RESOLUTION NO. 24-1590

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DOUGLAS, COCHISE COUNTY, ARIZONA, AUTHORIZING THE ENTRY INTO AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF DOUGLAS AND THE SOUTHEASTERN ARIZONA COMMUNICATIONS (SEACOM) FOR MUTUAL AID ASSISTANCE IN THE **PROVISION** OF **EMERGENCY** COMMUNICATION SERVICES.

WHEREAS, the City of Douglas, by way of the Douglas Police Department, seek to enter into an Intergovernmental Agreement with the Southeastern Arizona Communications (SEACOM) for mutual aid assistance; and

WHEREAS, SEACOM and the Douglas Police Department serve as the two principal Public Safety Answering Points (PSAPs) in Cochise County, responsible for providing emergency communications services; and

WHEREAS, SEACOM and the Douglas Police Department mutually agree to provide emergency communication services during an outage or other event that prevents either entity from conducting normal operations, subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the city is legally authorized to enter into such agreements pursuant to A.R.S. §11-952.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Council of the City of Douglas, Arizona, as follows:

- Section 1. The terms and conditions of the Intergovernmental Agreement to be entered into by the parties is attached, and incorporated herein by reference as though fully set forth herein verbatim, and are found to be in the best interest of the City of Douglas.
- **Section 2.** The Intergovernmental Agreement is hereby authorized and approved.
- 17 Section 3. The City Manager and the City Clerk are hereby authorized to execute and deliver the Intergovernmental Agreement and any related documents necessary to consummate the transaction 18 contemplated by the agreement for and on behalf of the City of Douglas.
- Section 4. The officers of the City Council and the City of Douglas are hereby authorized and directed to 19 fulfill all obligations under the terms of the Intergovernmental Agreement.

PASSED AND ADOPTED, by the Mayor and Council of the City of Douglas, Arizona, this 14th day of February 2024. 21

	Donald C. Huish, Mayor
Attest:	Approved as to Form:
Alma Andrade, City Clerk	Denis Fitzgibbons, City Attorney

Prepared by: Kraig Fullen, Chief of Police

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