

IAA NO.

WCC-14-34-003

# INTERAGENCY AGREEMENT (IAA)

#### BETWEEN

The State of Washington, Department of ECOLOGY

# AND City of Olympia

THIS AGREEMENT is made and entered into by and between the Department of Ecology, hereinafter referred to as ECOLOGY and City of Olympia hereinafter referred to as the SPONSOR.

IT IS THE PURPOSE OF THIS AGREEMENT to p	provide Washington Conservation Corps (WCC) members to
complete natural resource projects in Thurston Co	ounty, pursuant to Chapter 43.220 of the Revised Code of
Washington.	<del></del>

THEREFORE, IT IS MUTUALLY AGREED THAT:

#### STATEMENT OF WORK

Both parties agree to do all things necessary for or incidental to the performance of the work set forth in Attachment "A" attached hereto and incorporated herein.

## PERIOD OF PERFORMANCE

### **COMPENSATION**

The parties have determined that the cost of accomplishing the work herein will not exceed \$160,000.

Payment for satisfactory performance of the work shall not exceed this amount unless the parties mutually agree to a higher amount. Compensation for service(s) shall be based on the following established rates:

	Provided by ECOLOGY	Reimbursed to ECOLOGY by SPONSOR
Line 1:	Cost-Share Crew (41 weeks)	\$140,000
Line 2:	Cost-Share IP (41 weeks)	\$20,000
Line 3:		
Line 4:		
	Total SPONSOR COST	\$160,000
		Above cost Not to be Exceeded

The costs reimbursed to ECOLOGY by SPONSOR are a cost-share rate. ECOLOGY will provide the remainder of the funding for the projected total costs of \$195,000 dollars annually per WCC Crew consisting of 5 WCC Members and 1 WCC Supervisor and/or \$22,500 dollars annually per WCC Individual Placement.

#### FUNDING AVAILABILITY

The obligation of the SPONSOR to provide reimbursements beyond the end fiscal year 2014 is contingent upon appropriation of funds by the SPONSOR's governing body for the specific purpose of funding the project, which is the subject of this Agreement. Upon the failure of such appropriation, the SPONSOR may terminate this Agreement.

ECOLOGY's ability to provide cost-share is contingent on availability of funding. In the event funding from state, federal, or other sources is withdrawn, reduced, or limited in any way after the effective date and prior to completion or expiration date of this Agreement, ECOLOGY, at its sole discretion, may elect to terminate the agreement, in whole or part, for convenience or to renegotiate the agreement subject to new funding limitations and conditions. ECOLOGY may also elect to suspend performance of the agreement until ECOLOGY determines the funding insufficiency is resolved. ECOLOGY may exercise any of these options with no notification restrictions.

# **BILLING PROCEDURE**

ECOLOGY shall submit invoices with a state invoice voucher (A19-1A) monthly to the SPONSOR's designated contact person listed under the "Contract Management" section. Payment to ECOLOGY for approved and completed work will be made by warrant or account transfer by SPONSOR within 30 days of receipt of the invoice. Upon expiration of the Agreement, any claim for payment not already made shall be submitted within 30 days after the expiration date or the end of the fiscal year, whichever is earlier.

#### RECORDS MAINTENANCE

The parties to this Agreement shall each maintain books, records, documents and other evidence that sufficiently and properly reflect all direct and indirect costs expended by either party in the performance of the service(s) described herein. These records shall be subject to inspection, review or audit by personnel of both parties, other personnel duly authorized by either party, the Office of the State Auditor, and federal officials so authorized by law. All books, records, documents, and other material relevant to this Agreement will be retained for six years after expiration and the Office of the State Auditor, federal auditors, and any persons duly authorized by the parties shall have full access and the right to examine any of these materials during this period.

#### INDEPENDENT CAPACITY

The employees or agents of each party who are engaged in the performance of this Agreement shall continue to be employees or agents of that party and shall not be considered for any purpose to be employees or agents of the other party.

# AGREEMENT ALTERATIONS AND AMENDMENTS

This Agreement may be amended by mutual agreement of the parties. Such amendments shall not be binding unless they are in writing and signed by personnel authorized to bind each of the parties.

#### **TERMINATION**

Either party may terminate this Agreement upon 30 days' prior written notification to the other party. If this Agreement is so terminated, the parties shall be liable only for performance rendered or costs incurred in accordance with the terms of this Agreement prior to the effective date of termination.

## **TERMINATION FOR CAUSE**

If for any cause, either party does not fulfill in a timely and proper manner its obligations under this Agreement, or if either party violates any of these terms and conditions, the aggrieved party will give the other party written notice of such failure or violation. The responsible party will be given the opportunity to correct the violation or failure within 15 working days. If failure or violation is not corrected, this Agreement may be terminated immediately by written notice of the aggrieved party to the other.

#### **DISPUTES**

In the event that a dispute arises under this Agreement, it shall be determined by a Dispute Board in the following manner: Each party to this Agreement shall appoint one member to the Dispute Board. The members so appointed shall jointly appoint an additional member to the Dispute Board. The Dispute Board shall review the facts, agreement terms and applicable statutes and rules and make a determination of the dispute. The determination of the Dispute Board shall be final and binding on the parties hereto.

#### **GOVERNANCE**

This Agreement is entered into pursuant to and under the authority granted by the laws of the state of Washington and any applicable federal laws. The provisions of this Agreement shall be construed to conform to those laws.

In the event of an inconsistency in the terms of this Agreement, or between its terms and any applicable statute or rule, the inconsistency shall be resolved by giving precedence in the following order:

- 1. Applicable federal and state of Washington statutes, regulations, and rules.
- 2. Mutually agreed written amendments to this Agreement
- 3. This Agreement
- 4. Statement of Work and Budget.
- 5. Any other provisions of this Agreement, including materials incorporated by reference.

# **ASSIGNMENT**

The work to be provided under this Agreement, and any claim arising thereunder, is not assignable or delegable by either party in whole or in part, without the express prior written consent of the other party, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld.

## **WAIVER**

A failure by either party to exercise its rights under this Agreement shall not preclude that party from subsequent exercise of such rights and shall not constitute a waiver of any other rights under this Agreement unless stated to be such in a writing signed by an authorized representative of the party and attached to the original Agreement.

### **SEVERABILITY**

If any provision of this Agreement or any provision of any document incorporated by reference shall be held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect the other provisions of this Agreement which can be given effect without the invalid provision, if such remainder conforms to the requirements of applicable law and the fundamental purpose of this agreement, and to this end the provisions of this Agreement are declared to be severable.

# ALL WRITINGS CONTAINED HEREIN

This Agreement contains all the terms and conditions agreed upon by the parties. No other understandings, oral or otherwise, regarding the subject matter of this Agreement shall be deemed to exist or to bind any of the parties hereto.

# CONTRACT MANAGEMENT

The program manager for each of the parties shall be responsible for and shall be the contact person for all communications and billings regarding the performance of this Agreement.

The Contract/Program Manager for ECOLOGY is:

The Contract/Program Manager for SPONSOR is:

Bridget Mason PO Box 47600 Olympia, WA 98504 360-407-6516 bridget.mason@ecy.wa.gov Joe Roush
601 4th Avenue SE
Olympia WA 98501
360-753-8152
Ihoenig@ci.olympia.wa.us

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Agreement.

State of Washington Department of ECOLOGY		SPONSOR City of Olympia	
Signature	Date	Signature	 Date
Polly Zehm, Ecology Deputy Di Printed Name, Title	rector	Mayor Buxbaum	
		APPROVED AS TO FORM:	
		Assistant City Attorney	

# STATEMENT OF WORK ATTACHMENT A

#### Work summary:

Restoration Activities: Under direction of Sponsor organization, crew(s) will perform restoration, in-stream, and habitat maintenance projects. Specific tasks include invasive control, native species installation, and fence work. Individual Placement (IP): Under the direction of Sponsor Organization staff, WCC IP(s) will perform various conservation, outreach, project management and research projects. Administrative tasks, if required, will be limited (less than 10 percent).

#### ECOLOGY shall:

- 1. Provide WCC members for the number of weeks specified in this agreement. Full-time crews and Individual Placements are available to SPONSOR for a maximum of 41 weeks during the Federal AmeriCorps program service year, within which members will be allowed to work up to 1,880 hours total hours (includes training, meetings, spikes, and other professional development).
- 2. Hire members to begin work no sooner than October 6, 2014 and no later than October 30, 2014 to attain a full AmeriCorps scholarship. Member vacancies may be filled with a 900 hour, half-term AmeriCorps Education Award beginning April 1, 2014. Any further member hiring for the remainder of the program year is at the discretion of ECOLOGY and based on availability.
- 3. In the event of a disaster response deployment, the WCC Program will make every effort to fulfill sponsor program needs, including sending additional members, whenever possible. Invoices will include all activities during the program year including training, community service events, and other activities required by WCC, excluding Emergency Response, if needed.
- 4. Provide training and development specified in Attachment "B": eight (8) days of formal WCC member training, a four (4) day Orientation Training, and one (1) day dedicated to MLK Community Service. An eight-day spike will be scheduled on dates to be determined in coordination with the SPONSOR. These dates, along with up to three (3) additional days reserved for meetings, trainings or other events, are dates in which WCC members and supervisors are logging hours, but are unavailable to sponsor to perform project work.
- 5. Provide a 4-day Assistant Supervisor training to the designated Assistant Supervisor.
- 6. For crew (s), ECOLOGY agrees to provide a crew of 5 members, a crew supervisor, vehicle, and basic hand tools.
- 7. Cost-share rates are not based on actual attendance, however, invoices will be reduced for member or supervisor vacancies lasting 20 days or more.

# SPONSOR shall:

- 1. Obtain applicable permits as set by local, state, tribal or federal laws and regulations.
- 2. Provide site orientation for WCC members, specific on-the job task training, and any materials beyond basic hand tools to complete tasks assigned under this Agreement.
- 3. Help to promote the AmeriCorps and WCC brand name, logo, slogans and phrases. The WCC will provide camera-ready logo upon request. AmeriCorps is a registered service mark of the Corporation for National and Community Service.
- 4. For a SPONSOR hosting Individual Placement positions, SPONSOR agrees to provide a work station, email, transportation to and from WCC events (or private mileage reimbursement for personal vehicle use), and day-to-day direction of work activities.
- 5. For a SPONSOR hosting WCC Crew(s), SPONSOR agrees to provide a secure site to store tools and park crew vehicles as well as desk and internet access for the crew supervisor. Vehicle is not to be used for heavy hauling. The primary use of the crew vehicle is for transportation of crew, tools, and safety equipment.

#### Special Terms and Conditions:

- A. The assignment of corpsmembers shall not result in the displacement of currently employed workers, including partial displacement such as reduction in hours of nonovertime work, wages, or other employment benefits. Agencies that participate in the program may not terminate, lay-off, or reduce the working hours of any employee for the purpose of using a corpsmember with available funds. In circumstances where substantial efficiencies or a public purpose may result, participating agencies may use corpsmembers to carry out essential agency work or contractual functions without displacing current employees.
- B. All state holidays and 3 planning days are non-working days for members. Planning days are to be used by WCC staff/supervisors for planning purposes.
- C. The WCC standard 40-hour workweek is Monday through Thursday from 7:00am to 5:30pm. An alternate work schedule may be arranged with prior approval from the WCC.

#### Prohibited Activities:

While charging time to the AmeriCorps program, accumulating service or training hours, or otherwise performing activities supported by the AmeriCorps program or CNCS, staff and members may not engage in the following activities (see 45 CFR § 2520.65):

- A. Attempting to influence legislation;
- B. Organizing or engaging in protests, petitions, boycotts, or strikes;
- C. Assisting, promoting, or deterring union organizing;
- D. Impairing existing contracts for services or collective bargaining agreements;
- E. Engaging in partisan political activities, or other activities designed to influence the outcome of an election to any public office;
- F. Participating in, or endorsing, events or activities that are likely to include advocacy for or against political parties, political platforms, political candidates, proposed legislation, or elected officials;
- G. Engaging in religious instruction, conducting worship services, providing instruction as part of a program that includes mandatory religious instruction or worship, constructing or operating facilities devoted to religious instruction or worship, maintaining facilities primarily or inherently devoted to religious instruction or worship, or engaging in any form of religious proselytization;
- H. Providing a direct benefit to-
  - I. A business organized for profit;
  - II. A labor union;
  - III. A partisan political organization;
  - IV. A nonprofit organization that fails to comply with the restrictions contained in section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 related to engaging in political activities or substantial amount of lobbying except that nothing in these provisions shall be construed to prevent participants from engaging in advocacy activities undertaken at their own initiative; and
  - VI. An organization engaged in the religious activities described in paragraph 3.g. above, unless CNCS assistance is not used to support those religious activities;
- 1. Conducting a voter registration drive or using CNCS funds to conduct a voter registration drive;
- J. Providing abortion services or referrals for receipt of such services; and
- K. Such other activities as CNCS may prohibit.

AmeriCorps members may not engage in the above activities directly or indirectly by recruiting, training, or managing others for the primary purpose of engaging in one of the activities listed above. Individuals may exercise their rights as private citizens and may participate in the activities listed above on their initiative, on non-AmeriCorps time, and using non-CNCS funds. Individuals should not wear the AmeriCorps logo while doing so.

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# WCC CALENDAR ATTACHMENT B

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