## CITY OF MAPLE VALLEY, WASHINGTON

## **RESOLUTION NO. R-25-1962**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF MAPLE VALLEY, WASHINGTON, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE THE 2026-2035 WRIA 9 INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT FOR CHINOOK SALMON CONSERVATION PLANNING FOR THE WATERSHED BASINS

WHEREAS, Water Resource Inventory Area (WRIA) 8 is a coordinated watershed-scale partnership, established with the goal to recover salmon within the Green/Duwamish Watershed; and

WHEREAS, WRIA 9 is composed of jurisdictions with populations living within subwatersheds and other interested organizations that contribute to the Green/Duwamish Watershed and pay into the partnership based on the population within those sub-watersheds; and

WHEREAS, the City of Maple Valley is party to the 10-year Interlocal Agreement for WRIA 9 that establishes the staffing, governance structure, and joint funding for the functions of the WRIA; and

WHEREAS, the current ILA expires in 2025 and WRIA 9 seeks to renew the ILA for 2026-2035 with de minimus changes.

## NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MAPLE VALLEY, WASHINGTON, DO RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:

<u>Section 1. Authorization.</u> The City Manager is hereby authorized to execute the WRIA 9 Interlocal Agreement for chinook salmon conservation planning for the watershed basins. A copy of Interagency Agreement C-25-4205 has been filed with the City Clerk and identified with Clerk's Receiving No. 4368.

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL AT A REGULAR BUSINESS MEETING THEREOF ON THE  $24^{\mathrm{TH}}$  DAY OF MARCH 2025.

	Sean P. Kelly, Mayor	
ATTEST:		
Andrew Dacuag, City Clerk		

APPROVED AS TO FORM:	
Patricia Taraday, City Attorney	