

RESOLUTION 2018 - 14

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF  
SUNNYSIDE, WASHINGTON, APPROVING PAYMENT  
OF LIQUIDATED DAMAGES & INTEREST FEES**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Sunnyside is obligated, per collective bargaining agreements, to pay contributions for all bargaining unit employees who received compensation for eighty hours or more in a previous month to Washington Teamsters Welfare Trust Fund; and

**WHEREAS**, on June 25, 2018, the city received a letter from Reid, McCarthy, Ballew & Leahy, L.L.P, a law firm who represents Washington Teamsters Welfare Trust Fund; and

**WHEREAS**, the city was delinquent on the January 2018 payment and requested a waiver of liquidated damages, interest and attorneys' fees; and

**WHEREAS**, the City was granted a waiver of liquidated damages in the amount of \$31,687.67, provided interest fees of \$416.71 and attorneys' fees of \$114.00 are paid by July 11, 2018; and

**WHEREAS**, paragraph 2.14.030(B) of the Sunnyside Municipal Code requires a resolution authorizing payment approved by a majority vote of the City Council; and

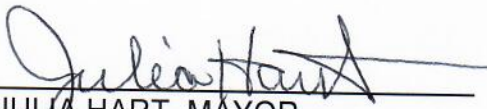
**WHEREAS**, the City Council finds and determines that approval of such payment is in the best interests of residents of the City of Sunnyside and will promote the general health, safety and welfare.

**NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SUNNYSIDE, WASHINGTON, as follows:**

**SECTION 1.** That the balance of contributions due – interest (\$416.71) and attorney's fees (\$114.00) totaling \$530.71 be paid to Washington Teamsters Welfare Trust Fund.

**SECTION 2.** This Resolution shall be effective upon passage, approval and signatures hereon in accordance with law.

**PASSED** this 9<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2018.

  
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JULIA HART, MAYOR

**ATTEST:**

  
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JACQUELINE RENTERIA, CITY CLERK

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

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KERR LAW GROUP, PLLC  
Attorney for the City of Sunnyside