By: Finance Department

Adopted: December 14, 2020

Yes: Brown, Burney, Harvey, Johnson, Rausa, Velock

No: None Absent: None

### City of Wasilla Resolution Serial No. 20-42

A Resolution Of The Wasilla City Council Amending The City Of Wasilla Public Employees' Retirement System Plan Agreement To Include The Position Of Police Chief In The City Of Wasilla Public Employees' Retirement System Plan Pursuant To AS 39.35.

WHEREAS, the City of Wasilla underwent a Compliance Audit for the calendar year 2018, conducted by the State of Alaska, Division of Retirement and Benefits; and

WHEREAS, through Resolution Serial No. 19-01, the City of Wasilla excluded the position of Police Chief from the Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS) plan; and

WHEREAS, the City of Wasilla, wishes to amend the City of Wasilla PERS plan to now include the position of Police Chief; and

WHEREAS, the City of Wasilla PERS plan, as amended, presently permits amendments to the plan by adding or deleting participants from the plan.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Wasilla City Council that:

- Pursuant to AS 39.35, the City of Wasilla, hereby requests permission to amend the City of Wasilla PERS plan to include the position of Police Chief in the City's PERS plan.
- 2. The Mayor of the City of Wasilla is authorized by the City Council of Wasilla, Alaska to:
  - Take the appropriate steps necessary to include the position of Police Chief in the City of Wasilla PERS plan; and
  - Initiate an amended participation agreement between the City of Wasilla and the State of Alaska, Division of Retirement and Benefits.

Effective Date. This resolution takes effect upon adoption.

ADOPTED by the Wasilla City Council on December 14, 2020.

Glenda D. Ledford, Mayor

ATTEST:

Jamie Newman, MMC, City Clerk

[SEAL]

## City of Wasilla **Legislative Staff Report** Resolution Serial No. 20-42

Amending The City Of Wasilla Public Employees' Retirement System Plan Agreement To Include The Position Of Police Chief In The City Of Wasilla Public Employees' Retirement System Plan Pursuant To AS 39.35.

Originator:

Troy Tankersley, Finance Director

Date:

12/2/2020

Agenda of: 12/14/2020

Route to:	Department Head	Signature	Date
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X	Finance Director	Mongrista	12.2.20
X	Deputy Administrator	A fac	12/2/2020
X	City Clerk	Bank Stamber Dapotycles	Ceaseons 4
X	Mayor	Denda & Sectord	12/2/200

Fiscal Impact:  $\boxtimes$  yes or  $\square$  no

Account name/number:

(FY2021)

Personnel Sycs-Benefit / PERS 001.4210-420-20-30

\$15,845

**Attachments**: Resolution Serial No. 20-42 (2 pages)

Public Employees' Retirement System

Participation Agreement Amendment No. 21 (1 page)

#### **Summary Statement:**

In June 2018, the City of Wasilla underwent a State of Alaska, Department of Retirement and Benefits (SOADRB), Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS) audit for the calendar year 2017. In November 2018, the City of Wasilla received its Compliance Audit Report issued by the SOADRB.

From the report, and through Resolution Serial No. 19-01, the City of Wasilla excluded the position of Police Chief from the PERS plan.

The City of Wasilla wishes to fill the position of Police Chief and to do so needs to include the position of Police Chief in its PERS Agreement. The SOADRB allows for amendments to be made to the PERS Agreement by adding and deleting positions but must adopt through resolution the request for the amendment to the SOADRB.

Recommended Action: Adopt the Resolution.

# PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM

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# PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT AMENDMENT NO. 21 The Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS) Participation Agreement entered into between the State of Alaska (hereafter referred to as the State) and the City of Wasilla (employer name) on January 1, 1982 , and approved by the State on January 1, 1982 (date) is amended effective December 10, 2020 , by changing subparagraph 2 (date) on page 2 to read as follows (type text of new subparagraph): City of Wasilla requests to include the position of Police Chief into its PERS Agreement. Authorized Representative Signature Authorized Representative Name (please type/print) Authorized Representative's Title Approved: Administrator

Date