

CITY OF LYNDEN

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY



Meeting Date:	January 6, 2024	
Name of Agenda Item:	Welch Ecological Services Agreement 2025	
Section of Agenda:	Consent	
Department:	Public Works	
Council Committee Review:		Legal Review:
<input type="checkbox"/> Community Development <input type="checkbox"/> Public Safety		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes – Reviewed
<input type="checkbox"/> Finance <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Public Works		<input type="checkbox"/> No - Not Reviewed
<input type="checkbox"/> Parks <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Review Not Required
Attachments:		
Contract		
Summary Statement:		
<p>Welch Ecological Services has provided support for the City's National Pollution Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) stormwater permit since the City was reclassified to Phase II in 2014. The contract for 2025 includes support to the City for the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Administration of the Municipal Stormwater Management Program, including annual reporting2. Stormwater Management Planning, including Stormwater Management Action Plan3. Education, Outreach, Public Involvement, and Stewardship Opportunities4. Update Mapping of Outfalls and Tree Canopy on city-owned properties5. Illicit Discharge Detection and Elimination6. Runoff Development Protocols and Code Revisions7. Stormwater Management for Existing Development8. Source Control Program Implementation9. Operations and Maintenance Protocols, including the street sweeping program for the Enhanced Maintenance Plan10. Total Maximum Daily Load summary, including annual reporting11. Industrial Stormwater permit for the Airport <p>The Public Works Committee reviewed this contract at their meeting on December 4 and recommend renewing the contract with Welch Ecological Services. The funding for this contract is included in the 2025 Stormwater Budget (Fund 410).</p>		
Recommended Action:		
That City Council approve the agreement with Welch Ecological Services for 2025 and authorize the Mayor to sign the contract.		