

## SOUND TRANSIT

### MOTION NO. M2005-118

A motion of the Finance Committee of the Central Puget Sound Regional Transit Authority authorizing the Chief Executive Officer to execute a contract amendment with Parsons Brinckerhoff Quade & Douglas, Inc. to provide additional on-call railroad and other engineering services for the Capital Projects program in the amount of \$100,000, for a new total authorized contract amount not to exceed \$300,000.

#### **Background:**

The Parsons Brinckerhoff Quade & Douglas on-call railroad engineering contract provides consultant services for railroad engineering, engineering analysis, independent review, and CADD support services for commuter rail division of the Capital Projects Department, including the Tacoma to Everett and Lakewood to Tacoma Sounder corridors.

An on-call railroad engineering services roster was established in April 2005. Parsons Brinckerhoff was selected along with JL Patterson to provide railroad engineering services. The current Parsons Brinckerhoff Quade & Douglas contract was authorized by the Chief Executive Officer in May 2005 from the on-call roster procurement.

Parsons Brinckerhoff scope of services would include independent technical review of design, constructability, and operational analysis of grading and drainage, track work and track alignment, signals, grade crossings, cost estimates, coordination with third parties, and track and signal inspection and special operating analysis if needed. Parsons Brinckerhoff also provides staff resources and expertise to supplement Sound Transit staff.


#### **Motion:**

It is hereby moved by the Finance Committee of the Central Puget Sound Regional Transit Authority that the Chief Executive Officer is authorized to execute a contract amendment with Parsons Brinckerhoff Quade & Douglas, Inc. to provide additional on-call railroad and other engineering services for the Capital Projects program in the amount of \$100,000, for a new total authorized contract amount not to exceed \$300,000.

APPROVED by the Finance Committee of the Central Puget Sound Regional Transit Authority at a regular meeting thereof held on October 20, 2005.

  
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Jack Crawford  
Finance Committee Chair

ATTEST:

  
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Marcia Walker  
Board Administrator