

RESOLUTION NO. 23-1919

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAKE FOREST PARK, WASHINGTON, AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO SIGN AN AMENDMENT TO A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH THE WATERSHED COMPANY FOR ADDITIONAL ASSISTANCE WITH A TREE INVENTORY OF LAKE FOREST PARK

WHEREAS, on August 11, 2022, City Council approved Resolution 1853 authorizing the Mayor to sign a professional services agreement with The Watershed Company to conduct a tree inventory of Lake Forest Park for an amount not to exceed \$44,680; and

WHEREAS, on December 8, 2022, City Council approved Resolution 1875 authorizing the Mayor to sign Amendment No. 1 to a professional services agreement with The Watershed Company to conduct a tree inventory of Lake Forest Park in exchange for amount not to exceed \$12,125; and

WHEREAS, a major objective of this inventory was to revisit properties that were inventoried in 2010; and

WHEREAS, The Watershed Company (TWC) has encountered difficulties obtaining permission to enter previously-inventoried properties and the City Arborist position, and the Assistant Planner position, which would have assisted with this task, are vacant; and

WHEREAS, due to challenges in getting landowner approvals to revisit 2010 plots, TWC needed to generate and establish new plots to ensure sufficient data is collected to achieve statistical significance for the inventory properties, and perform some of the duties of the City Arborist and Assistant Planner, including going door to door to receive right of entry from many property owners;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Lake Forest Park, as follows:

Section 1. The City Council of the City of Lake Forest Park approves and authorizes the Mayor to sign Amendment #2 to Exhibit A – Scope of Work and Budget found in the Professional Services Agreement with The Watershed Company for the 2022 Tree Inventory of Lake Forest Park in exchange for an amount not to exceed \$10,499.14.

Section 2. CORRECTIONS. The City Clerk is authorized to make necessary corrections to this resolution including, but not limited to, the correction of scrivener's/clerical errors, references, ordinance numbering, section/subsection numbers and any references thereto.

PASSED BY A MAJORITY VOTE of the members of the Lake Forest Park City Council this 28th day of September, 2023.

APPROVED:

Jeff Johnson
Mayor

ATTEST/AUTHENTICATED:

Matt McLean
City Clerk

FILED WITH THE CITY CLERK: XXXX 2023
PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL:
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