



Snohomish County Council

Committee: Public Works and Infrastructure

ECAF: 2023-0119

Proposal: Motion 23-066

Analyst: Deb Evison Bell

Date: February 21, 2023

Consideration:

The proposed motion would approve and authorize the County Executive to sign Professional Services Agreement CCF01-23 with KPFF, Inc. for Design Services for the Red Bridge #537 Preventative Maintenance Project and would further authorize the Director of Public Works or designee to approve amendments, provided sufficient appropriation authority exists, under SCC 3.04.190.

Background:

Red Bridge #537 spans the South Fork of the Stillaguamish River and is a 209-foot-long three span bridge, originally built in 1954. The bridge provides year-round access to properties on the Mountain Loop Highway east of the river and serves as an important resource for recreational visitors to the Mount Baker-Snoqualmie National Forest, with an average daily traffic count of 942 vehicles for 2022. Preventative maintenance is necessary to extend the life of this critical structure.

A Request for Qualifications (RFQ-22-010TB) was issued soliciting consulting services for the Design Services necessary for the preventative maintenance project. KPFF, Inc. was the only firm to respond, and was selected following all established federal, state and county policies and practices. A Professional Services Agreement was negotiated for preventative maintenance to include structural engineering, technical reports, permitting support, inspection and evaluation, preparation of bidding documents, design related construction support, bridge inspection and load rating services.

Current Proposal:

Scope: Approval by motion is sought from Council to approve and authorize the County Executive to sign the Professional Services Agreement CCF01-23 with KPFF, Inc to provide design services for the Red Bridge #537 preventative maintenance project.

Duration: Execution through December 31, 2026.

Fiscal Implications: The total payments for services for this agreement is \$254,945.66, with a total not to exceed amount of \$280,440.22.

2023 Budget: The 2023 Budget includes appropriation authority for the proposed agreement.

Future Budget Impacts: The project is included in the adopted 2023-2028 TIP under project No. F.51.

Handling: Normal

Approved-as-to-form: No (LAG agreement template approved 7/28/2021)

Risk Management: APPROVE

Executive Recommendation: APPROVE

Requests: Move to GLS on March 1, 2023, for consideration.