

# CITY OF LAKE FOREST PARK CITY COUNCIL AGENDA COVER SHEET

Meeting Date	09/22/2022
Originating Department	Public Works
Contact Person	Jeffrey Perrigo, Director of Public Works
Title	Resolution 1858 - Interlocal Agreement regarding the design of improvements for the 25 <sup>th</sup> Avenue NE Ballinger Creek Habitat Restoration and Flood Reduction Project

### **Legislative History**

- First Presentation:
- Second Presentation:

September 22, 2022, City Council regular meeting October 13, 2022, City Council regular meeting

#### Attachments:

- 1. Resolution Number 1858
- Agreement between the City of Shoreline and the City of Lake Forest Park regarding the design of Improvements for the 25<sup>th</sup> Avenue NE Ballinger Creek Habitat Restoration and Flood Reduction project
- **3.** Map 195<sup>th</sup> and SR104

#### **Executive Summary**

The proposed Interlocal Agreement ("ILA") establishes an agreement between the cities of Shoreline and Lake Forest Park to begin addressing long-standing flooding issues and improve the associated infrastructure required to mitigate such conditions and restore a degraded open channel.

The purpose of the ILA is to cover the cost and expense attributable to the review by the Washington State Department of Transportation ("WSDOT") of 60% project plans for the design of improvements for the 25th Avenue NE Ballinger Creek Habitat Restoration and Flood Reduction project (the "Project"). The estimated cost of WSDOT's review is \$15,000 and under the ILA, each city agrees to pay fifty percent of the review cost.

#### Background

The City of Shoreline has been the lead agency developing the Project. The purpose of the Project, in general, is to "daylight" and restore habitat along a piped stream, including an adjacent restored floodplain area within a City of Shoreline maintenance yard, install four (4) fish-passable and habitat-

friendly box culverts, and restore a degraded open channel running alongside and impacted by aging WSDOT infrastructure. These habitat improvements will also address long-standing and frequently recurring stream flooding issues near the intersection of SR104 and NE 195<sup>th</sup> Street. Shoreline's consultant has completed the 60% Project plans.

The primary element within the City of Lake Forest Park included in the design under this ILA is the replacement of the culvert that runs under NE 195<sup>th</sup> Street parallel to SR104 (see attached map).

## **Fiscal & Policy Implications**

The ILA is fully supported by the Surface Water Management Fund as part of the current adopted budget. The contract price is expected to be no more than \$10,000.00 and does not need additional budget allocations.

## Alternatives

Options	Results
Approve the Agreement	The City will approve the Interlocal Agreement with the City of Shoreline and agree to have WSDOT review and comment on the project details.
No Action	The City will not partner with the City of Shoreline and future work and expenses on the culvert may need to be paid solely by the City of Lake Forest Park.

## **Staff Recommendation**

Approve the Interlocal Agreement with the City of Shoreline to share the cost of having WSDOT review and comment on the design of improvements for the 25th Avenue NE Ballinger Creek Habitat Restoration and Flood Reduction project.