

TO: City Council
FROM: Brian Hurley, Fire Chief
DATE: January 17, 2023
SUBJECT: Interlocal Agreement with Thurston County Medic One for Basic Life Support Funding

1) Recommended Action:

Authorize the Mayor to sign the Letter of Acknowledgement for the 2023 renewal of the Basic Life Support funding contract with Thurston County Medic One

2) Background:

The Tumwater Fire Department has a long partnership with Thurston County Medic One providing both Basic Life Support (BLS) and Advanced Life Support (ALS) services in the City and County. Staff supports the agreement that ensures continued funding from the County to provide Emergency Medical Services BLS response, purchase medical supplies, and provide training and equipment for personnel. The BLS funding agreement is a 5-year contract signed in 2020. The agreement requires an annual affirmative response from the City for automatic renewal.

3) Policy Support:

Strategic Priorities:
Provide and Sustain Quality Public Safety Services

4) Alternatives:

☐ Do not authorize renewal of the agreement

5) Fiscal Notes:

The 2023-24 City budget includes projected revenue from this agreement

6) Attachments:

- A. Letter of Acknowledgement, 2023 BLS Funding Agreement
- B. Intergovernmental EMS Contract-Basic Life Support (BLS) Funding