

SOUND TRANSIT

MOTION NO. M2005-13

A motion of the Finance Committee of the Central Puget Sound Regional Transit Authority authorizing the Chief Executive Officer to execute a task order with the Washington State Department of Transportation under the existing Umbrella Agreement GCA 3361 covering construction administration of Sound Transit projects within WSDOT right-of-way for the Link Light Rail Tukwila Freeway Route construction in the amount of \$572,100, with a 10% contingency of \$57,210, for a total authorized amount not to exceed \$629,310.

Background:

A Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) executed on October 23, 1997, established a cooperative relationship between Sound Transit and the Washington State Department of Transportation (WSDOT). The MOU covered the regional express/HOV system, commuter rail, and light rail and established working principles between the agencies to facilitate the design, construction, and operation of capital projects listed in Sound Move; coordinated public transportation service provided by each agency; and provided for future agreements dealing with specific programs or projects related to Sound Move.

On May 13, 2002, the Sound Transit Board authorized the Executive Director to negotiate and execute an umbrella agreement with WSDOT for construction administration of Sound Transit projects to be constructed on WSDOT right-of-ways in accordance with key provisions, including Link light rail use of State right of way.


Sound Transit and WSDOT executed a construction umbrella agreement on October 13, 2002, related to the construction administration of Sound Transit projects to be built within WSDOT right of way. The umbrella agreement includes a process for establishing individual task orders that cover the coordination of all issues affecting the Link Light Rail project including environmental concerns, utilities, inspection, change order review, and approval and closeout activities.

To date four construction task orders have been executed with WSDOT for the Central Link Light Rail Initial Segment. These task orders are for the E-3 pole relocation (C705), downtown tunnel retrofit (C510), the E-3 Busway (C700), and the Beacon Hill Tunnel (C710).

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 task order with the Washington State Department of Transportation under the existing Umbrella Agreement GCA 3361 covering construction administration of Sound Transit projects within WSDOT right-of-way for the Link Light Rail Tukwila Freeway Route construction (C755 and C757), in the amount of \$572,100, with a 10% contingency of \$57,210, for a total authorized amount not to exceed \$629,310.

APPROVED by the Finance Committee of the Central Puget Sound Regional Transit Authority at a regular meeting thereof held on February 3, 2005.



Kevin R. Phelps
Finance Committee Chair

ATTEST:



Marcia Walker
Board Administrator