Q2 2025 Internal Audit Update

Finance and Audit Committee 7/10/2025

Data Classification: Unrestricted



Why we're here

• Regular update to Finance & Audit Committee for audits performed in Q2 2025.

Update only, no Committee action requested





Q2 2025 Internal Audit Activities - Complete

Current Audit Projects – Agencywide					
Audit Project Title	Group	Status	Comments		
Downtown Redmond Link Construction Certification Audit	Audit	<	1 finding		
Downtown Redmond Link Readiness Certification Audit	Audit	<	1 finding		
Sounder Accident & Incident Reporting Audit	Audit		No findings		
East Link (E130) Construction Certification Audit	Audit		No findings		



Completed Audit Summaries



Downtown Redmond Link Construction Certification Audit

Background: Performed at points in capital project lifecycle; part of 2025 Comprehensive Agency Audit Plan.

- **Scope**: Agency's safety and security certification and management plans, contract specifications, and construction criteria.
- **Reviewed**: safety certifiable items for construction specifications, inspection reports, and safety hazard mitigations.
- One (1) finding Inadequate documentation





Downtown Redmond Link Readiness Certification Audit

Background: Performed at points in capital project lifecycle; part of 2025 Comprehensive Agency Audit Plan.

- Scope: Agency's safety and security certification and management plans, contract specifications, pre-revenue testing and operational activities.
- **Reviewed**: safety certifiable items, inspection reports, and safety hazard mitigations.
- One (1) finding Inadequate documentation





Sounder Accident & Incident Reporting Audit

Background: Performed annually by FRA requirements; part of 2025 Comprehensive Agency Audit Plan.

- **Scope**: Agency's procedures for reporting, investigating, and responding to incidents and risk mitigation.
- **Reviewed**: Agency compliance to FRA rules, adherence to Sound Transit's Incident Control Plan, and reviewed incident reports.
- No findings





East Link (E130) Construction Certification Audit

Background: Performed at points in capital project lifecycle; part of 2025 Comprehensive Agency Audit Plan.

- **Scope**: Agency's safety and security certification and management plans, contract specifications, and construction criteria.
- Reviewed: Safety certifiable items for construction specifications, inspection reports, and safety hazard mitigations.
- No findings



Upcoming Audit Activities

Q2 2025 Internal Audit Activities – In progress

Current Audit Projects – Agencywide					
Audit Project Title	Group	Status	Expected Report		
Sounder Safety Compliance Audit	Audit		September 2025		
Fare Compliance Performance Audit	Audit		September 2025		
ESMS Internal Audit	Audit		September 2025		
Non-Revenue Vehicle Fleet (Special Audit)	Audit		September 2025		
Agreed Upon Procedures for NTD	Finance		September 2025		
SOC 1 Examination – ORCA (INIT & ROOT)	Finance		September 2025		
Agreed Upon Procedures (Subarea Equity)	Finance		September 2025		
Follow-up : East Link (E130) Construction Site Surveillance Audit	Quality		September 2025		
Follow-up: 11/26/21 Link Incident Audit	Audit		September 2025		



Q2 2025 Internal Audit Activities – In progress

Current Audit Projects – Agencywide					
Audit Project Title	Group	Status	Expected Report		
FEMA Financial Monitoring Review (External)	Finance		September 2025		
Auburn Station Access Improvements Design Quality Audit	Quality	~	September 2025		
East Link (E130) Construction Site Surveillance	Quality	~	September 2025		
Internal Audit function Quality Assurance Review (QAR)	Audit	~	September 2025		







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