fircrest pool 2023 end-of-season to include pool revenue, cost recovery, program offerings, and pool party room rentals. Council discussions included staffing salaries and wages, lifeguard retention, parking issues, and extending the pool season.

## B. Alliance/ Prose Project Memorandum of Understanding Discussion

Project Coordinator Bob Jean reported on the proposed Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between the City and Alliance and highlighted that the MOU provides for a voluntary contribution

towards the City's Inflow and Infiltration (I&I) program. Mayor Wittner invited Councilmember comment; none were provided.

# C. Comprehensive Plan Vision Statement Discussion

Project Coordinator Bob Jean reported that the discussion will be brought back to the Council at a later date.

# D. Resolution No. 1849: KBH Change Order

Parks and Recreation Director Grover provided an overview of the proposed resolution and highlighted that the change order will include the removal of unexpected buried objects around the perimeter of the pool house. Councilmember Bufford MOVED to adopt Resolution No. 1849, authorizing the City Manager to execute a contract change order for additional construction services for the Fircrest Park Athletic Fields Improvement project with KBH Construction Co.; seconded by Councilmember Reynolds. Mayor Wittner invited Councilmember comment. There was a brief discussion on conducting due diligence. Mayor Wittner invited public comment; none were provided.

# The Motion Carried (5-1), with Councilmember Andrews dissenting.

#### CALL FOR FINAL COMMENTS

There were no final comments.

#### **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

There was none scheduled.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

Councilmember Barrentine MOVED to adjourn the meeting at 7:59 P.M., seconded by Councilmember Bufford. <u>The Motion Carried (6-0)</u>.

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Brett L. Wittner, Mayor	
Arlette Burkhart, Acting City Clerk	

# FIRCREST CITY COUNCIL AGENDA SUMMARY

**NEW BUSINESS:** 2024 Public Hearing-Preliminary Expenditures

**ITEM:** 11A

**DATE:** October 24, 2023

FROM: Colleen Corcoran, Finance Director

# **RECOMMENDED MOTION: None. Public Hearing Only.**

**PROPOSAL:** To receive public input on 2024 Preliminary Expenditures

## **FISCAL IMPACT:**

General	
Street	2,315,346
Park Bond Debt Service	602,303
Park Bond Capital	3,225,655
Storm Drain	
Storm Drain Capital	823,178
Water	
Water Capital	517,988
Sewer	3,939,150
Sewer Capital	1,489,792
Equipment Replacement	2,499,012
Police Investigation	
Real Estate Excise Tax	3,161,372
Cumulative Reserve	2,750,000

TOTAL......35,704,351

**ADVANTAGE:** Allows citizens to comment on 2024 Preliminary Expenditures.

**DISADVANTAGE:** None.

# FIRCREST CITY COUNCIL AGENDA SUMMARY

NEW BUSINESS: 2024 Public Hearing-Preliminary Revenue

ITEM: 11B

**DATE:** October 24, 2023

FROM: Colleen Corcoran, Finance Director

# **RECOMMENDED MOTION: None. Public Hearing Only.**

**PROPOSAL:** To receive public input on 2024 Preliminary Revenues

# **FISCAL IMPACT:**

General	11,977,925
Street	2,315,346
Park Bond Debt Service	
Park Bond Capital	
Storm Drain	
Storm Drain Capital	
Water	
Water Capital	
Sewer	
Sewer Capital	, ,
Equipment Replacement	
Police Investigation	
Real Estate Excise Tax	-
Cumulative Reserve	, , ,
TOTAL	35 70 <i>4</i> 351

**ADVANTAGE:** Allows citizens to comment on 2024 Preliminary Revenues.

**DISADVANTAGE:** None.

**ALTERNATIVIES: None.** 

**Attachment(s): 2024 Preliminary Revenues** 

# **GENERAL FUND REVENUE**

		2021	2022	2023	2024
DADO	Description				
BARS	Description Assistant DEB. Limit	Actual	Actual	Budget	Budget
308-51-00-01	Assigned BFB - Light	557,005	528,647	502,126	449,446
308-51-00-02	Assigned BFB - 44th Alameda	661,838	618,529	568,395	498,395
308-31-00-01	Restricted BFB - ARPA	0	473,948	800,393	320,669
308-91-00-01	Reserved for Cash Flow	1,400,000	1,400,000	1,400,000	1,925,000
308-91-00-01	Unassigned BFB - General	1,581,595	1,739,401	2,290,833	1,371,210
	Total Fund Balance	4,200,438	4,760,526	5,561,747	4,564,720
311-10-00-00	General Property Taxes	1,605,399	1,632,421	1,699,415	1,717,295
311-10-01-00	EMS Taxes	537,960	555,560	562,040	568,017
313-11-00-00	Retail Sales & Use Tax	775,139	775,647	775,000	785,000
313-17-00-00	Zoo Tax	87,889	96,323	90,000	95,000
313-71-00-00	Local Criminal Justice Tax	159,046	172,801	165,000	175,000
316-40-00-00	Water Utility Tax	84,878	84,170	89,600	89,600
316-41-00-00	Sewer Utility Tax	164,247	165,447	167,015	167,015
316-42-00-01	Storm Drain Utility Tax	30,353	30,401	31,584	31,584
316-43-00-00	Gas Utility Tax	108,776	122,015	120,000	150,000
316-45-00-00	Garbage/Solid Waste Tax	123,081	132,958	138,000	147,000
316-46-00-00	Television Cable Tax	135,596	150,139	135,000	150,000
316-47-00-00	Telephone/Telegraph Tax	79,051	58,681	60,000	60,000
	Total Taxes	3,891,414	3,976,561	4,032,654	4,135,511
321-91-00-01	Non-Comp Charge/Electric	291,649	228,446	320,000	330,000
321-91-00-02	Franchise Fee Water	7,404	7,277	7,500	7,500
321-91-00-03	Franchise Fee Cable TV	113,219	124,993	125,000	125,000
321-99-00-00	Business Licenses & Permits	61,411	58,739	62,000	62,000
322-10-00-00	Building Permit	39,796	36,248	30,000	35,000
322-10-00-01	Mechanical Permit	7,835	9,273	8,000	8,000
322-10-00-02	Plumbing Permit	3,220	5,250	5,000	5,000
322-10-00-05	Sign Permit	950	600	500	500
322-10-00-06	Investigation Fee	864	1,661	1,000	1,000
322-10-00-07	Fire Protection Permit	1,000	450	500	500
322-90-00-00	Other Licenses & Permits (Alarm)	355	175	500	500
	Total Licenses & Permits	527,704	473,112	560,000	575,000
332-92-10-00	ARPA Grant	954,920	504,920	0	0
333-20-60-00	Reimb - St of WA (Fed Passthru)	4,443	7,443	27,000	8,000
334-00-30-00	State Grant From Secretary of State	0	12,352	0	0
334-01-20-00	State Grant From AOC	850	0	0	0
334-04-20-00	State Grant From Dept of Commerce	0	0	62,500	62,500
336-00-98-00	City Assistance	167,275	139,076	170,000	150,000
336-06-21-00	CJ Population	2,258	2,473	2,600	2,750
336-06-26-00	CJ Special Programs	35,132	8,768	9,165	9,770
336-06-42-00	Marijuana Excise Tax	8,925	11,653	10,000	13,000
336-06-51-00	DUI-Cities	1,124	824	1,000	1,000
336-06-94-00	Liquor Excise Tax	48,081	50,870	49,495	52,310
336-06-95-00	Liquor Board Profits	42,917	44,642	55,195	54,625
336-06-95-01	Liquor Board Profits - Public Safety	10,729	11,160	11,000	11,000
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	Total Intergovernmental Revenues	1,276,655	794,180	397,955	364,955
341-43-00-00	Interdepartmental Service Chg	675,145	755,019	755,622	768,164
341-49-00-00	Ruston Court Contract	238,360	242,000	254,100	265,535
341-99-00-00	Passport Fees	34,160	52,290	50,000	54,000
342-40-00-00	Special Inspection Fees	0	200	0	0
345-81-00-01	Planning Permit	7,977	26,054	13,000	26,000
345-81-00-02	Site Development Permit	204	1,654	2,000	3,000
345-83-00-00	Plan Checking	20,917	16,890	18,000	25,000
347-30-00-00	Swimming Pool Fees	111,516	165,709	150,000	185,000
347-30-00-02	Swim Team Fees	7,635	7,025	7,000	7,000
347-30-00-04	Recreation Fees	2,212	30,448	20,000	35,000
347-30-00-10	Participation Fees-Adult	0	1,630	4,500	4,000
347-60-00-12	Participation Fees-Youth	31,460	44,630	40,800	45,000
347-60-00-09	Instructor Based Revenue	2,420	36,008	45,000	45,000
347-60-00-10	Swimming Instruction Fees	54,999	47,532	64,000	55,000
347-60-00-11	Instructor Based Revenue - Pool	0	0	1,500	500
	Total Charges for Goods & Services	1,187,005	1,427,089	1,425,522	1,518,199
353-10-00-01	Municipal Court	224,687	178,929	200,000	200,000
356-50-00-00	Investigative Fund Assessments	1,908	1,565	2,000	2,000
356-50-04-00	DUI Invest Fund Assessments	2,197	1,497	1,800	1,800
	Total Fines & Forfeits	228,792	181,991	203,800	203,800
361-11-00-01	Investment Interest - General	7,424	98,053	192,418	335,000
361-40-00-01	Sales Interest	514	830	500	4,000
361-40-00-03	Int On Gen Property Taxes	149	2,028	500	5,000
361-40-00-04	Int On EMS Property Taxes	31	416	100	1,000
361-40-00-04	Interest Payment from PCBF	0	11,500	0	0
362-40-00-00	Rental Revenue - Space & Facility	2,000	38,296	60,000	80,000
362-40-00-01	Rental Revenue - Soccer Field	0	10,983	5,200	5,200
362-40-00-02	Rental Revenue - Cancellation Fees	0	40	0	0
362.40.00.03	Rental Rvenue - Recreation Equipment	0	0	0	2,000
362-50-00-01	Land Rental - Gen Fund Property	77,830	82,730	90,595	94,675
362-50-00-02	Land Rental - ERR Garage	4,300	4,570	5,000	5,225
362-50-00-03	Rental Revenue - Time/Temp Sign	2,640	2,640	2,640	2,640
362-50-00-04	Rental Revenue - Pool	5,430	7,969	15,000	8,000
362-50-00-07	Rental Revenue - Pool Party Room	6,283	11,876	5,000	16,000
367-00-00-02	Donations - Parks	39,548	36,490	25,000	40,000
367-00-00-03	Donations - Police	8,564	14,800	9,000	10,000
367-00-00-10	Donations - Fireworks	1,140	1,270	1,000	2,000
367-00-00-11	Private Grants	0	15,168	0	
369-10-00-00	Sale of Surplus - General	692	0	0	
369-40-00-00	Judgements and Settlements	0	50	0	
369-81-00-00	Cash Over/Short	22	(70)	0	
369-81-00-01	Cash Over/Short - Pool	(51)	0	0	
369-91-00-01	Other Misc Revenue - General	299	2,942	500	5,000
	Total Misc Revenue	156,816	342,581	412,453	615,740
	<b>Total Operating Revenue</b>	7,268,385	7,195,514	7,032,384	7,413,205

382-10-00-00 382-10-00-01	Refundable Deposits Permit Deposits	4,412 (7,400)	14,969 2,102	0	0
		(7,400)	,	Ū	Ū
382-10-00-02	Rec Household Credit	0	250	0	0
398-10-00-01	Insurance Recovery Non Capital	0	9,989	0	0
	TOTAL RESOURCES	11,465,835	11,983,350	12,594,131	11,977,925

# **General Fund Revenue Sources**

This summary describes each of the major General Fund revenue sources in the 2024 budget.

# **Beginning Fund Balance**

The Beginning Fund Balance is the estimate of the amount of cash and investments on hand in the General Fund at the beginning of each year. The City continues to maintain its target General Fund reserve.

## **Taxes**

<u>General Property Taxes</u> include anticipated revenue from new construction provided by the Pierce County Assessor-Treasurer's office. The 1% inflationary increase for general property taxes allowed by state law is included in the budget assumptions for tax year 2024.

EMS Taxes fund emergency medical services. The current EMS levy was passed by voters in 2020. 2024 is the  $4^{th}$  year of the six-year levy.

<u>Retail Sales & Use Taxes</u> are collected from customers of businesses operating within Fircrest city limits. The State collects and distributes sales tax on the sale of most consumer goods (except most food products), some services, and construction. The amount of sales tax fluctuates annually due to changes in the economy, the buying habits of consumers, and the level of construction taking place in the City.

Zoo/Trek Authority Sales Tax was established in 2001 to support the Point Defiance Zoo & Aquarium, Northwest Trek Wildlife Park, and local parks in Pierce County. The City receives a portion of this sales tax to help fund our park system.

<u>Criminal Justice Sales Tax</u> is levied by Pierce County to support criminal justice programs. The State collects this tax and distributes a portion to cities and towns based on population. The revenue must be used exclusively for criminal justice purposes.

<u>Utility Taxes</u> are imposed by the City on the gross income of various utility services provided within the boundaries of the City. A listing of utility tax rates is included in the back of the budget document. These rates vary from 3% to 8.5%.

#### **Licenses & Permits**

<u>Non-Competition Charge</u> is the amount that the City collects as a non-compete fee from Tacoma Public Utilities and is based on Tacoma's gross electric revenues for electrical services located in Fircrest for the preceding year times six percent (6%).

<u>Cable TV Franchise Fees</u> are received from the two cable companies that provide services to the City of Fircrest. The fees are levied at a rate of 5% of gross revenues on private utilities for the right to use public properties.

<u>Business Licenses & Permits</u> are received from businesses operating within Fircrest city limits. The City has partnered with the Washington State Department of Revenue (DOR) to provide one source for business licenses and renewals.

<u>Development Fees</u> are charged for building permits, mechanical permits, plumbing permits, and sign permits. Fees imposed for permits are based on project valuation for new and remodeling construction activity in Fircrest.

## **Intergovernmental Revenue**

Intergovernmental revenues consist of federal, state, and local grants as well as State Shared revenues. State Shared revenues consist of taxes collected by other jurisdictions, which the City receives a portion of based primarily on a per capita basis. The City's population, as determined by the Office of Financial Management for state-shared revenue distributions, is 7,235.

<u>Federal Pass-thru Grants</u> are grants from the federal government that are distributed through a state agency. This line item includes \$8,000 for Police reimbursable overtime.

<u>State Grants</u> are grants received from Washington State. This line item includes \$62,500 for the second half of a Department of Commerce grant for the Comprehensive Plan Update.

<u>City-County Assistance</u> is received from the Department of Revenue and provides ongoing assistance to low tax-base cities and counties. The distribution is based on per capita sales tax revenues and property tax-assessed values.

<u>Criminal Justice Shared Revenues</u> are distributed based partially on crime rates as well as on a per capita basis. These funds are required to be spent on some combination of innovative law enforcement programs, domestic violence prevention programs, and/or child abuse prevention programs.

<u>Marijuana Excise Tax</u> is distributed to cities, towns, and counties based on a complex formula with a "per capita share" to cities, towns, and counties that allow the siting of producers, processors, and retailers.

<u>Liquor Excise Tax</u> is collected by the State, with 35% of collections being distributed to counties, cities, and towns based on populations (less a permanent transfer to the state general fund).

<u>Liquor Board Profits</u> are collected by the State in the form of license fees from distributors and retailers. The City must devote at least 2% of its liquor profits distribution to support an approved alcohol or drug addiction program, as well as enhanced public safety programs.

#### **Charges for Good and Services**

<u>Interdepartmental Service Charges</u> are for services performed by the General Fund for Street, Storm Drain, Water, and Sewer Funds. The charges are determined on a percentage basis of operating expenditure budgeted.

<u>Ruston Court Contract</u> is revenue received from the City of Ruston for court-contracted services performed by the City of Fircrest Municipal Court.

<u>Passport Fees</u> are the City's share of revenue for processing passport applications.

<u>Development-related Charges</u> are fees assessed for planning and building activities, including planning permits, site development permits, and plan checking fees for new construction and land use activity in Fircrest.

<u>Swimming Pool Fees</u> include fees from admissions, lessons, and the swim team.

<u>Participation Fees</u> are charged to participants in team activities such as baseball, basketball, pickleball, etc.

<u>Instructor-based Revenue</u> is collected from participants registering for classes in which the city will pay a percentage to the instructor. There is an offsetting expenditure in the Recreation Department budget.

#### **Fines & Forfeits**

Fines, forfeits, and penalties are revenue received from the Fircrest Municipal Court for traffic violations, traffic and parking infractions, misdemeanors, and DWI violations.

#### **Miscellaneous Revenue**

<u>Investment Interest</u> is interest earnings received from City bank accounts and investments, primarily from the Local Government Investment Pool (LGIP).

<u>Rental Revenue</u> is received for rentals of the Parks and Recreation facilities, including fields, the pool, and the pool party room.

<u>Land Rental Revenue</u> is revenue from Public Works for the land on which the Public Works building is constructed and from ERR for the land on which the ERR building is constructed.

Park Donations are used to offset the cost of community programs.

<u>Police Donations</u> are offsetting revenues related to expenditures that will be incurred only if donations are received.

Other Miscellaneous Revenue consists of alarm permits, NSF fees, refund expenses from prior years, etc.

# **Other Financing Sources**

Other financing sources are one-time funding sources or non-recurring in nature. Examples include insurance recoveries, restitution, and interfund transfers. Non-revenues include refundable deposits and permit deposits.

# **CITY STREET FUND REVENUE**

		2021	2022	2023	2024
BARS	Description	Actual	Actual	Budget	Budget
308-91-01-01	Unassigned BFB-Street	236,306	277,164	425,495	358,090
	Total Fund Balance	236,306	277,164	425,495	358,090
322-40-00-00	ROW Road Permits	8,201	13,505	10,000	10,000
	Total Licenses & Permits	8,201	13,505	10,000	10,000
333-20-20-05	Other Grants	0	0	135,000	-
334-03-81-00	Wa St TIB Grant	0	0	678,471	1,234,914
336-00-71-00	Multimodal Transportation	9,211	9,477	9,380	9,260
336-00-87-00	Motor Vehicle Fuel Tax	130,861	135,078	139,540	131,970
	<b>Total Intergovernmental Revenues</b>	140,072	144,554	962,391	1,376,144
361-11-00-01	Investment Interest	367	7,467	4,800	20,000
367-00-00-08	Beautification Donations	11,920	11,600	10,000	12,000
369-91-01-01	Miscellaneous Revenue		15	100	100
369-94-01-01	Reimbursements	0	0	0	-
	Total Miscellaneous Revenue	12,287	19,082	14,900	32,100
	Total Operating Revenues	160,560	177,141	987,291	1,418,244
	Total Operating New Conde			307,232	
398-10-01-01	Insurance Recovery	0	2,527	0	0
	Total Non Revenue	0	2,527	0	0
397-00-00-02	Transfer In for Street Beautification	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000
397-00-00-03	Transfer from Property Tax	240,810	244,863	254,912	257,594
397-00-00-04	Transfer from Light-St Maint	28,358	26,521	52,680	51,205
397-00-00-06	Transfer from REET 1-Capital	25,400	84,470	100,000	220,213
397-00-01-51	Transfer from Cumulative Reserve	0	150,000	0	_
	<b>Total Other Financing Sources</b>	304,568	515,854	417,592	539,012
	TOTAL RESOURCES	701,434	972,686	1,830,378	2,315,346

#### **REVENUE NARRATIVE**

A grant from the Transportation Improvements Board (TIB) will be used for the South Orchard Street grind and overlay project.

A grant from the Federal Highway Administration will be used for the Emerson sidewalk project.

A grant form Department of Commerce will be used for the lighted crosswalk at Contra Costa and Electron Way.

RCW 47.30.050 requires 0.42% of MVFT funds to be spent on pedestrian trails. The estimated amount of \$555 will be used to pay for miscellaneous trail upkeep including salaries and wages.

Donations received in 2024 will be used for baskets, banners, flags, flowers, and other beautification projects throughout the city.

Transfer In of \$10,000 is to cover a portion of the Street Beautification Budget.

Transfer from Property Tax is figured at 15% of General Fund Property Tax received.

Transfer from Light-St Maint. is to cover the Street Light Maintenance Operating Budget.

Transfer from REET 1- \$100,000 for minor street repairs, \$44,827 city share of Emerson sidewalk project, and \$75,386 for city share of Orchard Street overlay project.

	PARK BOND DEBT SERV	ICE FUND - 2	201		
		2021	2022	2023	2024
BARS	Description	Actual	Actual	Budget	Budget
308-31-02-01	Restricted BFB-Park Bond Fund	105,673	120,060	135,816	148,762
	Total Fund Balance	105,673	120,060	135,816	148,762
311-10-02-01	Bond Property Taxes	588,075	431,800	441,046	452,941
	Total Taxes	588,075	431,800	441,046	452,941
361-11-02-01	Investment Interest	12	156	100	600
	Total Misc Revenue	12	156	100	600
397-00-00-15	Transfer-In from Park Capital	0	0	0	-
	Total Non Revenue	0	0	0	-
	TOTAL RESOURCES	693,760	552,016	576,962	602,303

**DEPARTMENT:** Park Bond Capital

**DIVISION:** N/A **PROGRAM:** N/A

# **PROGRAM DESCRIPTION**

**Function:** The Park Bond Capital Fund is used to account for capital outlay expenses related to the park bond project.

#### **TOTAL PROGRAM OBJECT BUDGET**

	Program Object	2021 Actual	2022 Actual	2023 Budget	2024 Budget
60	Capital Outlay	7,585,090	1,072,006	705,520	200,000
0	Transfers Out	0	774,346	774,346	774,347
	Total	7,585,090	1,846,353	1,479,866	974,347

## **DETAIL BUDGET**

	2023 Budget	In(de)crease	2024 Budget
Capital			
Building & Structures	200,000	0	200,000
Other Improvements	505,520	(505,520)	0
Machinery & Equipment	0	0	0
TOTAL CAPITAL OUTLAY	705,520	(505,520)	200,000
Transfers & Other Cost Allocations			
Transfer Out	774,346	1	774,347
Total	1,479,866	(505,519)	974,347

# **CAPITAL NARRATIVE**

Capital consists of the following projects:

- \$200,000 for Fircrest Park Maintenance Facility improvement.

The transfer is for the third and final payment for the repayment of the 3-year 2021 interfund loan from Cumulative Reserve Fund. The transfer consists of \$770,494 for principal to the Cumulative Reserve Fund and \$3,853 to the General Fund for interest.

# **STORM DRAIN FUND REVENUES**

		2021	2022	2023	2024
BARS	Description	Actual	Actual	Budget	Budget
308-51-04-15	Reserved for Cash Flow	289,226	116,000	116,000	118,000
308-51-04-15	Assigned BFB-Storm	0	227,914	253,106	275,242
	Total Fund Balance	289,226	343,914	369,106	393,242
334-03-10-00	Dept of Ecology NPDES Grant	42,456	0	50,000	75,000
	<b>Total Intergovernmental Revenues</b>	42,456	0	50,000	75,000
343-10-00-00	Storm Drain Fees & Charges	518,699	514,788	526,400	526,400
343-10-00-01	Setup Fees	588	405	500	500
343-10-00-02	Penalties	215	4,784	6,500	6,500
	<b>Total Goods &amp; Services</b>	519,502	519,977	533,400	533,400
361-11-04-15	Investment Interest	932	15,809	6,400	45,000
369-91-04-15	Miscellaneous Revenue	0	29	100	100
	Total Miscellaneous Revenue	932	15,839	6,500	45,100
	<b>Total Operating Revenues</b>	562,890	535,816	589,900	653,500
	TOTAL RESOURCES	852,116	879,729	959,006	1,046,742

	STORM DRAIN CAPITAL FUND -	<u>416</u>			
		2021	2022	2023	2024
BARS	Description	Actual	Actual	Budget	Budget
308-51-04-16	Assigned BFB-Storm Capital	567,641	613,795	681,075	741,278
	Total Fund Balance	567,641	613,795	681,075	741,278
334-03-10-01	Department of Ecology Grant	-	-	690,479	
337-00-00-01	Pierce County Flood District	-	-	93,263	
	Total Intergovernmental Revenue	-	-	783,742	-
397-00-00-10	Transfer In from Storm Fund	81,900	81,900	81,900	81,900
	Total Transfers In Revenue	81,900	81,900	81,900	81,900
	TOTAL RESOURCES	649,541	695,695	1,546,717	823,178

# WATER FUND REVENUE

		2021	2022	2023	2024
BARS	Description	Actual	Actual	Budget	Budget
308-51-04-25	Assigned BFB-Water	296,083	274,278	244,152	119,387
	Total Fund Balance	296,083	274,278	244,152	119,387
343-40-00-00	Sale of Water	1,077,001	1,086,364	1,120,000	1,120,000
343-40-00-01	Service Connections	0	7,371	1,800	1,800
343-40-00-02	Setup Fees	1,638	1,118	1,500	1,500
343-40-00-03	Penalties	237	9,387	12,000	12,000
343-40-00-04	Backflow	270	225	300	300
	<b>Total Charges for Goods and Services</b>	1,079,146	1,104,465	1,135,600	1,135,600
361-11-04-25	Investment Interest	499	13,144	6,800	17,500
362-50-00-05	Rent City Property/High Tank	63,686	64,623	32,350	32,350
362-50-00-06	Rent City Property/Golf Tank	37,853	36,714	37,000	37,000
369-91-04-25	Other Misc. Revenue	180	1,816	500	500
	Total Misc. Revenues	102,218	116,297	76,650	87,350
397-00-01-52	Transfer-In from Cumulative Reserve	0	11,513	0	-
	Total Capital Contributions	0	11,513	0	-
	TOTAL RESOURCES	1,477,446	1,506,553	1,456,402	1,342,337

	WATER CAPITAL FUND - 42	<u> 26</u>			
		2021	2022	2023	2024
BARS	Description	Actual	Actual	Budget	Budget
308-31-04-26	Restricted BFB - Water ARPA	0	14,962	644	-
308-51-04-26	Assigned BFB - Water Capital	337,324	250,246	214,668	313,988
	Total Fund Balance	337,324	265,207	215,312	313,988
332-92-10-02	ARPA Funds	0	450,000	0	0
333-11-00-00	Indirect Dept of Commerce	0	149,283	0	0
334-04-20-02	State Grant from Dept of Commerce	75,253	0	0	0
	Total State Grants	75,253	599,283	0	0
368-10-04-26	Capital Contributions/Tap Fees	0	8,800	4,000	4,000
	Total Capital Contributions	0	8,800	4,000	4,000
397-00-00-11	Transfer In from Water Fund	108,160	108,160	200,000	200,000
397-00-00-13	Transfer In from REET 2	0	0	0	0
397-00-00-14	Transfer In from General Fund (ARPA)	350,000	93,000	290,000	0
	Total Transfer In	458,160	201,160	490,000	200,000
	TOTAL RESOURCES	870,737	1,074,450	709,312	517,988

# **SEWER FUND REVENUE**

	TOTAL RESOURCES	3,770,321	4,389,755	4,219,595	3,939,150
	Total Misc. Revenues	2,986	413,323	24,100	125,500
397-00-01-53	Transfer-In from Cumulative Reserve	0	369,250	0	-
369-90-04-30	Other Misc. Revenue	0	(146)	500	500
361-11-04-30	Investment Interest	2,986	44,219	23,600	125,000
	Total Charges for Goods and Services	2,730,615	2,793,168	2,809,284	2,809,284
343-30-00-03					•
343-50-00-03	Penalties	934	18,456	24,000	24,000
343-50-00-02	Setup Fees	658	458	600	600
343-50-00-01	Service Connections	0	700	1,100	1,100
343-50-00-00	Sewer Revenues	2,729,023	2,773,554	2,783,584	2,783,584
	Total Fund Balance	1,036,720	1,183,264	1,386,211	1,004,366
308-51-04-30	Assigned BFB-Sewer	471,220	617,764	820,711	261,366
308-51-04-30	Reserved for Cash Flow	565,500	565,500	565,500	743,000
BARS	Description	Actual	Actual	Budget	Budget
		2021	2022	2023	2024

	SEWER CAPITAL FUND - 432				
		2021	2022	2023	2024
BARS	Description	Actual	Actual	Budget	Budget
308-51-04-32	Assigned BFB-Sewer Capital	1,525,172	1,286,460	1,351,997	1,255,792
	Total Fund Balance	1,525,172	1,286,460	1,351,997	1,255,792
379-00-04-32	Capital Contributions/Tap Fees	0	10,000	4,000	4,000
397-00-00-12	Transfer In	230,000	230,000	230,000	230,000
	Total Revenue	230,000	240,000	234,000	234,000
	TOTAL RESOURCES	1,755,172	1,526,460	1,585,997	1,489,792

### **ERR FUND REVENUE**

		2021	2022	2023	2024
BARS	Description	Actual	Actual	Budget	Budget
308-51-05-01	Assigned BFB-ERR	1,440,668	1,658,403	1,908,856	1,983,001
	Total Beginning Fund Balance	1,440,668	1,658,403	1,908,856	1,983,001
348-30-00-00	General Fund Replacement	107,822	112,105	111,805	105,362
348-30-01-00	City Street Fund Replacement	38,374	32,494	32,494	48,581
348-30-03-00	Water/Sewer Fund Replacement	65,014	58,029	58,029	65,865
348-30-04-00	Storm Sewer Replacement	48,305	46,546	46,546	47,755
348-30-08-00	General Fund O & M	74,877	73,677	82,800	90,865
348-30-09-00	City Street Fund O & M	15,977	16,578	21,500	22,135
348-30-11-00	Water/Sewer Fund O & M	16,693	13,723	23,200	26,195
348-30-12-00	Storm Sewer O & M	9,124	13,831	14,800	16,350
	<b>Total Charges for Goods &amp; Services</b>	376,186	366,983	391,174	423,108
361-11-05-01	Investment Interest	1,548	28,461	12,000	88,000
362-40-05-01	Rental Revenue	4,030	4,285	4,692	4,903
369-10-00-05	Sale of Scrap	10,977	0	0	-
369-91-05-01	Other Miscellaneous Revenue	0	0	0	-
	Total Misc. Revenues	16,555	32,746	16,692	92,903
398-10-05-01	Insurance Recovery	0	0	0	
	Total Other Revenues	0	0	0	-
	Total Operating Revenue	392,741	399,730	407,866	516,011
	TOTAL RESOURCES	1,833,409	2,058,133	2,316,722	2,499,012

	<b>POLICE INVESTIGATION FUND - 105</b>				
		2021	2022	2023	2024
BARS	Description	Actual	Actual	Budget	Budget
308-31-01-05	Restricted BFB-Police Investigation	12,398	12,410	12,701	12,951
	Total Beginning Fund Balance	12,398	12,410	12,701	12,951
357-50-00-00	Investigative Confiscations	0	0	0	0
	Total Fines & Forfeits	0	0	0	0
361-11-01-05	Investment Interest	12	196	250	600
369-30-01-05	Forfeited Funds	0	95	0	-
	Total Misc. Revenues	12	291	250	600
	TOTAL RESOURCES	12,410	12,701	12,951	13,551

	REET FUND F	UND - 310			
		2021	2022	2023	2024
BARS	Description	Actual	Actual	Budget	Budget
308-31-03-11	Restricted BFB-REET (1st 1/4)	389,798	612,446	706,962	789,262
308-31-03-12	Restricted BFB-REET (2nd 1/4)	1,307,682	1,556,612	1,753,095	1,956,295
	<b>Total Beginning Fund Balance</b>	1,697,481	2,169,058	2,460,057	2,745,557
318-34-00-00	Capital Improvement 1	247,530	168,716	168,000	150,000
318-35-00-00	Growth Management 1	247,529	168,716	168,000	150,000
	Total Taxes	495,059	337,431	336,000	300,000
361-11-03-11	Investment Interest (1st 1/4)	518	10,270	14,300	18,000
361-11-03-12	Investment Interest (2nd 1/4)	1,400	27,767	35,200	97,815
	Total Misc Revenue	1,918	38,037	49,500	115,815
	TOTAL RESOURCES	2,194,458	2,544,526	2,845,557	3,161,372

# **CUMULATIVE RESERVE – FUND 150**

		2021	2022	2023	2024
BARS	Description	Actual	Actual	Budget	Budget
308-41-01-50	Committed BFB C.R General	3,250,000	450,000	1,212,846	1,979,506
308-41-01-51	Committed BFB C.R Street	150,000	150,000	0	-
308-41-01-53	Committed BFB C.R Water	11,513	369,250	0	-
308-41-01-52	Committed BFB C.R Sewer	369,250	11,513	0	-
	Total Fund Balance	3,780,763	980,763	1,212,846	1,979,506
397-10-00-05	Transfer In from General Fund	500,000	0	0	-
381-20-00-01	Loan Payment from Cap Bond Fd	0	762,846	766,660	770,494
	<b>Total Non-Revenues</b>	500,000	762,846	766,660	770,494
	TOTAL RESOURCES	4,280,763	1,743,609	1,979,506	2,750,000

# **BUDGET NARRATIVE**

The Cumulative Reserve Fund accounts for principal only. Interest earnings are accrued back to participating funds.

### FIRCREST CITY COUNCIL AGENDA SUMMARY

**NEW BUSINESS:** Resolution Amending Contract with Kenyon Disend, PLLC for City

**Attorney Services** 

**ITEM:** 13A

**DATE:** October 24, 2023

FROM: Dawn Masko, City Manager

RECOMMENDED MOTION: I move to adopt Resolution No. \_\_\_\_\_, authorizing the City Manager to execute Amendment #2 to the Professional Services Agreement with Kenyon Disend, PLLC, for City Attorney services.

**PROPOSAL:** The City Council is being asked to authorize the City Manager to execute the second amendment to the Professional Services Agreement with Kenyon Disend, PLLC, to extend the date of the agreement to December 31, 2024, and amend the hourly rate schedule.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The 2024 rate for the City Attorney Robert Zeinemann will be \$265 per hour, up from \$255 per hour in 2023.

**ADVANTAGE:** Extending this agreement will provide continuity of City Attorney services for 2024. Kenyon Disend attorneys have worked with the City of Fircrest since August 2021 and are knowledgeable on current City topics and land use projects.

**DISADVANTAGES:** None identified.

**ALTERNATIVES:** Do not approve the Kenyon Disend professional services agreement amendment and issue a Request for Qualifications for City Attorney services.

**HISTORY:** The City contracted with Kenyon Disend, PLLC for City Attorney services in August 2021, following the retirement of the former long-time attorney. The Professional Services Agreement includes the option of subsequent renewals. The First Amendment was executed in November 2022, extending the term through December 31, 2023.

**ATTACHMENTS**: Resolution

Contract Amendment #2

Kenyon Disend, PLLC - 2024 Hourly Rate Schedule

### CITY OF FIRCREST 1 RESOLUTION NO. 2 A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF 3 FIRCREST, WASHINGTON AUTHORIZING THE MANAGER TO EXECUTE AMENDMENT #2 TO THE 4 AGREEMENT WITH KENYON DISEND, PLLC FOR CITY 5 ATTORNEY SERVICES. 6 WHEREAS, the City of Firerest has contracted with Kenyon Disend, PLLC, to provide City Attorney services; and 7 8 WHEREAS, the firm of Kenyon Disend, PLLC has provided such services since August 2021; and 9 WHEREAS, the City of Fircrest desires to maintain continuity of City Attorney services. 10 NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE 11 **CITY OF FIRCREST:** 12 **Section 1.** The City Manager is hereby authorized and directed to execute Amendment 13 #2 to the agreement with Kenyon Disend, PLLC for City Attorney services, extending the term of the agreement through December 31, 2024, and updating the hourly rate 14 schedule. 15 APPROVED AND ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF 16 FIRCREST, WASHINGTON, at a regular meeting thereof this 24th day of October 2023. 17 **APPROVED:** 18 19 20 Brett L. Wittner, Mayor 21 **ATTEST:** 22 23 Arlette Burkhart, Acting City Clerk 24 25 APPROVED AS TO FORM: 26 27 Robert Zeinemann, City Attorney 28 29

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# AMENDMENT #2 PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT BY AND BETWEEN THE CITY OF FIRCREST AND KENYON DISEND, PLLC

This amendment is hereby made and entered into this 24<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2023, by and between the City of Fircrest, a political subdivision of the State of Washington, hereinafter referred to as the "City," and Kenyon Disend, PLLC, hereinafter referred to as "Consultant', to be effective January 1, 2024.

- A. The City and Consultant entered into a Professional Services Agreement dated August 25, 2021, for City Attorney services to be provided by Kenyon Disend, PLLC.
- B. On November 22, 2022, the parties entered into a First Amendment to extend the term and to update the hourly rate schedule for City Attorney services effective January 1, 2023.
- C. The parties now desire to enter into this Second Amendment to extend the term and to update the hourly rate schedule for City Attorney services effective January 1, 2024.

NOW, THEREFORE, the parties agree to the following terms and conditions:

- 1. <u>Term of Agreement</u>. Section 6 of the Agreement shall be amended to read as follows: This Agreement shall be effective from January 1, 2024, through December 31, 2024. Either party may terminate this Agreement upon thirty (30) day's written notice to the other party.
- 2. <u>Payment</u>. Section 7 of the Agreement shall be amended per Exhibit A 2024 Hourly Rate Schedule for City Attorney Services and incorporated by this reference.
- 3. <u>Full Force and Effect</u>. This amendment is limited to the amendments as set forth herein. All remaining provisions of the August 25, 2021 Agreement shall remain in full force and effect.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the parties hereto have caused this Amendment to be duly executed in three counterparts, each of which shall be deemed as originals, as of the day and year first above written.

CITY OF FIRCREST	KENYON DISEND, PLLC
By: Dawn Masko, City Manager	Ву:
APPROVED AS TO FORM:	
By:  Robert Zeinemann, City Attorney	
ATTEST:	
By: Arlette Burkhart, Acting City Clerk	



October 10, 2023

Dawn Masko City Manager City of Fircrest 115 Ramsdell Street Fircrest, WA 98466

Sent via e-mail to: dmasko@cityoffircrest.net

Re: 2024 Hourly Rates

Dear Dawn:

In conjunction with the City's budget process, each fall we typically review our firm's rate and fee structure for use in the following calendar year. For 2024, we have made modest increases to our hourly rates based on the Seattle-Area CPI. Our 2024 Hourly Rate Schedule for City Attorney Services is enclosed for your review.

It remains our pleasure to serve as your City Attorney. As always, please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions or comments regarding this or any other matter. Thank you.

Very truly yours,

Kenyon Disend, Pllc

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Robert Zeinemann

Enclosure

cc: Hillary J. Evans

# KENYON DISEND, PLLC 2024 HOURLY RATE SCHEDULE FOR CITY ATTORNEY SERVICES

# ATTORNEYS:

Michael R. Kenyon	\$420.00
Lisa M. Marshall	\$350.00
Hillary J. Evans	\$280.00
Robert D. Zeinemann	\$265.00
Kendra S. Rosenberg	\$265.00
Alexandra L. Kenyon	\$220.00

### PARALEGALS:

Margaret C. Starkey	\$175.00
Terry T. Curran	\$150.00
Antoinette M. Mattox	\$150.00

### FIRCREST CITY COUNCIL AGENDA SUMMARY

**NEW BUSINESS:** Alliance-Prose MOU Approval

ITEM: 13B

**DATE:** October 24, 2023

FROM: Bob Jean, Project Coordinator

RECOMMENDED MOTION: I move to adopt Resolution No. \_\_\_\_\_\_, authorizing the City Manager to execute a Memorandum of Understanding with Alliance Residential regarding the Infiltration and Inflow reduction program and sewer availability.

**PROPOSAL:** The City of Fircrest and the Alliance-Prose Project developers have been working collaboratively to develop an agreement addressing the sewer availability for the Alliance Prose mixed use project and help in reducing the City's existing Infiltration and inflow (I&I) to Tacoma's wastewater treatment plant. This MOU is a voluntary contribution of \$180,000 to Fircrest in phases to help reduce I&I and maintain sewer flow capacity within the limits of Fircrest's sewer agreements with Tacoma.

The MOU is above and beyond the standard conditions of development and project related fees and charges. In return for the Alliance-Prose Project's financial contributions, the City has agreed to undertake various intergovernmental coordination and actions necessary for Project applications to proceed. The City has also obtained at no cost a public sewer line rights-of-way (including construction area) to enable the Project access to the City's sewer system.

The Project is a high-quality mixed use commercial and residential project adding to the City's housing mix and considerable long-term financial benefits to the community as a whole. The Project itself will help meet almost one-third of the City's State-mandated future population growth obligations. This in turn may help protect existing neighborhoods from further infill development. The City has not provided any tax incentives or other financial considerations for the Project. If, for any reason, the Project is sold or transferred to a different developer, the conditions of the MOU transfer to the new developer. The Alliance team agrees to notify the City of its next steps not later than December 15, 2023.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The Alliance-Prose Project will make phased payments as the Project advances totaling \$180,000 towards Infiltration and Inflow reduction and sewer availability. Any City funds expended in this effort are related to existing City obligations for I&I reductions, but reimbursable in this MOU. The Project's capital contributions are above and beyond the City's ongoing I&I reduction program.

**ADVANTAGE:** The Project's voluntary \$180,000 contribution towards I&I reduction would otherwise remain an obligation of the City and the existing sewer customers. I&I reduction is also better for the environment, due to reduced wastewater overflows, and better for customers by holding down the City's share of treatment plant and pump station flow cost billings.

**DISADVANTAGES:** None identified.

**ALTERNATIVES:** Deny the MOU and proceed with I&I reductions as City-only costs.

**ATTACHMENTS**: Resolution

Alliance Resident "Prose" Project development MOU

1	CITY OF FIRCREST							
2	RESOLUTION NO							
3	A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FIRCREST, WASHINGTON AUTHORIZING THE CITY							
4	MANAGER TO EXECUTE A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITH ALLIANCE RESIDENTAL							
5	REGARDING THE INFILTRATION AND INFLOW REDUCTION PROGRAM AND SEWER AVAILABILITY.							
6 7 8	WHEREAS, the City and Alliance Realty Partners, LCC, the Alliance Prose Project developers, have reached a voluntary agreement whereby the Alliance will contribute \$180,000 above and beyond other Prose Project related conditions of development and							
9	related fees towards sewer availability and Infiltration and Inflow (I&I) reduction;							
10	WHEREAS, sufficient reductions in I&I would allow the City to meet its obligations under its sewer agreements with the City of Tacoma;							
11 12	WHEREAS, absent this MOU and its financial contributions, existing I&I reduction costs would remain the City's full cost obligation and the financial costs to sewer customers; and,							
13	customers, and,							
14 15	WHEREAS, I&I reduction is good for the environment by reducing pumping energy costs and wastewater plant overflows into the Puget Sound Bay.							
16	NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FIRCREST:							
17 18 19	<b>Section 1.</b> The City Manager is hereby authorized and directed to execute a Memorandum of Understanding with Alliance Realty Partners, LLC regarding the Infiltration and Inflow reduction program and sewer availability.							
20	APPROVED AND ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FIRCREST, WASHINGTON, at a regular meeting thereof this 24th day of October 2023.							
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#### PROSE PROJECT MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

This Memorandum of Understanding ("MOU") is made and entered into by the City of Fircrest ("City") and Alliance Realty Partners, LLC ("Developer"), and their successors and assigns (collectively the "Parties") which desire that the Developer's Prose Project, located at 2119 Mildred Street West in Fircrest, Washington ("Project"), continues to move forward in a timely manner for the Parties mutual benefit.

WHEREAS, the number of City staff available to conduct Project Coordination, including intergovernmental coordination, is severely limited, and the amount of such coordination required by the City for the Prose Project is substantially beyond the City's usual permit related fees for Planning and Building reviews and services; and

WHEREAS, the City's base capacity for sanitary sewer flow has constraints pursuant to the City's sewer service agreement with the City of Tacoma; and

WHEREAS, sanitary sewer availability to the Prose Project is contingent on additional reductions to Infiltration and Inflow ("I&I") into the City's sanitary sewer system that comply with the City's sewer service agreement with the City of Tacoma; and

WHEREAS, certain monetary contributions and guarantees to the City by the Developer to cover the City's costs related to the Prose Project are necessary for issuance of Prose Project sewer availability commitments by the City prior to land purchase closing for the Prose Project by the Developer; and

WHEREAS, the City's Planning and Building Department's review of the Prose Project pursuant to the City's Form Based Code and the conditions and requirements in Fircrest Hearings Examiner's Finding of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Final Decision issued March 14, 2023, are ongoing.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the understandings, covenants, assurances, and mutual promises in this MOU, the Parties mutually agree to the following terms:

- 1. City's Commitments. The City promises to undertake the following actions:
  - A. Issue a Sewer Availability letter for the Prose Project upon signing of this MOU by the Parties;
  - B. Support, issue, and legally defend the Sewer Availability letter for the Project;
  - C. Ongoing Project and Intergovernmental Coordination for the Project will be provided by a dedicated City of Fircrest Project Coordinator consultant at \$6,250/month for 5 months or by other means as determined by the City;
  - D. Provide the necessary sewer line construction right-of-way for the sanitary sewer connection to the southeast of the Prose Project.
  - E. Seek to amend the Sewer Basin designation in which the Prose Project is located from Pierce County to the City of Tacoma;
  - F. Initiate a Scope of Work Request for Proposal for an I&I Study of the City that identifies priority improvements and ongoing maintenance needs to the City's sanitary sewer system;

- G. Initiate in the City a community education and information program, and subsequent testing for gutter downspout connections to side yard/back yard sanitary sewer lines, and subsequent inspection/disconnections program;
- H. Provide for pipe-bursting and other City sanitary sewer system improvements to reduce I&I beyond the City's present ongoing actions through use of the additional financial support provided to the City as agreed and promised by the Developer herein;
- I. Provide the Developer with relevant updates regarding the negotiations between the City of Tacoma, Pierce County, and the City regarding sewer service for the Project. Provide the Developer with relevant communications between the City, the City of Tacoma, and Pierce County regarding sewer service for the Project, including progress regarding the I & I study and implementation. Provide the Developer with any information that may indicate there may be a problem in the negotiations or the I & I study that could prevent the Project from obtaining sewer service;
- J. Diligently review and issue the various permits necessary to construct the Project to the extent required pursuant to the City codes and Washington state statutes, without unreasonable delays.

### 2. Developer's Commitments. The Developer promises to undertake the following actions:

- A. The Developer will provide payments according to the following schedule to assist in funding costs associated with the Ongoing Project, Intergovernmental Coordination, and I & I Study for the Project. Developer must give City the notice of intent to proceed to trigger the payments to the City according to the following schedule, which may be modified to be delayed by the City for good cause shown:
- i. Developer provides the City with a notice of intent to proceed with the Project no later than December 15, 2023;
- ii. Developer provides a reimbursement payment of \$15,000 to the City on or before January 15, 2024 to cover a portion of the costs associated with the Ongoing Project and Intergovernmental Coordination for the Project;
- iii. Developer provides a reimbursement payment of \$15,000 to the City on or before July 31, 2024 to cover a portion of the costs associated with the Ongoing Project and Intergovernmental Coordination for the Project, contingent on the issuance of a site development permit for the Project;
- iv. Developer provides payment of \$50,000 to the City on or before July 31, 2024 to be used by the City for an sanitary sewer system I&I study, contingent on the issuance a site development permit for the Project;
- v. Developer provides payment of \$50,000 to the City on or before January 31, 2025 to be used for capital improvements to the City's sanitary sewer system that reduce I&I, contingent on the issuance of one or more building permits for the Prose Project;

- vi. Developer provides payment of \$50,000 to the City on or before January 31, 2026 to be used for capital improvements to the City's sanitary sewer system that reduce I&I, contingent on the issuance of one or more building permits for the Prose Project;
- vii. Planning and building-related fees and services shall be paid by the Developer as required under the Fircrest Municipal Code, written City policies, and preliminary site plan application approval under the Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Final Decision, File No. 22-01, issued by the City Hearing Examiner on March 14, 2023;
- B. If the Developer intends not to continue with permitting/construction of the Project, it must give the City notice of such decision in writing (the "Termination Notice"). The Termination Notice shall terminate this MOU and all future payments according to the schedule in this Subsection 2.A of the MOU are canceled. Following issuance of the Termination Notice, Developer is not entitled to any refunds of payments related to the Ongoing Project, Intergovernmental Coordination, or I&I study/work previously paid to the City.
- 3. Force Majeure. The performance of this MOU by either party is subject to acts of God, war, government regulation or advisory, disasters, fire, accidents or other casualty, strikes or threat of strikes, civil disorder, acts and/or threats of terrorism, or curtailment of transportation services or facilities, or similar causes beyond the control of either party making it illegal or impossible to meet the commitments and promises made herein. Either party may terminate or suspend its obligations under this MOU if such obligations are prevented by any of the above events to the extent such events are beyond the reasonable control of the party whose reasonable performance is prevented.
- 4. Prevailing Party Attorneys' Fees. In any legal action to enforce the terms of this MOU or declare rights hereunder, the prevailing party in such action shall be entitled to recover its reasonable attorneys' fees, costs and third-party expenses incurred in prosecuting or defending such legal action and enforcing any judgment, ruling, order or award granted thereby.
- <u>5. Jurisdiction and Venue</u>. Pierce County Superior Court shall have jurisdiction over any litigation arising under this MOU, and the venue for any such litigation shall be the Pierce County Superior Court in Tacoma, Washington.
- 6. Successors and Assigns. This MOU is effective on the successors and assigns in interest of the Developer and the City. The Parties successors and assigns shall be entitled to the benefits of, and subject to the commitments and obligations created by, this MOU.
- 7. Modification or Amendment. This MOU may be amended or modified only by the agreement of the City and the Developer or their successors in interest and no such amendment or modification will be effective unless it is in writing and signed by both Parties.
- <u>8. Counterparts</u>. This MOU may be executed in a number of identical counterparts with the same effect as if the signatures to each counterpart were upon a single instrument, and all such counterparts together will be deemed an original of this MOU.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties have execute this day of October 2023.	ed this Memorandum of Understanding effective as of
CITY OF FIRCREST	ALLIANCE REALTY PARTNERS, LLC
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Dawn Masko	Jeremiah Jolicoeur
City Manager	Vice President

### FIRCREST CITY COUNCIL AGENDA SUMMARY

**NEW BUSINESS:** Memorandum of Understanding with Teamsters Local Union No.

117 regarding a Public Works Coordinator Position.

**ITEM:** 13C

**DATE:** October 24, 2023

FROM: Dawn Masko, City Manager

RECOMMENDED MOTION: I move to adopt Resolution No. \_\_\_\_\_, authorizing the City Manager to execute a Memorandum of Understanding with Teamsters Local Union No. 17 regarding creating a Public Works Coordinator position and reclassifying the Utility Billing Clerk position.

**PROPOSAL:** The Council is being asked to authorize the City Manager to execute a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with Teamsters Local Union No. 117 regarding creating a Public Works Coordinator position and reclassifying the current Utility Billing Clerk position.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The new Public Works Coordinator position salary range is \$4,922 - \$6,361 per month. The current Utility Billing Clerk salary range is \$4,719 - \$6,023 monthly. The reclassification will result in an approximately \$4,000 annual salary increase. Additionally, retroactive wages are anticipated to be roughly \$3,900.

**ADVANTAGE:** The adoption of the Resolution and execution of the MOU will bring closure to the process that started during negotiations of the current Collective Bargaining Agreement.

**DISADVANTAGES:** None identified.

**ALTERNATIVES:** Do not approve the MOU and direct the Administration to continue negotiations with the Teamsters on this outstanding item.

HISTORY: On January 4, 2022, the Washington Public Employment Relations Commission certified Teamsters Union No. 117 as the exclusive bargaining representative for Public Works employees. While negotiating the Collective Bargaining Agreement (CBA), the parties agreed on all items except for the Utility Billing Clerk position. The parties agreed to move forward with ratification of the CBA and enter into an MOU regarding a desk audit and potential reclassification of the Utility Billing Clerk instead of holding up the entire contract while waiting for the desk audit.

The desk audit was to be completed by March 31, 2023. The City ultimately contracted with Compensation Consultants in June 2023 to conduct the audit. Compensation Consultants completed the audit in mid-July 2023. They concluded that the scope of job duties warranted the reclassification of the Utility Billing Clerk to a Public Works Office Coordinator position. The MOU is the culmination of bargaining this new position and salary impacts with the Teamsters.

**ATTACHMENTS**: Resolution

Memorandum of Understanding – Desk Audit for Utility Billing Clerk Memorandum of Understanding – Public Works Office Coordinator

Job Description – Public Works Office Coordinator

1 2	CITY OF FIRCREST RESOLUTION NO
3	A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
4	FIRCREST, WASHINGTON AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO SIGN A MEMORANDUM OF
5	UNDERSTANDING WITH TEAMSTERS LOCAL UNION NO. 117 REGARDING A PUBLIC WORKS COORDINATOR
6	POSITION.
7 8	<b>WHEREAS</b> , in October 2022, the City of Fircrest and Teamsters Local Union No. 117 entered into a Collective Bargaining Agreement for the period of October 11, 2022 through December 31, 2024; and
9   10   1	WHEREAS, the City of Fircrest and Teamsters Local Union No. 117 executed a Memorandum of Understanding on October 12, 2022, regarding a desk audit and potential reclassification for the Utility Billing Clerk position; and
12	WHEREAS, the City of Fircrest contracted with Compensation Connections to perform a desk audit for the Utility Billing Clerk position, and such audit is now complete; and
13	WHEREAS, the desk audit concluded that the Utility Billing Clerk position should be reclassified to a Public Works Office Coordinator position; and
15	<b>WHEREAS</b> , the City of Fircrest and Teamsters Local Union No. 117 now desire to create the position of Public Works Office Coordinator and reclassify the Utility Billing Clerk into this new position.
17	NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FIRCREST:
20	<b>Section 1.</b> The City Manager is hereby authorized and directed to execute a Memorandum of Understanding with Teamsters Local Union No. 117 regarding creating the Public Works Office Coordinator position and reclassifying the Utility Billing Clerk.
21   22	APPROVED AND ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FIRCREST, WASHINGTON, at a regular meeting thereof this 24th day of October
23	2023.
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26	Brett L. Wittner, Mayor
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### MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

#### BY AND BETWEEN

CITY OF FIRCREST ("City" or "Employer")

### **AND**

# TEAMSTERS LOCAL UNION NO. 117 ("Union")

This Memorandum of Understanding ("MOU") is entered into by and between the City of Fircrest ("Employer") and Teamsters Local Union No. 117 ("Union"), collectively the "parties."

On January 4, 2022, the Washington Public Employment Relations Commission certified the Union as the exclusive bargaining representative for certain Public Works employees. *See City of Fircrest*, Decision 13456 (PECB, 2022). The parties have reached a tentative agreement for their 2022-2024 Collective Bargaining Agreement (CBA), which is presently subject to ratification.

During the course of negotiations over the CBA, the parties mutually agreed to enter into this separate MOU concerning a process for conducting a desk audit and potential reclassification of Vicky Walston, who presently is classified as a Utility Billing Clerk.

IN CONSIDERATION OF the mutual covenants and promises contained herein, the parties agree, as follows:

- 1. Following the full execution of the CBA, the parties will jointly perform and complete a desk audit for the Utility Billing Clerk by March 31, 2023.
- 2. Based upon the findings, the parties will enter into negotiations over the proper classification and compensation for the position.
- 3. A wage adjustment may increase or decrease the current compensation for the position based on the desk audit results.
- 4. During the classification and compensation negotiations, the parties will consider the median of base wages of the following jurisdictions for similar position(s):
  - a. Buckley
  - b. DuPont
  - c. Edgewood
  - d. Gig Harbor
  - e. Milton
  - f. Orting
  - g. Steilacoom
  - h. Sumner
  - i. Yelm
  - i. Fircrest

- 5. Negotiations will cover any impacts to wages, including the effective date of any resulting wage adjustment.
- 6. Miscellaneous. This MOU represents the entire agreement between the parties concerning the subject matter herein. If any of the provisions of this MOU are held to be invalid or unenforceable, the remaining provisions will nevertheless continue to be valid and enforceable. The provisions of this MOU will not be construed against either party.
- 7. Effective Date. This MOU is effective upon full execution.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this MOU as their free and voluntary act on the date set forth below.

Signed this 12 day of October 2022:	
CITY OF FIRCREST	TEAMSTERS LOCAL UNION NO. 117
Colleen Corcoran, Interim City Manager	John Scearcy, Secretary Treasurer

# MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BY AND BETWEEN

# CITY OF FIRCREST, WASHINGTON ("City" or "Employer")

#### AND

# TEAMSTERS LOCAL UNION NO. 117 ("Union")

This Memorandum of Understanding ("MOU") is entered into by and between the City of Fircrest ("Employer") and Teamsters Local Union No. 117 ("Union"), referred to herein collectively as the "Parties."

WHEREAS, the Employer and the Union negotiated a Collective Bargaining Agreement (CBA) for the period of October 11, 2022 through December 31, 2024; and

WHEREAS, the Employer and the Union executed an MOU on October 12, 2022, concerning a process for conducting a desk audit and potential reclassification of the Utility Billing Clerk position; and

WHEREAS, the Employer contracted with Compensation Connections to perform the desk audit; and

WHEREAS, the desk audit concluded that the Utility Billing Clerk position had evolved into a position with broader responsibilities and should be reclassified to a Public Works Office Coordinator position; and

WHEREAS, the parties met on September 5, 2023, and September 27, 2023, to discuss the desk audit results, review comparative salary data, and bargain compensation.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Employer and the Union agree to the following:

- 1. The position of Public Works Office Coordinator is hereby created.
- 2. The salary range for the Public Works Office Coordinator shall be added to Appendix A Wage Table.

2022 Salary Schedule																		
CLASSIFICATION	STEP A			STEP B			STEP C			STEP D			STEP E			STEP F		
CLASSIFICATION	Hourly	Monthly	Annual															
Public Works Office Coordinator	\$ 25.93	\$ 4,495	\$ 53,940	\$ 27.30	\$ 4,732	\$ 56,779	\$ 28.73	\$ 4,981	\$ 59,767	\$ 30.25	\$ 5,243	\$ 62,913	\$ 31.84	\$ 5,519	\$ 66,224	\$ 33.51	\$ 5,809	\$ 69,710
2023 Salary Schedule (9.5%)																		
CLASSIFICATION		STEP A			STEP B			STEP C			STEP D			STEP E			STEP F	
CLASSIFICATION	Hourly	Monthly	Annual															
Public Works Office Coordinator	\$ 28.40	\$ 4,922	\$ 59,064	\$ 29.89	\$ 5,181	\$ 62,173	\$ 31.46	\$ 5,454	\$ 65,445	\$ 33.12	\$ 5,741	\$ 68,890	\$ 34.86	\$ 6,043	\$ 72,515	\$ 36.70	\$ 6,361	\$ 76,332

- 3. Vicky Walston will be reclassified from Utility Billing Clerk to Public Works Office Coordinator, effective October 11, 2022, and shall be entitled to retroactive pay from that date.
- 4. All other provisions of the October 11, 2022, through December 31, 2024, Collective Bargaining Agreement between the City of Fircrest and Teamsters Local Union No. 117 remain in effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this MOU as their free and voluntary act on the date set forth below.

CITY OF FIRCREST, WASHINGTON	TEAMSTERS LOCAL UNION NO. 117
Dawn Masko, City Manager	John Scearcy, Secretary-Treasurer
Date	 Date

# CITY OF FIRCREST, WASHINGTON POSITION DESCRIPTION



Class Title: Public Works Office Coordinator

Department: Public Works
Division: Administration
Representation: Teamsters Local 117

**Salary:** \$4,984 - \$6,361 per month, DOQ

Overtime Eligible

### **POSITION SUMMARY:**

The Public Works Office Coordinator provides administrative support to the Public Works Director and coordinates the varied functions and activities of the Public Works Department, including Utility Billing. The incumbent must exercise considerable discretion with confidential information and interpreting and administrating policies and procedures. Must have strong organizational skills.

### **ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS** include but are not limited to:

### Utility Billing Lead:

- Prepare, process, verify, and transmit billing files to mailing vendors and online Bill Pay management.
- Provide administrative support for establishing, updating, and implementing processes, policies, and procedures.
- Audit, verify, and approve all utility billing transactions.
- Audit and complete month-end reconciliation reports and spreadsheets of all utility billing and cash receipt entries, new accounts, new homeowner Westside Disposal notices, and utility and business tax invoices for payment monthly.
- Perform collection procedures on delinquent utility accounts, including foreclosure notices, bankruptcy, and filing and releasing utility liens with the Pierce County Auditor's office.
- Provide database administration functions for the utility billing and meter reading software and hardware.
- Lead the implementation of new utility billing and meter reading software.
- Assist the Public Works Director with Fircrest Municipal Code (FMC) changes relating to utility billing processes, procedures, rates, and fees to be codified.
- Monitor compliance with all utility billing procedures and functions, ensuring they meet state, federal, and other regulatory guidelines.
- Provide guidance and train staff on procedure updates, changes, and implementation.
- Provide administrative support and guidance with online utility billing functions by troubleshooting issues and assisting with user setup.
- Assist the Billing Assistant with daily operations and provide backup coverage as needed.
- Assist in preparing budget and operations analysis reports as assigned.
- As the Water Conservation and Pollution Prevention Outreach Coordinator, ensure guidelines are followed and procedures are in place to meet and/or exceed guidelines.

### Office Coordination:

- Provide specialized administrative support to the Public Works Director in establishing, updating, and implementing policies, procedures, programs, plans, and existing guidelines to meet changing conditions and goals.
- Direct, train, oversee and delegate duties and assignments within the department's front office and utility billing duties.
- Recommend and arrange training of assigned Public Works personnel to complete required Continuing Education Units (CEUs) and ensure department goals are met.
- Provide input regarding department goals and budgets and monitor expenditures.
- Process invoices, requisitions, and purchase orders for payment.
- Maintain, audit, verify coding, and secure the department's Purchasing Card.
- Administer and review the department's permit requests and record retention policies, procedures, and duties per the Fircrest Municipal Code (FMC).
- Maintain, audit, and annually adjust cell tower lease payments on water tanks based on CPI.
- Assist with the preparation of WSDOT capital project packets.
- Advertise, track, audit, and process close-out paperwork for Public Works capital projects.
- Assist with updating various Public Works Manuals, including the Water System Plan, Soil Moisture Active Passive (SMAP), and Site Waste Management Plan (SWMP).
- Maintain and update utility billing and Public Works information on the City's website and social media pages.
- Purchase Public Works office and operating supplies as needed.
- Create, complete, and recommend general office Requests for Proposals (RFPs) supporting the Public Works department.
- Provides department Notary Public services (if a licensed Notary Public).
- Assume other duties as assigned by the Supervisor.

### **ROW Code Enforcement**:

- Administer Public Works right-of-way (ROW) code enforcement duties, including City of Fircrest ROW maintenance, site distance, curb and sidewalk, and overgrown and vegetation ROW violations.
- Perform routine inspections on minor projects and code enforcement issues.
- Administer the code enforcement process, including issuance of letters and violation notices and initiating contact with property owners to seek resolution.
- Maintain due process in violation mitigation and abatement.
- Prepare and maintain records, reports, and files.
- Prepare and issue notices of civil violation following adopted ordinances and procedures.

### **Cross Connection Control:**

- Establish, implement, and enforce Cross Connection Control policies and procedures, ensuring compliance with state and local laws, as outlined in WAC 246-290, FMC 21.05, and Fircrest's Water System Plan.
- Prepare and monitor annual reminder notifications, compliance issues, test failures, BAT identification requirements, and testing calibration certification.

### Compliance:

- Implement, respond to, administer, and maintain PW compliance duties and responsibilities
  as they pertain to programs mandated by local, state, and federal agencies, including Illicit
  Discharge Detection and Elimination Program (IDDE), Water Use Efficiency (WUE),
  Consumer Confidence Reporting (CCR), and Red Flag Rules.
- Complete and file annual reports as required.

### **AUXILIARY DUTIES:**

An employee in this classification is expected to routinely perform other duties as assigned that would typically be performed by an employee in a position within this classification or lower. On occasion, an employee in this classification may perform the duties of an employee in a higher classification.

### **DESIRED MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:**

### **Education and Experience:**

- High School Diploma or GED Equivalent; and
- Associate's degree in business, administrative practices, or related field; or
- Specialized coursework in general office practice; and
- Three (3) years of increasingly responsible related experience, preferably with experience in utility billing or operations; and
- An equivalent combination of experience, education, and training may be substituted that would provide the desired level of skills, knowledge, and ability required to perform the essential duties and responsibilities of the position.

### **Necessary Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities:**

- Knowledge of modern office practices and procedures.
- Knowledge of City and department organization, operations, policies, and procedures.
- Demonstrated proficiency in utilizing computers and software applications as required for the job, including Microsoft Office.
- Knowledge of business English usage, grammar, spelling, punctuation, and vocabulary.
- Ability to communicate clearly, concisely, professionally, and courteously, utilizing effective written and verbal communication skills.
- Ability to establish and maintain effective working relationships and work positively and professionally with other employees, supervisors, contractors, suppliers, and the public.
- Ability to work independently and demonstrate sound judgment and initiative.
- Ability to interpret and apply federal, state, and local policies, procedures, laws, and regulations.
- Ability to work under pressure with frequent interruptions and in stressful situations.
- Ability to learn and apply utility billing guidelines, policies, and procedures.
- Ability to perform detailed processes with accuracy and timeliness in a deadline-intensive atmosphere.
- Ability to tactfully handle sensitive or confidential materials and situations with sensitivity, tact, and diplomacy.

- Ability to exhibit a strong commitment to internal and external customer service.
- Ability to maintain predictable and regular attendance.
- Ability to maintain a sense of humor and positive attitude.
- Ability to present a positive, friendly image to the public using tact, courtesy, and good judgment.
- Ability to work collaboratively as a part of the Public Works team.

### **LICENSE AND CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS:**

- Valid Washington State Driver's License or ability to obtain upon employment.
- Must have a driving history acceptable to the City and maintain an insurable driving record.

### **SUPERVISION:**

Work is performed under the supervision of the Public Works Director. This position is non-supervisory but does provide lead support and guidance to Utility Billing.

### **TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT USED:**

Work involves using a personal computer, Microsoft Office applications, other job-specific software, copiers, printers, calculators, fax machines, and other general office equipment.

### **WORK ENVIRONMENT AND PHYSICAL DEMANDS:**

The work environment and physical demands described here represent those that an employee must meet to perform the essential functions of this position successfully.

Work is typically performed in a fast-paced office environment. Work involves moderate noise typical of an office environment, including ringing phones, multiple conversations, and operating office machines. Noise and hazards outside of a typical office environment are limited. There may be possible interactions with irate or difficult individuals.

Work involves sitting for long periods and the ability to talk or hear. Hand-eye coordination is necessary to operate computers and office equipment, and using hands is needed to reach, handle, grasp, feel, or operate objects, tools, or controls. Specific vision abilities required by this job include close vision, distance vision, peripheral vision, depth perception, and the ability to adjust focus. The employee is occasionally required to stand, reach, walk, stoop, kneel, crouch, or crawl. The employee must occasionally lift or move up to 25 pounds. Employees will be required to wear safety protective gear when necessary.

### **SELECTION GUIDELINES:**

Formal application, rating of education and experience, oral interview and reference check, and job-related tests might be required.

### **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:**

Reasonable accommodation will be made as required by the Americans with Disabilities Act to enable a person with a disability to perform the essential functions of this position. This description is not a contract of employment and is intended only to provide a general description of duties performed by an employee in this classification. Other duties may be assigned, and this description may be amended if the employer's needs or requirements of the job change.

The duties listed above are intended only as illustrations of the various types of work that may be performed. The omission of specific statements of duties does not exclude them from the position if the work is similar, related, or a logical assignment to the position.