

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-51

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF TOPPENISH CITY COUNCIL
RESCINDING ITS RESOLUTION NO. 2025-50 REGARDING A
PROPOSITION FOR THE FORMATION OF A METROPOLITAN
PARK DISTRICT.**

WHEREAS, on July 28, 2025, at its regularly scheduled meeting, the Toppenish City Council passed its Resolution No. 2025-50, which proposed creating a Metropolitan Park District within the boundaries of the City, which if approved would have created a Metropolitan Park District within the corporate boundaries of the City and provided for the authority to levy general tax dollars in the amount not to exceed \$.75 per thousand dollars assessed valuation for the support of the parks within the City; and

WHEREAS, shortly after the passage of said resolution, the City of Toppenish was approached by individuals, proposing an alternative to such metropolitan park district, to a metropolitan Park District that would conform to the boundaries of the Toppenish School District, and which would include not just park, but also the Toppenish swimming pool; and

WHEREAS, the alternative proposal for such a Metropolitan Park District has advantages for the City and for the community, but would be inconsistent with the proposal set forth in Resolution No. 2025-50; and

WHEREAS, in order to support the concept of the newer proposal for a Metropolitan Park District, and to avoid conflicting duplication of proposals, it would be appropriate for the Toppenish City Council to rescind its Resolution No. 2025-50.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TOPPENISH, WASHINGTON AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Rescission of Resolution No. 2025-50: That the City of Toppenish City Council Resolution No. 2025-50, adopted on July 28, 2025, is hereby repealed in its entirety.

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, Resolution numbering, section/subsection numbering and any references thereto.

Section 3. Effective Date: This resolution shall be effective immediately upon passage and signatures hereto.

PASSED by the Toppenish City Council at its meeting held on August __, 2025.

ELPIDIA SAAVEDRA, Mayor

ATTEST:

HEIDI RIOJAS, CMC, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

DANIEL B. HEID, City Attorney