

Committee: Public Works and Infrastructure Analyst: Deb Evison Bell

ECAF: 2023-0701

Proposal: Motion 23-263 Date: July 18, 2023

Consideration

The proposed motion would approve and authorization of the County Executive to sign Amendment No. 2 to the Agreement between Snohomish County and the Mukilteo Water and Wastewater District, under SCC 13.01.020(5).

Background

Washington State RCW 39.34 provides for interlocal agreements between local agencies within the state for mutual advantage and thereby to provide services and facilities in a manner beneficial to both agencies. Snohomish County and the Mukilteo Water and Wastewater District first entered into an agreement in September 2003 that allowed the County to connect wastewater facilities to the district's collection system and discharge wastewater, leachate and stormwater into their systems. The original agreement was for a 20-year period, which expired on December 31, 2022. A temporary extension via motion 23-008, was executed in January 2023 for an additional six months at the cost of \$50,000.

Current Proposal

Scope: The County and the District wish to extend the term of the agreement through December 31, 2023, allowing additional time to negotiate a new agreement. The District has approved the proposed amendment at their regularly scheduled board meeting of June 7, 2023.

Duration: The duration of the agreement is from execution and shall terminate on December 31, 2023, unless extended by agreement of all parties.

Fiscal Implications: The estimated cost for the additional 6 months of service is \$50,000.

<u>2023 Budget Impacts:</u> Funds are included in the approved 2023 budget.

Handling: NORMAL

Approved-as-to-form: YES

Risk Management: APPROVE.

Executive Recommendation: APPROVE.

Request: Move to GLS on July 19, 2023, for consideration.