

**CITY OF PROSSER, WASHINGTON
RESOLUTION NO. 12-1406**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PROSSER APPROVING AN INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT WITH BENTON COUNTY/TRI-CITIES REGIONAL SPECIAL WEAPONS AND TACTICS (SWAT) TEAM GIVING THE CITY OF PROSSER THE ABILITY TO HAVE THE SWAT TEAM AVAILABLE TO RESPOND TO SERIOUS CRIMINAL OCCURRENCES IF NECESSARY.

WHEREAS, The Regional SWAT team was formed as jointly maintained and operated multi-jurisdictional Special Weapons and Tactics Team (SWAT) to effectively respond to serious criminal occurrences within the respective jurisdictions; and,

WHEREAS, The City of Prosser does not participate in the Benton County/Tri-cities Regional Special Weapons and Tactics (SWAT) Team, but desires to have the SWAT Team available to respond to serious criminal occurrences if necessary; and,

WHEREAS, Benton County and the cities of Kennewick, Richland and Pasco, have previously executed an interlocal agreement to organize and operate the SWAT Team and may agree to allow the SWAT Team to assist the City of Prosser under certain circumstances.

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

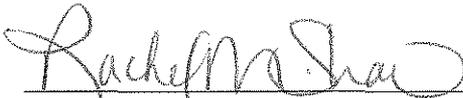
The City of Prosser, as a non participating agency, approves the Interlocal Agreement for Services of Benton County/Tri-cities Regional Special Weapons and Tactics Team to Non-Participating Jurisdiction, a copy of which is attached to this Resolution, and that the Mayor is authorized to execute the Agreement on behalf of the City.

ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Prosser and **APPROVED** by the Mayor of the City of Prosser this 31st day of November, 2012.



Mayor, Paul Warden

ATTEST:



City Clerk, Rachel Shaw

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



City Attorney, Howard Saxton



ATTACHMENT "A"

Description

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