## **RESOLUTION NO. 1676**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF CITY OF SNOQUALMIE, WASHINGTON AWARDING A GENERAL SERVICES CONTRACT TO AND AUTHORIZING EXECUTION OF A GENERAL SERVICES CONTRACT WITH FINANCIAL CONSULTING SERVICES GROUP FOR 2025-2030 UTILITY RATE STUDY AND GENERAL FACILITIES CHARGE UPDATE.

**WHEREAS,** pursuant to Ordinance No. 448 as codified in Snoqualmie Municipal Code Section 1.08.010, the City of Snoqualmie has adopted the classification of non-charter code city, retaining the mayor-council plan of government as provided for in Chapter 35A.12 RCW; and

**WHEREAS**, on August 21, 2023, the City advertised the Request for Proposals to produce the City of Snoqualmie's 2025-2030 Utility Rate Study and General Facility Charges update ("the Project"); two qualified firms responded by the time the solicitation concluded on September 14, 2023; and

**WHEREAS**, upon review of the proposals, the City chose to select Financial Consulting Services Group to provide the requested services for the Project; and

**WHEREAS,** the City seeks to update the 2025-2030 Utility Rate Study and General Facilities Charges in order to accurately charge rates to cover the City's forecasted expenses and anticipated capital needs for its utility systems; and

**WHEREAS,** City Staff recommends using Financial Consulting Services Group as the provider most capable of meeting the City's requirements for the Project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SNOQUALMIE AS FOLLOWS:

<u>Section 1. Award of General Service Contract</u>. The contract for the Project is hereby awarded to Financial Consulting Services Group in accordance with its proposal.

Section 2. Authorization for Contract Execution. The Mayor is authorized to execute a contract with Financial Consulting Services Group in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit A.

Passed by the City Council of the City of Snoqualmie, Washington, this 8<sup>th</sup> day of January 2024.

	Katherine Ross, Mayor
Attest:	
Deana Dean, City Clerk	
Approved as to form:	
David Linehan, Interim City Attorney	