



# BUSINESS OF THE CITY COUNCIL CITY OF SNOQUALMIE

**AB24-067**  
**May 28, 2024**  
**Committee Report**

## AGENDA BILL INFORMATION

<b>TITLE:</b>	<b>AB24-067:</b> Climate Change Task Order for Services	<input type="checkbox"/> Discussion Only
<b>PROPOSED ACTION:</b>	A motion to approve the Otak Climate Change Task Order and authorize the Mayor to sign.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Action Needed: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Motion <input type="checkbox"/> Ordinance <input type="checkbox"/> Resolution

<b>REVIEW:</b>	Department Director Finance Legal City Administrator	Emily Arteche n/a David Linehan Mike Chambless	5/16/2024 Click or tap to enter a date. 5/16/2024 Click or tap to enter a date.
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DEPARTMENT:	Community Development		
STAFF:	Emily Arteche		
COMMITTEE:	Community Development	COMMITTEE DATE: May 20, 2024	
EXHIBITS:	1. Otak Climate Change Task Order 2. Department of Commerce Awarded Grant Climate Change		

<b>AMOUNT OF EXPENDITURE</b>	\$ n/a
<b>AMOUNT BUDGETED</b>	\$ n/a
<b>APPROPRIATION REQUESTED</b>	\$ n/a

## SUMMARY

### INTRODUCTION

The Climate Change Task Order for Services (see Exhibit 1) between the City of Snoqualmie and Otak establishes a Scope of Work and Budget for producing a 'Climate Change Element' to the City's Comprehensive Plan.

### LEGISLATIVE HISTORY

N/A

### BACKGROUND

Planning for climate change and resiliency was added as the 14th goal to the GMA in 2023, by adoption of House Bill 1181 (Chapter 228, Laws of 2023). The GMA now requires local comprehensive plans to have sub-elements with climate resilience and greenhouse gas emissions reduction: The Greenhouse Gas (GHG) Emission sub-element — with goals and policies to reduce GHG emissions and vehicle miles traveled — is mandatory for the state's 11 largest counties and for cities located within those counties that have a

population size greater than 6,000. The Resilience sub-element — with goals and polices to improve climate preparedness, response and recovery efforts — is mandatory for all fully planning counties and cities under the GMA and is encouraged for others.

#### **ANALYSIS**

The total Otak Task Order is \$ \$333,900. The monies to be expended on the Task Order are reimbursable with the \$500,000 grant monies provided by the State of Washington, Department of Commerce, (see Exhibit 2).

#### **BUDGET IMPACTS**

N/A

#### **NEXT STEPS**

Make a motion to recommend the Council approve the Otak Climate Change Task Order and authorize the Mayor to sign on May 28, 2024.

### **PROPOSED ACTION**

I move to recommend the Council approve the Otak Climate Change Task Order and authorize the Mayor to sign on May 28, 2024.