



Snohomish County Council

Legislation Text

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Executive/Council Action Form (ECAF)

ITEM TITLE:

Motion 24-234, authorizing approval of Professional Services Agreement SWMCC05-24 with Advanced Eco-Solutions Inc. for Limnological Taxonomic Services

DEPARTMENT: DCNR, Surface Water Management

ORIGINATOR: Connie Price & Marisa Burghdoff

EXECUTIVE RECOMMENDATION: Lacey Harper 5/23/24

PURPOSE: To authorize approval of Professional Services Agreement SWMCC05-24 with Advanced Eco-Solutions Inc. for Limnological Taxonomic Services.

BACKGROUND: The Snohomish County Lake Management Program was developed to work with County residents and lake scientists to protect and restore the water quality and ecology of Snohomish County lakes. A major aspect of the Lake Management Program is regular monitoring of lake conditions. The County will start collecting biological samples, specifically freshwater phytoplankton (algae) and zooplankton, as part of its monitoring program in 2024. Results will be used for tracking the health of lakes, identifying pollution sources, developing and implementing lake restoration plans, evaluating the success of restoration actions, and compliance with State or Federal water quality permit and/or grant requirements. Through a Request for Proposal (RFP), SWM has solicited the services of a consultant to assist the County with taxonomic laboratory testing services. Advanced Eco-Solutions Inc. responded to RFP-24-019RB and was selected through established Federal, State and County policies and practices. A Professional Services Agreement between Snohomish County and IEH Analytical Laboratories was negotiated. Total payments for services under this agreement shall not exceed \$98,850 for three years.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS:

EXPEND: FUND, AGY, ORG, ACTY, OBJ, AU	CURRENT YR	2ND YR	1ST 6 YRS
415 509 511 4 4101 SWM Professional	\$32,950	\$32,950	\$98,850
TOTAL	\$32,950	\$32,950	\$98,850

REVENUE: FUND, AGY, ORG, REV, SOURCE	CURRENT YR	2ND YR	1ST 6 YRS
415 306 511 1770 SWM Service Charges	\$32,950	\$32,950	\$98,850

TOTAL	\$32,950	\$32,950	\$98,850

DEPARTMENT FISCAL IMPACT NOTES: Click or tap here to enter text.

CONTRACT INFORMATION:

ORIGINAL	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	CONTRACT#	SWMCC05-24	AMOUNT	\$98,850
AMENDMENT	<input type="checkbox"/>	CONTRACT#	_____	AMOUNT	_____

Contract Period

ORIGINAL	START	Date of Execution	END	6/30/2027
AMENDMENT	START	_____	END	_____

OTHER DEPARTMENTAL REVIEW/COMMENTS: Reviewed/approved by: Risk Management (Sheila Barker 5/22/24), Finance (Nathan Kennedy 5/23/24), and Prosecuting Attorney's Office (Justin Kasting 5/15/24)