



Public Infrastructure and Conservation

Deb Bell

Council Initiated:

☐ Yes

☒ No

ECAF: 2024-1518

Motion: 24-288

Type:

☒ Contract

☐ Board Appt.

☐ Code Amendment

☐ Budget Action

☐ Other

Requested Handling:

☒ Normal

☐ Expedite

☐ Urgent

Fund Source:

☐ General Fund

☒ Other

☐ N/A

Executive Rec:

☒ Approve

☐ Do Not Approve

☐ N/A

Approved as to

Form:

☐ Yes

☒ No

☐ N/A

Subject: State and Local Cybersecurity Grant Program (SLCPG) Contract E24-360 with Washington Military Department and the U.S. Department of Homeland Security.

Scope: Accepting an award of grant funds from Washington Military Department for State and Local Cybersecurity Grant Program (SLCPG).

Duration: December 1, 2023, through June 30, 2025.

Fiscal Impact: ☒ Current Year ☐ Multi-Year ☐ N/A

Priority Package #227 was submitted in the 2024 budget to establish appropriation authority for the funds.

Expenditures	2024	2025	2026
130.576148826401	\$160,000	\$0	\$0
Total	\$160,000	\$0	\$0

Revenue	2024	2025	2026
130.376148827137	\$160,000	\$0	\$0
Total	\$160,000	\$0	\$0

Authority Granted: Approve and authorize the County Executive to execute the 2024 State and Local Cybersecurity Grant Contract Number E24-360 between Snohomish County and Washington Military Department, and any associated amendments thereto, under SCC 2.10.010(24).

Background: In October 2023 Snohomish County applied to the Washington Military Department for the cybersecurity grant program with the U.S. Department of Homeland Security.

The Washington Military Department and the U.S. Department of Homeland Security have established a State and Local Cybersecurity Grant Program to assist state, local, and territorial governments (SLT) with managing and reducing systemic cyber risk. Strengthening cybersecurity practices and resiliency of SLT governments is an important homeland security mission and the primary focus of the grant. Through funding from the Infrastructure Investments and Jobs Act (IIJA), also known as the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law, this allows for targeted cybersecurity investments, improving the security of critical infrastructure and improving the resilience of services.

The County received notice of an award from the Washington Military Department of \$160,000 on March 11, 2024.

Requested Action: For Council to move the motion to GLS on August 28 for consideration.