

City of Cheney
609 Second Street
Cheney, WA 99004

**CITY OF CHENEY
SPOKANE COUNTY WASHINGTON**

RESOLUTION F-117

**INTERLOCAL JUDICIAL COOPERATION AGREEMENT BETWEEN
SPOKANE COUNTY AND THE CITY OF CHENEY
(January 1, 2022 - December 31, 2026)**

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provisions of RCW 36.32.120(6), the Board of County Commissioners of Spokane County, Washington has the care of county property and management of county funds and business; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 3.50 RCW, the City of Cheney has established a Municipal Court; and

WHEREAS, RCW 3.50.040 sets terms and qualifications for Municipal and District Judges as a part-time municipal judge and consistent with this statute the appointment by the Mayor of a District Court Judge to act as its municipal court judge shall be for a term commencing January 1, 2022 and terminating December 31, 2026; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provisions of RCW 3.34.070, Spokane County District Court Judges are elected for terms of four (4) years commencing from and after the second Monday in January next succeeding his or her selection. This Agreement shall be effective on January 1, 2022 and shall remain in effect for a four (4) year time frame terminating December 31, 2026, unless one or all of the Parties provide(s) notice of termination as provided in SECTION NO. 7 of this Agreement.

WHEREAS, pursuant to the above-cited statutory provisions, Spokane County, Spokane County District Court and the City of Cheney are desirous of entering into an Interlocal Agreement pursuant to which under certain terms and conditions the Parties will agree to share facilities for District Court and Municipal Court in the City of Cheney, make provisions for the salaries of the District and Municipal Court judges and provide for the cooperation between the Spokane County District Court and the City of Cheney Municipal Court for a term which recognizes both the provisions of RCW 3.50 040 and RCW 3.34.070.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED the Cheney City Council by majority vote authorizes the Mayor to sign the Interlocal Agreement between the City of Cheney and Spokane County for Judicial Services.

ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Cheney at a regular meeting this 10th day of January, 2023 at the Cheney City Council Chambers, 609 Second St, Cheney, WA 99004.

Chris Grover, Mayor

Attest:

Cynthia L. Niemeier, City Clerk