

## RESOLUTION 2025 - 51

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF SUNNYSIDE, WASHINGTON, AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO AMEND AGREEMENT # A-2025-70 WITH INTERIM CITY MANAGER JIM BRIDGES EXTENDING THE TERM OF THE AGREEMENT UNTIL July 31, 2025 OR COMPLETION OF PENDING INVESTIGATION.**

**WHEREAS**, on June 9, 2025 the City Council entered into an agreement with Interim City Manager Jim Bridges through July 2, 2025, anticipating completion of the pending investigation involving the City Manager; and

**WHEREAS**, the City has received notice from the investigator that the investigation will not be completed until after July 2, 2025; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council now finds it necessary to extend the term of the agreement with Interim City Manager Jim Bridges until July 31, 2025, or completion of the pending investigation of the City Manager, whichever occurs first; and

**WHEREAS**, it is in the best interest of the city to amend the agreement to reflect this extension and continue the leadership of Interim City Manager Jim Bridges during this period.

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

**SECTION 1.** The mayor is hereby authorized to amend Agreement # A-2025-70 with Interim City Manager Jim Bridges, extending the term of the agreement until July 31, 2025, or completion of the pending investigation involving the City Manager, whichever occurs first, attached hereto as "Exhibit A".

**SECTION 2.** The City Clerk is authorized to make the correction of scrivener's/clerical errors, references, Resolution numbering, section/subsection numbering and any references thereto.

**SECTION 3.** This Resolution shall be effective upon passage, approval and signatures heron in accordance with law.

**PASSED** this 30th day of June 2025.



DEAN BROERSMA, MAYOR

**ATTEST:**



JACQUELINE RENTERIA, CITY CLERK

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:  
OGDEN MURPHY WALLACE, PLLC**

*/s/ Julie K. Norton*

BY: JULIE K. NORTON, CITY ATTORNEY

**AMENDMENT # 1 TO A-2025-70  
INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR AGREEMENT  
BETWEEN  
THE CITY OF SUNNYSIDE, WASHINGTON  
AND  
JAMES L. BRIDGES**

This amendment to Agreement # A-2025-70 ("Agreement") is made and entered into as of 30th day of June, 2025 by and between the City of Sunnyside, Washington ("City") and Jim L. Bridges ("Mr. Bridges").

**WHEREAS**, the City and Mr. Bridges entered into an Agreement # A-2025-70 on June 9, 2025, for Mr. Bridges to serve as Interim City Manager; and

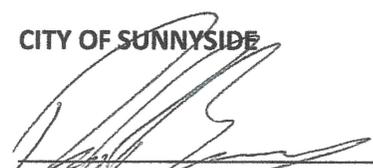
**WHEREAS**, the parties desire to extend the term of the Agreement for a limited period of time.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, the parties agree as follows:

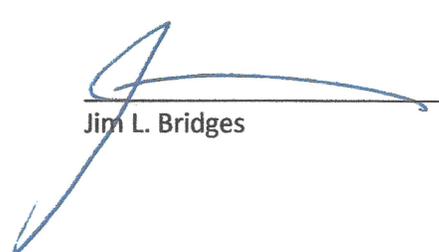
1. Section 1 – Term: The term of the Agreement is hereby amended to extend the duration of Mr. Bridges' service as Interim City Manager until July 31, 2025, or the conclusion of the pending investigation of the City Manager, whichever occurs first.
2. Except as specifically amended herein, all other terms and conditions of Agreement # A-2025-70 shall remain in full force and effect.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the parties hereto have executed this Amendment to Agreement # 2025-70 as of the date first above written.

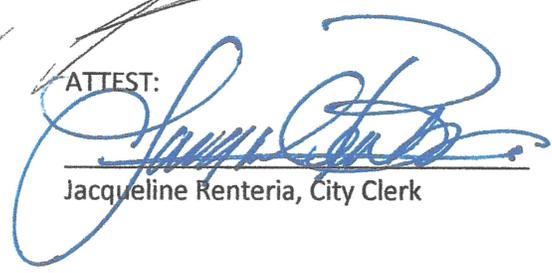
**CITY OF SUNNYSIDE**

  
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Dean Broersma, Mayor

**INTERIM CITY MANAGER**

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Jim L. Bridges

**ATTEST:**

  
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Jacqueline Renteria, City Clerk

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Council Mtg: 06/30/2025