



RESOLUTION NO. 38958

1 A RESOLUTION AND PROPOSITION to amend Article VI, Section 6.6, of the
2 Tacoma City Charter, to allow City employees to contract for utility
3 services and participate in conservation, environmental, and other
4 programs available to the public generally and as otherwise allowed by
5 state law.

6 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

7 Section 1. That Article VI, Section 6.6, of the Tacoma City Charter be
8 amended to read as follows:

9 **Pecuniary Interest**

10 **Section 6.6** - No officer or employee of the City shall have a financial interest,
11 directly or indirectly, in any contract, sale, lease, or purchase with or for the use
12 of the City; or accept, directly or indirectly, any compensation, gratuity, or
13 reward from any other person who is financially interested therein. Provided,
14 however, an officer or employee does not have a prohibited interest if the officer
15 or employee has a remote interest as defined by state law or if the contract with
16 the City is for the furnishing of electrical, water, or other utility services and
17 conservation measures at the same rates and on the same terms as are
18 available to the public generally, or if the contract is otherwise allowed by the
19 state law governing ethics for municipal officers. Violation of any provision of
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