

Committee: Public Infrastructure and Conservation Analyst: Deb Evison Bell

**ECAF:** 2023-0602 **Proposal:** Motion 23-22

Motion 23-229 **Date:** June 6, 2023

## Consideration

The proposed motion would approve and authorize the County Executive to execute the Right-Of-Way Plan for Interurban Trail Improvements: 167 PL SW to 160 ST SW; RC1778; UP#20-0058; and would authorize the Public Works Director to approve appraisal and appraisal review contracts necessary to implement the plan, in an amount not exceeding \$105,000; and would authorize the County Engineer to acquire uneconomic remnants or additional impacted property necessary to implement the plan and all attendant documents for the completion of the project; and authorizes the County Engineer to make revisions to the plan and to approve and sign a revised Right-of-Way Plan to provide for design revisions and to document uneconomic remnants or additional impacted property acquired, under RCW 36.77.010.

## **Background**

The County proposes to construct trail widening improvements along 13<sup>th</sup> Ave W/ Meadow Rd to improve non-motorized safety and mobility by providing a continuous, grade-separated trail. Construction of the project will require Right-of-Way acquisition from eight (8) parcels and temporary easements from fifteen (15) parcels. The Right-of-Way acquisition process is scheduled to begin in July 2023.

## **Current Proposal**

Scope: The proposed motion would approve of the Right-of-Way Plan for the Interurban Trail Improvements: 167 PL SW to 160 ST SW and allow Public Works to proceed with acquisition and purchase of the necessary Right-of-Way.

Duration: NA

Fiscal Implications: The ROW project is currently funded by County Road Fund 102.

**<u>2023 Budget:</u>** This project is included in the adopted the 2023 ACP and 2023-2028 Six Year Transportation Improvement Program as item C.41.

<u>Budget Impacts:</u> The land appraisal and appraisal review contracts necessary to implement the plan, in the amount not to exceed \$105,000 has been included in the budget.

**Handling:** NORMAL

**Approved-as-to-form:** NA (Plans are stamped and signed by County Engineer)

Risk Management: NA

**Executive Recommendation:** APPROVE.

**<u>Attachments:</u>** The stamped ROW plans are attached to the proposed motion.

Amendments: NONE.

**Request:** The requested action is to move to GLS on June 14, 2023, for consideration.