Marketing and Advertising Services

Rider Experience and Operations Committee

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Proposed action

Executive a five-year contract with two one-year options with Copacino + Fujikado to provide marketing and advertising services for an amount not to exceed \$9,940,000 plus applicable taxes.



Purpose of the contract

Create advertising programs that:

- Promote Sound Transit ridership and customer retention;
- Promote new services facilities; and
- Increase awareness of Sound Transit services.









Key features

- Analyze potential markets for ST services;
- Develop and implement advertising campaigns;
- Place advertising media;
- Build awareness of Connect2020 singletracking in downtown Seattle transit tunnel in 2019.
- Promote the launch of service openings
 2021- 2024 (includes Link light rail and the new Stride BRT system)





Key services provided:

- Media buying services
- Creating and preparing advertising ideas and program
- Preparing cost estimates for producing recommended programs
- Checking and verifying insertions, displays, or broadcasts
- Evaluating and reporting on advertising results



Types of advertising we do:

- Digital
- Print
- Geo-targeted Cable
- Movie theaters
- Transit and outdoor
- Online
- Paid social
- Radio/Traffic sponsorships
- Diversity media







Contract cost includes:

- Ad agency fees
- Cost of advertising media
- Advertising production costs
- Relevant taxes

This is a task-order based contract for work on an as-needed basis.



Thank you.



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