

Committee:FinanceECAF:2022-0946Proposal:Mot. 22-396

Analyst: Jim Martin

Date: September 22, 2022

Consideration:

Authorizing the Snohomish County Executive to sign a contract amendment with Joyce Ziker Partners PLLC for legal services for environmental claims in and around the Southeast area of the Snohomish County Airport.

Background

Specialized environmental legal representation for Snohomish County Airport in relation to potential legal action in relation to hazardous waste, substances, pollutants, and contaminants on Airport property, possibly caused by various long-term tenants. Joyce Ziker Partners PLLC has provided the County with sound legal advice and consultation regarding environmental issues at the Snohomish County Airport in other locations.

Current Proposal

This motion amends the contract's not to exceed amount, increasing the total by \$30,000, which includes an hourly rate adjustment. New total not to exceed amount is \$180,000.

Duration: N/A *Fiscal Implications:* Not to exceed \$180,000, an increase of \$30,000

2022 Budget: Yes

Future Budget Impacts: None.

Handling: Normal

Approved-as-to-form: Yes.

Risk Management: Yes.

Executive Recommendation: APPROVE.

Attachments: See ECAF packet.

Amendments: NONE.

<u>Request:</u> Move to GLS on September 28th for consideration.