



## **CITY OF KIRKLAND**

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### **MEMORANDUM**

**To:** City Council

**From:** Robin S. Jenkinson, City Attorney

**Date:** June 9, 2010

**Subject:** Employment Agreement for Kurt Triplett

#### **RESOLUTION APPROVING EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT:**

The attached resolution approves, and authorizes the Mayor to execute, an employment agreement with Kurt Triplett as the new Kirkland City Manager, with Mr. Triplett reporting to work beginning June 28, 2010. The terms and conditions specified in the employment agreement are within the parameters provided to Council's executive recruiter by the Council.

#### **BACKGROUND DISCUSSION:**

The City Council directed Bob Murray of Bob Murray & Associates, the Council's executive recruitment firm, to make a formal offer of employment to Mr. Triplett. The employment offer was accepted and an agreement was negotiated with the terms directed by the City Council. An employment agreement formalizing the terms of the new City Manager's employment is now before the Council for action.

RESOLUTION R-4822

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KIRKLAND APPROVING AN EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE KIRKLAND CITY COUNCIL AND KURT TRIPLETT, ITS CITY MANAGER.

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Kirkland as follows:

Section 1. The Employment Agreement for the City Manager of the City of Kirkland, attached hereto as Exhibit "A" and by this reference incorporated herein, is approved by the Kirkland City Council to be its agreement as to terms and conditions of employment with Kurt Triplett as Kirkland City Manager.

Section 2. The Mayor is authorized to sign an Employment Agreement which is substantially similar to that attached as Exhibit "A" on behalf of the City of Kirkland and its City Council.

Passed by majority vote of the Kirkland City Council in open meeting this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2010.

Signed in authentication thereof this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2010.

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MAYOR

Attest:

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City Clerk