

TO: Public Works Committee
FROM: Mary Heather Ames, Assistant Transportation & Engineering Director
DATE: July 6, 2023
SUBJECT: Local Agency Agreement and Prospectus with WSDOT for the Percival Creek Fish Passage Barrier Removal Project

1) Recommended Action:

Staff requests the Public Works Committee recommend the City Council approve and authorize the Mayor to sign the Local Agency Prospectus for the Percival Creek Fish Passage Barrier Removal project.

2) Background:

The culvert conveying Percival Creek under Sapp Road was identified as a full fish passage barrier, so a project was developed to address the barrier with the installation of a 19-foot four sided box culvert. Earlier in 2023, the project was awarded PROTECT (Promoting Resilient Operations for Transformative, Efficient, and Cost-Saving Transportation) funding to complete the right-of-way and construction phases of the project. The Local Agency Agreement and Prospectus allows us to obtain the money and move the project forward.

3) Policy Support:

B. Be a Leader in Environmental Sustainability
12. Remove obstructions to fish passages

4) Alternatives:

☐ Do not authorize approval of the Agreement and refuse the PROTECT funding for this project.

5) Fiscal Notes:

Local funds shown in the Local Agency Agreement and Local Agency Federal Aid Prospectus are programmed in the Utility CFP.

6) Attachments:

A. Local Agency Agreement
B. Local Agency Federal Aid Prospectus