

Committee: Committee of the Whole Analyst: Deb Evison Bell

ECAF: 2023-0529

Consideration:

The proposed motion would authorize approval of the County Executive to sign and execute the Contract for Legal Services Agreement CC03-20 with Pacifica Law Group, LLP, under SCC 3.04.190.

Background:

Snohomish County intends to develop a Food and Farming Center that will be a resource for our region's fruit and vegetable farmers. Snohomish County selected Pacifica Law Group, LLC, through RFP-23-001TB, following established Federal, State and County policies. A Professional Services Agreement between Snohomish County and Pacifica Law Group, LLP has been negotiated.

Current Proposal:

Scope: The proposed Agreement would allow for legal services to assist with a progressive design-build for the County Food and Farming Center.

Duration: The Agreement is proposed to be effective upon execution and shall terminate two years from execution.

Fiscal Implications: The total amount of this contract with Pacifica Law Group, LLP is not to exceed \$67,380.00.

2023 Budget: This agreement will be funded with REET2, Grants and Other fund sources.

<u>Future Budget Impacts</u>: Reviewed and approved by Finance.

Handling: URGENT

Approved-as-to-form: YES

Risk Management: APPROVE

Executive Recommendation: APPROVE

Requests: For Council to consider the motion.