

RESOLUTION NO. {{item.sequential\_number}}

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TEMPLE, TEXAS, AUTHORIZING AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE TO THE WRECKER SERVICE CONTRACT WITH CEN-TEX WRECKER ASSOCIATION, LLC OF TEMPLE, TEXAS TO EXTEND THE CONTRACT PERIOD THROUGH AUGUST 31, 2025; AND PROVIDING AN OPEN MEETINGS CLAUSE.

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**Whereas**, approval of Amendment No. 1 will allow for continuation of the wrecker services contract with Cen-Tex Wrecker Association, LLC (Cen-Tex) for non-consent motor vehicle wrecker services within the City, to operate and maintain storage facilities for impounded vehicles, to dispose of junk vehicles processed through the City's Junk Vehicle Hearing process with compensation being the crush-only vehicle title, and to tow City vehicles on an as-needed basis - the amendment will extend the contract for one year, from September 1, 2024 through August 31, 2025;

**Whereas**, in order to comply with Chapter 37 – Traffic and Chapter 39 – Wreckers of the City of Temple's Code of Ordinances, Request for Proposals No. 13-18-22 was issued to procure wrecker services - on August 4, 2022, Council authorized a two-year contract with Cen-Tex ending on August 31, 2024, with the option to renew for three additional one-year periods, if agreed to by both parties;

**Whereas**, Staff recommends Council authorize Amendment No. 1 to the wrecker service contract with Cen-Tex to extend the contract period through August 31, 2025;

**Whereas**, The City will only be charged for wrecker services related to the following:

1. The towing of City-owned vehicles with a rated capacity of 10,001-39,999 GVW – \$100 per tow, plus \$5.00 per mile for tows to a repair shop outside the City; and
2. The towing of City-owned vehicle with a rated capacity of 40,000 or greater GVW – \$125 per tow, plus \$6.00 per mile for tows to a repair shop outside the City.

**Whereas**, these fees, when incurred, will be absorbed by the respective department's operating budget; and

**Whereas**, the City Council has considered the matter and deems it in the public interest to authorize this action.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TEMPLE, TEXAS, THAT:**

**Part 1: Findings.** All of the above premises are hereby found to be true and correct legislative and factual findings of the City Council of the City of Temple, Texas, and they are hereby approved and incorporated into the body of this Resolution as if copied in their entirety.

**Part 2:** The City Council authorizes Amendment No. 1 to the wrecker service contract with Cen-Tex Wrecker Association, LLC of Temple, Texas to extend the contract period through August 31, 2025, and authorizes the City Manager, or her designee, after approval as to form by the City Attorney's Office, to execute any necessary documents.

**Part 3:** It is hereby officially found and determined that the meeting at which this Resolution was passed was open to the public as required and that public notice of the time, place, and purpose of said meeting was given as required by the Open Meetings Act.

PASSED AND APPROVED this the **1<sup>st</sup>** day of **August, 2024**.

THE CITY OF TEMPLE, TEXAS

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TIMOTHY A. DAVIS, Mayor

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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Jana Lewellen  
City Secretary

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Kathryn H. Davis  
City Attorney