

# **RESOLUTION 2070**

## **A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF NORTH BEND, WASHINGTON, AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT FOR THE WHOLESALE SUPPLY OF WATER BETWEEN THE CITY OF NORTH BEND AND SALLAL WATER ASSOCIATION**

**WHEREAS**, the City of North Bend and Sallal Water Association each provide water to customers to separate areas inside the North Bend city limits and also to separate areas of unincorporated King County outside the North Bend city limits; and

**WHEREAS**, the Washington State Department of Ecology (“Ecology”) approved Permit No. G1-26617(A) (“Permit”) for the City’s Centennial Well in 2007; and

**WHEREAS**, the Permit includes a required mitigation plan that obligates the City to develop supplies of mitigation water for delivery to the Snoqualmie River in amounts required to offset the net stream depletion resulting from withdrawals of water under the Permit under defined low flow conditions; and

**WHEREAS**, the Permit identifies Hobo Springs as one approved source of mitigation water, and Sallal’s Rattlesnake Lake Wellfield as another approved source. Hobo Springs is currently operational, and the City and Sallal have now agreed on the form of an Agreement for the Wholesale Supply of Water under which Sallal will provide an additional source of potable water to the City for mitigation purposes, and the City will provide an additional source of potable water to Sallal needed to serve new growth in Sallal’s water service area; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council desires to authorize the Mayor to execute the Agreement for the Wholesale Supply of Water between the City of North Bend and Sallal Water Association in order to satisfy the City’s and Sallal’s respective water supply needs;

**NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH BEND, WASHINGTON, DOES HEREBY RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:**

**Section 1.** The Mayor is authorized to execute the Agreement for the Wholesale Supply of Water between the City of North Bend and Sallal Water Association, in the form attached hereto as Exhibit A.

**PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH BEND, WASHINGTON, AT A REGULAR MEETING THEREOF, THIS 6<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF JUNE, 2023.**

**CITY OF NORTH BEND:**

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

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**Rob McFarland, Mayor**

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**Lisa Marshall, City Attorney**

**ATTEST/AUTHENTICATED:**

Effective: June 6, 2023

Posted: June 7, 2023

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**Susie Oppedal, City Clerk**