



Snohomish County Council

Legislation Text

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Executive/Council Action Form (ECAF)

ITEM TITLE:

Motion 23-487, authorizing the County Executive to sign Joint Funding Agreement 24GJFA05600 with U.S. Department of the Interior, U.S. Geological Survey for Water Resource Investigations

DEPARTMENT: Conservation & Natural Resources

ORIGINATOR: Connie Price/Keith Hume

EXECUTIVE RECOMMENDATION: Lacey Harper 10/30/23

PURPOSE: Approval of a Joint Funding Agreement with the US Geological Survey (USGS) to conduct hydrologic data collection and investigations at Snohomish County stream gaging stations

BACKGROUND: Snohomish County has utilized USGS services to provide data from stream/river gages since 1986. This contract covers gaging in the Snohomish, Skykomish and Stillaguamish river basins and provides the residents with real-time river levels during storms to aid in evacuation planning and response. In addition to flood warnings, the data collected from stream/river gages also provide important information related to salmon habitat restoration design, flood mitigation and other water resource issues within the County.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS:

EXPEND: FUND, AGY, ORG, ACTY, OBJ, AU	CURRENT YR	2ND YR	1ST 6 YRS
415 509 5114 4101 Professional Services	\$79,399		\$79,399
TOTAL	\$79,399		\$79,399

REVENUE: FUND, AGY, ORG, REV, SOURCE	CURRENT YR	2ND YR	1ST 6 YRS
415 306 511 4902 (Road Fund Transfer)	\$79,399		\$79,399
TOTAL	\$79,399		\$79,399

