RESOLUTION NO. 25-2051

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAKE FOREST PARK, WASHINGTON, AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO SIGN THE FIRST AMENDMENT TO THE INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT FOR REGIONAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT WITH THE CITY OF KENMORE AND KING COUNTY FIRE DISTRICT NO. 16

- WHEREAS, the cities of Lake Forest Park and Kenmore are adjacent cities located along the north shores of Lake Washington and are both serviced by King County Fire District No. 16; and
- **WHEREAS,** the cities of Lake Forest Park and Kenmore are required to establish local organizations for emergency management pursuant to RCW 38.52.070; and
- WHEREAS, the cities of Lake Forest Park and Kenmore, along with King County Fire District No. 16, agree that it is in the best interest of their local communities to administer and coordinate their emergency management plans and programs; and
- WHEREAS, these same agencies entered into an interlocal agreement (ILA) in 2024 for Regional Emergency Management forming the joint operation known as the Northshore Emergency Management Coalition (NEMCo); and
- **WHEREAS**, the City of Shoreline has expressed interest in joining NEMCo, and the parties have agreed to a one-year extension to the ILA in order to explore how this could be accomplished; and
- **WHEREAS**, the City Council deems it in the best interest of the City of Lake Forest Park to approve the proposed amendment to the Interlocal Agreement.
- **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** by the City Council of the City of Lake Forest Park, as follows:
- <u>Section 1. AUTHORIZATION</u>. The Mayor is authorized to sign the First Amendment to the Interlocal Agreement For Regional Emergency Management with the City of Kenmore and King County Fire District No.16, a copy of which is attached as Exhibit A.
- <u>Section 2. CORRECTIONS</u>. 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 day of December, 2025.	
	APPROVED:
	Thomas French Mayor
ATTEST/AUTHENTICATED:	
Matt McLean City Clerk	
FILED WITH THE CITY CLERK:	
PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL: RESOLUTION NO.:	