

**WHATCOM COUNTY CONTRACT
INFORMATION SHEET**

Whatcom County Contract No.

201905030

Originating Department:	Public Works
Division/Program: <i>(i.e. Dept. Division and Program)</i>	905040 - Traffic
Contract or Grant Administrator:	Mike Donahue, P.E.
Contractor's / Agency Name:	Transpo Group USA, Inc.

Is this a New Contract? If not, is this an Amendment or Renewal to an Existing Contract? Yes ☐ No ☐
Yes ☒ No ☐ If Amendment or Renewal, (per WCC 3.08.100 (a)) Original Contract #: _____

Does contract require Council Approval? Yes ☒ No ☐ If No, include WCC: _____
Already approved? Council Approved Date: _____ *(Exclusions see: Whatcom County Codes 3.06.010, 3.08.090 and 3.08.100)*

Is this a grant agreement?
Yes ☐ No ☒ If yes, grantor agency contract number(s): _____ CFDA#: _____

Is this contract grant funded?
Yes ☐ No ☒ If yes, Whatcom County grant contract number(s): _____

Is this contract the result of a RFP or Bid process? Contract
Yes ☒ No ☐ If yes, RFP and Bid number(s): RFP 19-03 Cost Center: 10854, WO# 20212

Is this agreement excluded from E-Verify? No ☐ Yes ☒ If no, include Attachment D Contractor Declaration form.

If YES, indicate exclusion(s) below:
☒ Professional services agreement for certified/licensed professional.
☐ Contract work is for less than \$100,000. ☐ Contract for Commercial off the shelf items (COTS).
☐ Contract work is for less than 120 days. ☐ Work related subcontract less than \$25,000.
☐ Interlocal Agreement (between Governments). ☐ Public Works - Local Agency/Federally Funded FHWA.

Contract Amount:(sum of original contract amount and any prior amendments): \$ <u>145,251.99</u> This Amendment Amount: \$ _____ Total Amended Amount: \$ _____	Council approval required for; all property leases, contracts or bid awards exceeding \$40,000 , and professional service contract amendments that have an increase greater than \$10,000 or 10% of contract amount, whichever is greater, except when: 1. Exercising an option contained in a contract previously approved by the council. 2. Contract is for design, construction, r-o-w acquisition, prof. services, or other capital costs approved by council in a capital budget appropriation ordinance. 3. Bid or award is for supplies. 4. Equipment is included in Exhibit "B" of the Budget Ordinance 5. Contract is for manufacturer's technical support and hardware maintenance of electronic systems and/or technical support and software maintenance from the developer of proprietary software currently used by Whatcom County.
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Summary of Scope:
Consultant will develop an ADA Transition Plan as required in ADA Title II, Part 35, Subpart D—Program Accessibility § 35.150 (d)(3) for facilities within the public rights-of-way of Whatcom County.

Term of Contract:	Completion of Project	Expiration Date: June 30, 2020
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Contract Routing:	1. Prepared by: <u>R. McConnell</u>	Date: <u>5/14/19</u>
	2. Attorney signoff: <u>Christopher Quinn</u>	Date: <u>05/15/2019</u>
	3. AS Finance reviewed: <u>M Caldwell</u>	Date: <u>5/15/19</u>
	4. IT reviewed (if IT related): _____	Date: _____
	5. Contractor signed: _____ ✓	Date: <u>5-13-19</u>
	6. Submitted to Exec.: _____ ✓	Date: <u>5-23-19</u>
	7. Council approved (if necessary): _____ ✓	Date: <u>6-18-19</u>
	8. Executive signed: _____ ✓	Date: <u>6-19-19</u>
	9. Original to Council: _____ ✓	Date: <u>6-21-19</u>

Local Agency A&E Professional Services Negotiated Hourly Rate Consultant Agreement

Agreement Number: 201905030

COUNTY ORIGINAL

Firm/Organization Legal Name (do not use dba's): Transpo Group USA, Inc.		
Address 12131 113th Ave NE, Suite 203, Kirkland, WA 98034		Federal Aid Number
UBI Number 603 258 009		Federal TIN or SSN Number 46-1523472
Execution Date		Completion Date June 30, 2020
1099 Form Required <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		Federal Participation <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Project Title Whatcom County ADA Transition Plan		
Description of Work This ADA Transition Plan for Public Right-of-Way will address the requirements of ADA Title II, Part 35, Subpart D – Program Accessibility § 35.150 (d)(3) for facilities within the public right-of-way of Whatcom County. The consultant work program is organized into the following tasks: 1. Project Management and Coordination 2. Evaluation of Existing Barrier Removal Practices 3. Stakeholder Engagement 4. Self-Assessment Data Collection 5. Implementation Schedule 6. Draft and Final Plan		
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No DBE Participation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No MBE Participation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No WBE Participation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No SBE Participation	Maximum Amount Payable: \$145,251.99

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THIS AGREEMENT, made and entered into as shown in the "Execution Date" box on page one (1) of this AGREEMENT, between the Whatcom County, hereinafter called the "AGENCY," and the "Firm / Organization Name" referenced on page one (1) of this AGREEMENT, hereinafter called the "CONSULTANT."

WHEREAS, the AGENCY desires to accomplish the work referenced in "Description of Work" on page one (1) of this AGREEMENT and hereafter called the "SERVICES;" and does not have sufficient staff to meet the required commitment and therefore deems it advisable and desirable to engage the assistance of a CONSULTANT to provide the necessary SERVICES; and

WHEREAS, the CONSULTANT represents that they comply with the Washington State Statutes relating to professional registration, if applicable, and has signified a willingness to furnish consulting services to the AGENCY.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the terms, conditions, covenants, and performance contained herein, or attached and incorporated and made a part hereof, the parties hereto agree as follows:

I. General Description of Work

The work under this AGREEMENT shall consist of the above-described SERVICES as herein defined, and necessary to accomplish the completed work for this project. The CONSULTANT shall furnish all services, labor, and related equipment and, if applicable, sub-consultants and subcontractors necessary to conduct and complete the SERVICES as designated elsewhere in this AGREEMENT.

II. General Scope of Work

The Scope of Work and projected level of effort required for these SERVICES is described in Exhibit "A" attached hereto and by this reference made a part of this AGREEMENT. The General Scope of Work was developed utilizing performance based contracting methodologies.

III. General Requirements

All aspects of coordination of the work of this AGREEMENT with outside agencies, groups, or individuals shall receive advance approval by the AGENCY. Necessary contacts and meetings with agencies, groups, and/or individuals shall be coordinated through the AGENCY. The CONSULTANT shall attend coordination, progress, and presentation meetings with the AGENCY and/or such State, Federal, Community, City, or County officials, groups or individuals as may be requested by the AGENCY. The AGENCY will provide the CONSULTANT sufficient notice prior to meetings requiring CONSULTANT participation. The minimum required hours or days' notice shall be agreed to between the AGENCY and the CONSULTANT and shown in Exhibit "A."

The CONSULTANT shall prepare a monthly progress report, in a form approved by the AGENCY, which will outline in written and graphical form the various phases and the order of performance of the SERVICES in sufficient detail so that the progress of the SERVICES can easily be evaluated.

The CONSULTANT, any sub-consultants, and the AGENCY shall comply with all Federal, State, and local laws, rules, codes, regulations, and all AGENCY policies and directives, applicable to the work to be performed under this AGREEMENT. This AGREEMENT shall be interpreted and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Washington.

Participation for Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBE) or Small Business Enterprises (SBE), if required, per 49 CFR Part 26, shall be shown on the heading of this AGREEMENT. If DBE firms are utilized at the commencement of this AGREEMENT, the amounts authorized to each firm and their certification number will be shown on Exhibit "B" attached hereto and by this reference made part of this AGREEMENT. If the Prime CONSULTANT is, a DBE certified firm they must comply with the Commercial Useful Function (CUF) regulation outlined in the AGENCY's "DBE Program Participation Plan" and perform a minimum of 30% of the total amount of this AGREEMENT. It is recommended, but not required, that non-DBE Prime CONSULTANTS perform a minimum of 30% of the total amount of this AGREEMENT.

In the absent of a mandatory UDBE, a voluntary SBE goal amount of ten percent of the Consultant Agreement is established. The Consultant shall submit a SBE Participation Plan prior to commencing work. Although the goal is voluntary, the outreach efforts to provide SBE maximum practicable opportunities are not.

The CONSULTANT, on a monthly basis, shall enter the amounts paid to all firms (including Prime) involved with this AGREEMENT into the wsdot.diversitycompliance.com program. Payment information shall identify any DBE Participation. Non-minority, woman owned DBEs does not count towards UDBE goal attainment.

All Reports, PS&E materials, and other data furnished to the CONSULTANT by the AGENCY shall be returned. All electronic files, prepared by the CONSULTANT, must meet the requirements as outlined in Exhibit "C – Preparation and Delivery of Electronic Engineering and other Data."

All designs, drawings, specifications, documents, and other work products, including all electronic files, prepared by the CONSULTANT prior to completion or termination of this AGREEMENT are instruments of service for these SERVICES, and are the property of the AGENCY. Reuse by the AGENCY or by others, acting through or on behalf of the AGENCY of any such instruments of service, not occurring, as a part of this SERVICE, shall be without liability or legal exposure to the CONSULTANT.

Any and all notices or requests required under this AGREEMENT shall be made in writing and sent to the other party by (i) certified mail, return receipt requested, or (ii) by email or facsimile, to the address set forth below:

If to AGENCY:

Name: Mike Donahue, PE
Agency: Whatcom County
Address: 5280 Northwest Drive, Suite C
City: Bellingham State: WA Zip: 98226
Email: mdonahue@co.whatcom.wa.us
Phone: 360-778-6250
Facsimile:

If to CONSULTANT:

Name: Ryan Peterson, PE, PTOE
Agency: Transpo Group USA, Inc.
Address: 12131 113th Ave NE, Suite 203
City: Kirkland State: WA Zip: 98034
Email: ryan.peterson@transpogroup.com
Phone: 425-821-3665
Facsimile:

IV. Time for Beginning and Completion

The CONSULTANT shall not begin any work under the terms of this AGREEMENT until authorized in writing by the AGENCY. All work under this AGREEMENT shall conform to the criteria agreed upon detailed in the AGREEMENT documents. These SERVICES must be completed by the date shown in the heading of this AGREEMENT titled "Completion Date."

The established completion time shall not be extended because of any delays attributable to the CONSULTANT, but may be extended by the AGENCY in the event of a delay attributable to the AGENCY, or because of unavoidable delays caused by an act of GOD, governmental actions, or other conditions beyond the control of the CONSULTANT. A prior supplemental AGREEMENT issued by the AGENCY is required to extend the established completion time.

V. Payment Provisions

The CONSULTANT shall be paid by the AGENCY for completed SERVICES rendered under this AGREEMENT as provided hereinafter. Such payment shall be full compensation for SERVICES performed or SERVICES rendered and for all labor, materials, supplies, equipment, and incidentals necessary to complete SERVICES. The CONSULTANT shall conform to all applicable portions of 48 CFR Part 31 (www.ecfr.gov).

A. Hourly Rates: Hourly rates are comprised of the following elements - Direct (Raw) Labor, Indirect Cost Rate, and Fixed Fee (Profit). The CONSULTANT shall be paid by the AGENCY for work done, based upon the negotiated hourly rates shown in Exhibits "D" and "E" attached hereto and by reference made part of this AGREEMENT. These negotiated hourly rates will be accepted based on a review of the CONSULTANT's direct labor rates and indirect cost rate computations and agreed upon fixed fee. The accepted negotiated rates shall be memorialized in a final written acknowledgment between the parties. Such final written acknowledgment shall be incorporated into, and become a part of, this AGREEMENT. The initially accepted negotiated rates shall be applicable from the approval date, as memorialized in a final written acknowledgment, to 180 days following the CONSULTANT's fiscal year end (FYE) date.

The direct (raw) labor rates and classifications, as shown on Exhibits "D" and "E" shall be subject to renegotiations for each subsequent twelve (12) month period (180 days following FYE date to 180 days following FYE date) upon written request of the CONSULTANT or the AGENCY. The written request must be made to the other party within ninety (90) days following the CONSULTANT's FYE date. If no such written request is made, the current direct (raw) labor rates and classifications as shown on Exhibits "D" and "E" will remain in effect for the twelve (12) month period.

Conversely, if a timely request is made in the manner set forth above, the parties will commence negotiations to determine the new direct (raw) labor rates and classifications that will be applicable for the twelve (12) month period. Any agreed to renegotiated rates shall be memorialized in a final written acknowledgment between the parties. Such final written acknowledgment shall be incorporated into, and become a part of, this AGREEMENT. If requested, the CONSULTANT shall provide current payroll register and classifications to aid in negotiations. If the parties cannot reach an agreement on the direct (raw) labor rates and classifications, the AGENCY shall perform an audit of the CONSULTANT's books and records to determine the CONSULTANT's actual costs. The audit findings will establish the direct (raw) labor rates and classifications that will be applicable for the twelve (12) month period.

The fixed fee as identified in Exhibits "D" and "E" shall represent a value to be applied throughout the life of the AGREEMENT.

The CONSULTANT shall submit annually to the AGENCY an updated indirect cost rate within 180 days of the close of its fiscal year. An approved updated indirect cost rate shall be included in the current fiscal year rate under this AGREEMENT, even if/when other components of the hourly rate are not renegotiated. These rates will be applicable for the twelve (12) month period. At the AGENCY's option, a provisional and/or conditional indirect cost rate may be negotiated. This provisional or conditional indirect rate shall remain in effect until the updated indirect cost rate is completed and approved. Indirect cost rate costs incurred during the provisional or conditional period will not be adjusted. The CONSULTANT may request an extension of the last approved indirect cost rate for the twelve (12) month period. These requests for provisional indirect cost rate and/or extension will be considered on a case-by-case basis, and if granted, will be memorialized in a final written acknowledgment.

The CONSULTANT shall maintain and have accessible support data for verification of the components of the hourly rates, i.e., direct (raw) labor, indirect cost rate, and fixed fee (profit) percentage. The CONSULTANT shall bill each employee's actual classification, and actual salary plus indirect cost rate plus fixed fee.

- A. **Direct Non-Salary Costs:** Direct Non-Salary Costs will be reimbursed at the actual cost to the CONSULTANT. These charges may include, but are not limited to, the following items: travel, printing, long distance telephone, supplies, computer charges, and fees of sub-consultants. Air or train travel will be reimbursed only to lowest price available, unless otherwise approved by the AGENCY. The CONSULTANT shall comply with the rules and regulations regarding travel costs (excluding air, train, and rental car costs) in accordance with the WSDOT's Accounting Manual M 13-82, Chapter 10 – Travel Rules and Procedures, and all revisions thereto. Air, train, and rental card costs shall be reimbursed in accordance with 48 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 31.205-46 "Travel Costs." The billing for Direct Non-salary Costs shall include an itemized listing of the charges directly identifiable with these SERVICES. The CONSULTANT shall maintain the original supporting documents in their office. Copies of the original supporting documents shall be supplied to the STATE upon request. All above charges must be necessary for the SERVICES provided under this AGREEMENT.
- B. **Maximum Amount Payable:** The Maximum Amount Payable by the AGENCY to the CONSULTANT under this AGREEMENT shall not exceed the amount shown in the heading of this AGREEMENT on page one (1.) The Maximum Amount Payable does not include payment for extra work as stipulated in section XIII, "Extra Work." No minimum amount payable is guaranteed under this AGREEMENT.
- C. **Monthly Progress Payments:** Progress payments may be claimed on a monthly basis for all costs authorized in A and B above. Detailed statements shall support the monthly billings for hours expended at the rates established in Exhibit "D," including names and classifications of all employees, and billings for all direct non-salary expenses. To provide a means of verifying the billed salary costs for the CONSULTANT's employees, the AGENCY may conduct employee interviews. These interviews may consist of recording the names, titles, salary rates, and present duties of those employees performing work on the SERVICES at the time of the interview.
- D. **Final Payment:** Final Payment of any balance due the CONSULTANT of the gross amount earned will be made promptly upon its verification by the AGENCY after the completion of the SERVICES under this AGREEMENT, contingent upon receipt of all PS&E, plans, maps, notes, reports, electronic data, and other related documents, which are required to be furnished under this AGREEMENT. Acceptance of such Final Payment by the CONSULTANT shall constitute a release of all claims for payment, which the CONSULTANT may have against the AGENCY unless such claims are specifically reserved in writing and transmitted to the AGENCY by the CONSULTANT prior to its acceptance. Said Final Payment shall not, however, be a bar to any claims that the AGENCY may have against the CONSULTANT or to any remedies the AGENCY may pursue with respect to such claims.

The payment of any billing will not constitute agreement as to the appropriateness of any item and at the time of final audit all required adjustments will be made and reflected in a final payment. In the event that such final audit reveals an overpayment to the CONSULTANT, the CONSULTANT will refund such overpayment to the AGENCY within thirty (30) calendar days of notice of the overpayment. Such refund shall not constitute a waiver by the CONSULTANT for any claims relating to the validity of a finding by the AGENCY of overpayment. Per WSDOT's "Audit Guide for Consultants," Chapter 23 "Resolution Procedures," the CONSULTANT has twenty (20) working days after receipt of the final Post Audit to begin the appeal process to the AGENCY for audit findings

E. **Inspection of Cost Records:** The CONSULTANT and their sub-consultants shall keep available for inspection by representatives of the AGENCY and the United States, for a period of six (6) years after receipt of final payment, the cost records and accounts pertaining to this AGREEMENT and all items related to or bearing upon these records with the following exception: if any litigation, claim or audit arising out of, in connection with, or related to this AGREEMENT is initiated before the expiration of the six (6) year period, the cost records and accounts shall be retained until such litigation, claim, or audit involving the records is completed. An interim or post audit may be performed on this AGREEMENT. The audit, if any, will be performed by the State Auditor, WSDOT's Internal Audit Office and /or at the request of the AGENCY's Project Manager.

VI. Sub-Contracting

The AGENCY permits subcontracts for those items of SERVICES as shown in Exhibit "A" attached hereto and by this reference made part of this AGREEMENT.

The CONSULTANT shall not subcontract for the performance of any SERVICE under this AGREEMENT without prior written permission of the AGENCY. No permission for subcontracting shall create, between the AGENCY and sub-consultant, any contract or any other relationship.

Compensation for this sub-consultant SERVICES shall be based on the cost factors shown on Exhibit "E" attached hereto and by this reference made part of this AGREEMENT.

The SERVICES of the sub-consultant shall not exceed its maximum amount payable identified in each sub consultant cost estimate unless a prior written approval has been issued by the AGENCY.

All reimbursable direct labor, indirect cost rate, direct non-salary costs and fixed fee costs for the sub-consultant shall be negotiated and substantiated in accordance with section V "Payment Provisions" herein and shall be memorialized in a final written acknowledgement between the parties

All subcontracts shall contain all applicable provisions of this AGREEMENT, and the CONSULTANT shall require each sub-consultant or subcontractor, of any tier, to abide by the terms and conditions of this AGREEMENT. With respect to sub-consultant payment, the CONSULTANT shall comply with all applicable sections of the STATE's Prompt Payment laws as set forth in RCW 39.04.250 and RCW 39.76.011.

The CONSULTANT, sub-recipient, or sub-consultant shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, or sex in the performance of this AGREEMENT. The CONSULTANT shall carry out applicable requirements of 49 CFR Part 26 in the award and administration of DOT-assisted contracts. Failure by the CONSULTANT to carry out these requirements is a material breach of this AGREEMENT, which may result in the termination of this AGREEMENT or such other remedy as the recipient deems appropriate.

VII. Employment and Organizational Conflict of Interest

The CONSULTANT warrants that they have not employed or retained any company or person, other than a bona fide employee working solely for the CONSULTANT, to solicit or secure this contract, and that it has not paid or agreed to pay any company or person, other than a bona fide employee working solely for the CONSULTANT, any fee, commission, percentage, brokerage fee, gift, or any other consideration, contingent upon or resulting from the award or making of this contract. For breach or violation of this warrant, the AGENCY shall have the right to annul this AGREEMENT without liability or, in its discretion, to deduct from this AGREEMENT price or consideration or otherwise recover the full amount of such fee, commission, percentage, brokerage fee, gift, or contingent fee.

Any and all employees of the CONSULTANT or other persons while engaged in the performance of any work or services required of the CONSULTANT under this AGREEMENT, shall be considered employees of the CONSULTANT only and not of the AGENCY, and any and all claims that may arise under any Workmen's Compensation Act on behalf of said employees or other persons while so engaged, and any and all claims made by a third party as a consequence of any act or omission on the part of the CONSULTANT's employees or other persons while so engaged on any of the work or services provided to be rendered herein, shall be the sole obligation and responsibility of the CONSULTANT.

The CONSULTANT shall not engage, on a full- or part-time basis, or other basis, during the period of this AGREEMENT, any professional or technical personnel who are, or have been, at any time during the period of this AGREEMENT, in the employ of the United States Department of Transportation or the AGENCY, except regularly retired employees, without written consent of the public employer of such person if he/she will be working on this AGREEMENT for the CONSULTANT.

Agreement Number:

VIII. Nondiscrimination

During the performance of this AGREEMENT, the CONSULTANT, for itself, its assignees, sub-consultants, subcontractors and successors in interest, agrees to comply with the following laws and regulations:

- Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (42 U.S.C. Chapter 21 Subchapter V § 2000d through 2000d-4a)
- Federal-aid Highway Act of 1973 (23 U.S.C. Chapter 3 § 324)
- Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (29 U.S.C. Chapter 16 Subchapter V § 794)
- Age Discrimination Act of 1975 (42 U.S.C. Chapter 76 § 6101 *et. seq.*)
- Civil Rights Restoration Act of 1987 (Public Law 100-259)
- American with Disabilities Act of 1990 (42 U.S.C. Chapter 126 § 12101 *et. seq.*)
- 23 CFR Part 200
- 49 CFR Part 21
- 49 CFR Part 26
- RCW 49.60.180

In relation to Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, the CONSULTANT is bound by the provisions of Exhibit “F” attached hereto and by this reference made part of this AGREEMENT, and shall include the attached Exhibit “F” in every sub-contract, including procurement of materials and leases of equipment, unless exempt by the Regulations or directives issued pursuant thereto.

IX. Termination of Agreement

The right is reserved by the AGENCY to terminate this AGREEMENT at any time with or without cause upon ten (10) days written notice to the CONSULTANT.

In the event this AGREEMENT is terminated by the AGENCY, other than for default on the part of the CONSULTANT, a final payment shall be made to the CONSULTANT for actual hours charged at the time of termination of this AGREEMENT, plus any direct non-salary costs incurred up to the time of termination of this AGREEMENT.

No payment shall be made for any SERVICES completed after ten (10) days following receipt by the CONSULTANT of the notice to terminate. If the accumulated payment made to the CONSULTANT prior to Notice of Termination exceeds the total amount that would be due when computed as set forth in paragraph two (2) of this section, then no final payment shall be due and the CONSULTANT shall immediately reimburse the AGENCY for any excess paid.

If the services of the CONSULTANT are terminated by the AGENCY for default on the part of the CONSULTANT, the above formula for payment shall not apply.

In the event of a termination for default, the amount to be paid to the CONSULTANT shall be determined by the AGENCY with consideration given to the actual costs incurred by the CONSULTANT in performing SERVICES to the date of termination, the amount of SERVICES originally required which was satisfactorily completed to date of termination, whether that SERVICE is in a form or a type which is usable to the AGENCY at the time of termination, the cost to the AGENCY of employing another firm to complete the SERVICES required and the time which may be required to do so, and other factors which affect the value to the AGENCY of the SERVICES performed at the time of termination. Under no circumstances shall payment made under this subsection exceed the amount, which would have been made using the formula set forth in paragraph two (2) of this section.

If it is determined for any reason, that the CONSULTANT was not in default or that the CONSULTANT’s failure to perform is without the CONSULTANT’s or its employee’s fault or negligence, the termination shall be deemed to be a termination for the convenience of the AGENCY. In such an event, the CONSULTANT would be reimbursed for actual costs in accordance with the termination for other than default clauses listed previously.

The CONSULTANT shall, within 15 days, notify the AGENCY in writing, in the event of the death of any member, partner, or officer of the CONSULTANT or the death or change of any of the CONSULTANT's supervisory and/or other key personnel assigned to the project or disaffiliation of any principally involved CONSULTANT employee.

The CONSULTANT shall also notify the AGENCY, in writing, in the event of the sale or transfer of 50% or more of the beneficial ownership of the CONSULTANT within 15 days of such sale or transfer occurring. The CONSULTANT shall continue to be obligated to complete the SERVICES under the terms of this AGREEMENT unless the AGENCY chooses to terminate this AGREEMENT for convenience or chooses to renegotiate any term(s) of this AGREEMENT. If termination for convenience occurs, final payment will be made to the CONSULTANT as set forth in the second and third paragraphs of this section.

Payment for any part of the SERVICES by the AGENCY shall not constitute a waiver by the AGENCY of any remedies of any type it may have against the CONSULTANT for any breach of this AGREEMENT by the CONSULTANT, or for failure of the CONSULTANT to perform SERVICES required of it by the AGENCY.

Forbearance of any rights under the AGREEMENT will not constitute waiver of entitlement to exercise those rights with respect to any future act or omission by the CONSULTANT.

X. Changes of Work

The CONSULTANT shall make such changes and revisions in the completed work of this AGREEMENT as necessary to correct errors appearing therein, without additional compensation thereof. Should the AGENCY find it desirable for its own purposes to have previously satisfactorily completed SERVICES or parts thereof changed or revised, the CONSULTANT shall make such revisions as directed by the AGENCY. This work shall be considered as Extra Work and will be paid for as herein provided under section XIII "Extra Work."

XI. Disputes

Any disputed issue not resolved pursuant to the terms of this AGREEMENT shall be submitted in writing within 10 days to the Director of Public Works or AGENCY Engineer, whose decision in the matter shall be final and binding on the parties of this AGREEMENT; provided however, that if an action is brought challenging the Director of Public Works or AGENCY Engineer's decision, that decision shall be subject to judicial review. If the parties to this AGREEMENT mutually agree, disputes concerning alleged design errors will be conducted under the procedures found in Exhibit "J". In the event that either party deem it necessary to institute legal action or proceeding to enforce any right or obligation under this AGREEMENT, this action shall be initiated in the Superior Court of the State of Washington, situated in the county in which the AGENCY is located. The parties hereto agree that all questions shall be resolved by application of Washington law and that the parties have the right of appeal from such decisions of the Superior Court in accordance with the laws of the State of Washington. The CONSULTANT hereby consents to the personal jurisdiction of the Superior Court of the State of Washington, situated in the county in which the AGENCY is located.

XII. Legal Relations

The CONSULTANT, any sub-consultants, and the AGENCY shall comply with all Federal, State, and local laws, rules, codes, regulations and all AGENCY policies and directives, applicable to the work to be performed under this AGREEMENT. This AGREEMENT shall be interpreted and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Washington.

The CONSULTANT shall defend, indemnify, and hold the State of Washington (STATE) and the AGENCY and their officers and employees harmless from all claims, demands, or suits at law or equity arising in whole or in part from the negligence of, or the breach of any obligation under this AGREEMENT by, the CONSULTANT or the CONSULTANT's agents, employees, sub consultants, subcontractors or vendors, of any tier, or any other persons for whom the CONSULTANT may be legally liable; provided that nothing herein shall require a CONSULTANT

to defend or indemnify the STATE and the AGENCY and their officers and employees against and hold harmless the STATE and the AGENCY and their officers and employees from claims, demands or suits based solely upon the negligence of, or breach of any obligation under this AGREEMENT by the STATE and the AGENCY, their agents, officers, employees, sub-consultants, subcontractors or vendors, of any tier, or any other persons for whom the STATE and /or the AGENCY may be legally liable; and provided further that if the claims or suits are caused by or result from the concurrent negligence of (a) the CONSULTANT or the CONSULTANT's agents, employees, sub-consultants, subcontractors or vendors, of any tier, or any other persons for whom the CONSULTANT is legally liable, and (b) the STATE and/or AGENCY, their agents, officers, employees, sub-consultants, subcontractors and or vendors, of any tier, or any other persons for whom the STATE and/or AGENCY may be legally liable, the defense and indemnity obligation shall be valid and enforceable only to the extent of the CONSULTANT's negligence or the negligence of the CONSULTANT's agents, employees, sub-consultants, subcontractors or vendors, of any tier, or any other persons for whom the CONSULTANT may be legally liable. This provision shall be included in any AGREEMENT between CONSULTANT and any sub-consultant, subcontractor and vendor, of any tier.

The CONSULTANT shall also defend, indemnify, and hold the STATE and the AGENCY and their officers and employees harmless from all claims, demands, or suits at law or equity arising in whole or in part from the alleged patent or copyright infringement or other allegedly improper appropriation or use of trade secrets, patents, proprietary information, know-how, copyright rights or inventions by the CONSULTANT or the CONSULTANT's agents, employees, sub-consultants, subcontractors or vendors, of any tier, or any other persons for whom the CONSULTANT may be legally liable, in performance of the Work under this AGREEMENT or arising out of any use in connection with the AGREEMENT of methods, processes, designs, information or other items furnished or communicated to STATE and/or the AGENCY, their agents, officers and employees pursuant to the AGREEMENT; provided that this indemnity shall not apply to any alleged patent or copyright infringement or other allegedly improper appropriation or use of trade secrets, patents, proprietary information, know-how, copyright rights or inventions resulting from STATE and/or AGENCY's, their agents', officers and employees' failure to comply with specific written instructions regarding use provided to STATE and/or AGENCY, their agents, officers and employees by the CONSULTANT, its agents, employees, sub-consultants, subcontractors or vendors, of any tier, or any other persons for whom the CONSULTANT may be legally liable.

The CONSULTANT's relation to the AGENCY shall be at all times as an independent contractor.

Notwithstanding any determination by the Executive Ethics Board or other tribunal, the AGENCY may, in its sole discretion, by written notice to the CONSULTANT terminate this AGREEMENT if it is found after due notice and examination by the AGENCY that there is a violation of the Ethics in Public Service Act, Chapter 42.52 RCW; or any similar statute involving the CONSULTANT in the procurement of, or performance under, this AGREEMENT.

The CONSULTANT specifically assumes potential liability for actions brought by the CONSULTANT's own employees or its agents against the STATE and/or the AGENCY and, solely for the purpose of this indemnification and defense, the CONSULTANT specifically waives any immunity under the state industrial insurance law, Title 51 RCW. The Parties have mutually negotiated this waiver.

Unless otherwise specified in this AGREEMENT, the AGENCY shall be responsible for administration of construction contracts, if any, on the project. Subject to the processing of a new sole source, or an acceptable supplemental AGREEMENT, the CONSULTANT shall provide On-Call assistance to the AGENCY during contract administration. By providing such assistance, the CONSULTANT shall assume no responsibility for proper construction techniques, job site safety, or any construction contractor's failure to perform its work in accordance with the contract documents.

The CONSULTANT shall obtain and keep in force during the terms of this AGREEMENT, or as otherwise required, the following insurance with companies or through sources approved by the State Insurance Commissioner pursuant to Title 48 RCW.

Insurance Coverage

- A. Worker's compensation and employer's liability insurance as required by the STATE.
- B. Commercial general liability insurance written under ISO Form CG 00 01 12 04 or its equivalent with minimum limits of one million dollars (\$1,000,000.00) per occurrence and two million dollars (\$2,000,000.00) in the aggregate for each policy period.
- C. Business auto liability insurance written under ISO Form CG 00 01 10 01 or equivalent providing coverage for any "Auto" (Symbol 1) used in an amount not less than a one million dollar (\$1,000,000.00) combined single limit for each occurrence.

Excepting the Worker's Compensation Insurance and any Professional Liability Insurance, the STATE and AGENCY, their officers, employees, and agents will be named on all policies of CONSULTANT and any sub-consultant and/or subcontractor as an additional insured (the "AIs"), with no restrictions or limitations concerning products and completed operations coverage. This coverage shall be primary coverage and non-contributory and any coverage maintained by the AIs shall be excess over, and shall not contribute with, the additional insured coverage required hereunder. The CONSULTANT's and the sub-consultant's and/or subcontractor's insurer shall waive any and all rights of subrogation against the AIs. The CONSULTANT shall furnish the AGENCY with verification of insurance and endorsements required by this AGREEMENT. The AGENCY reserves the right to require complete, certified copies of all required insurance policies at any time.

All insurance shall be obtained from an insurance company authorized to do business in the State of Washington. The CONSULTANT shall submit a verification of insurance as outlined above within fourteen (14) days of the execution of this AGREEMENT to:

Name: Mike Donahue, PE

Agency: Whatcom County

Address: 5280 Northwest Drive, Suite C

City: Bellingham State: WA Zip: 98226

Email: mdonahue@co.whatcom.wa.us

Phone: 360-778-6250

Facsimile:

No cancellation of the foregoing policies shall be effective without thirty (30) days prior notice to the AGENCY.

The CONSULTANT's professional liability to the AGENCY, including that which may arise in reference to section IX "Termination of Agreement" of this AGREEMENT, shall be limited to the accumulative amount of the authorized AGREEMENT or one million dollars (\$1,000,000.00), whichever is greater, unless the limit of liability is increased by the AGENCY pursuant to Exhibit H. In no case shall the CONSULTANT's professional liability to third parties be limited in any way.

The parties enter into this AGREEMENT for the sole benefit of the parties, and to the exclusion of any third part, and no third party beneficiary is intended or created by the execution of this AGREEMENT.

The AGENCY will pay no progress payments under section V "Payment Provisions" until the CONSULTANT has fully complied with this section. This remedy is not exclusive; and the AGENCY may take such other action as is available to it under other provisions of this AGREEMENT, or otherwise in law.

XIII. Extra Work

- A. The AGENCY may at any time, by written order, make changes within the general scope of this AGREEMENT in the SERVICES to be performed.
- B. If any such change causes an increase or decrease in the estimated cost of, or the time required for, performance of any part of the SERVICES under this AGREEMENT, whether or not changed by the order, or otherwise affects any other terms and conditions of this AGREEMENT, the AGENCY shall make an equitable adjustment in the: (1) maximum amount payable; (2) delivery or completion schedule, or both; and (3) other affected terms and shall modify this AGREEMENT accordingly.
- C. The CONSULTANT must submit any "request for equitable adjustment," hereafter referred to as "CLAIM," under this clause within thirty (30) days from the date of receipt of the written order. However, if the AGENCY decides that the facts justify it, the AGENCY may receive and act upon a CLAIM submitted before final payment of this AGREEMENT.
- D. Failure to agree to any adjustment shall be a dispute under the section XI "Disputes" clause. However, nothing in this clause shall excuse the CONSULTANT from proceeding with the AGREEMENT as changed.
- E. Notwithstanding the terms and conditions of paragraphs (A.) and (B.) above, the maximum amount payable for this AGREEMENT, shall not be increased or considered to be increased except by specific written supplement to this AGREEMENT.

XIV. Endorsement of Plans

If applicable, the CONSULTANT shall place their endorsement on all plans, estimates, or any other engineering data furnished by them.

XV. Federal Review

The Federal Highway Administration shall have the right to participate in the review or examination of the SERVICES in progress.

XVI. Certification of the Consultant and the Agency

Attached hereto as Exhibit "G-1(a and b)" are the Certifications of the CONSULTANT and the AGENCY, Exhibit "G-2" Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension and Other Responsibility Matters - Primary Covered Transactions, Exhibit "G-3" Certification Regarding the Restrictions of the Use of Federal Funds for Lobbying and Exhibit "G-4" Certificate of Current Cost or Pricing Data. Exhibit "G-3" is required only in AGREEMENT's over one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000.00) and Exhibit "G-4" is required only in AGREEMENT's over five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000.00.) These Exhibits must be executed by the CONSULTANT, and submitted with the master AGREEMENT, and returned to the AGENCY at the address listed in section III "General Requirements" prior to its performance of any SERVICES under this AGREEMENT.

XVII. Complete Agreement

This document and referenced attachments contain all covenants, stipulations, and provisions agreed upon by the parties. No agent, or representative of either party has authority to make, and the parties shall not be bound by or be liable for, any statement, representation, promise or agreement not set forth herein. No changes, amendments, or modifications of the terms hereof shall be valid unless reduced to writing and signed by the parties as a supplement to this AGREEMENT.

XVIII. Execution and Acceptance

This AGREEMENT may be simultaneously executed in several counterparts, each of which shall be deemed to be an original having identical legal effect. The CONSULTANT does hereby ratify and adopt all statements, representations, warranties, covenants, and AGREEMENT's contained in the proposal, and the supporting material submitted by the CONSULTANT, and does hereby accept this AGREEMENT and agrees to all of the terms and conditions thereof.

XIX. Protection of Confidential Information

The CONSULTANT acknowledges that some of the material and information that may come into its possession or knowledge in connection with this AGREEMENT or its performance may consist of information that is exempt from disclosure to the public or other unauthorized persons under either chapter 42.56 RCW or other local, state, or federal statutes ("State's Confidential Information"). The "State's Confidential Information" includes, but is not limited to, names, addresses, Social Security numbers, e-mail addresses, telephone numbers, financial profiles credit card information, driver's license numbers, medical data, law enforcement records (or any other information identifiable to an individual), STATE and AGENCY source code or object code, STATE and AGENCY security data, non-public Specifications, STATE and AGENCY non-publicly available data, proprietary software, STATE and AGENCY security data, or information which may jeopardize any part of the project that relates to any of these types of information. The CONSULTANT agrees to hold the State's Confidential Information in strictest confidence and not to make use of the State's Confidential Information for any purpose other than the performance of this AGREEMENT, to release it only to authorized employees, sub-consultants or subcontractors requiring such information for the purposes of carrying out this AGREEMENT, and not to release, divulge, publish, transfer, sell, disclose, or otherwise make it known to any other party without the AGENCY's express written consent or as provided by law. The CONSULTANT agrees to release such information or material only to employees, sub-consultants or subcontractors who have signed a nondisclosure AGREEMENT, the terms of which have been previously approved by the AGENCY. The CONSULTANT agrees to implement physical, electronic, and managerial safeguards to prevent unauthorized access to the State's Confidential Information.

Immediately upon expiration or termination of this AGREEMENT, the CONSULTANT shall, at the AGENCY's option: (i) certify to the AGENCY that the CONSULTANT has destroyed all of the State's Confidential Information; or (ii) returned all of the State's Confidential Information to the AGENCY; or (iii) take whatever other steps the AGENCY requires of the CONSULTANT to protect the State's Confidential Information.

As required under Executive Order 00-03, the CONSULTANT shall maintain a log documenting the following: the State's Confidential Information received in the performance of this AGREEMENT; the purpose(s) for which the State's Confidential Information was received; who received, maintained, and used the State's Confidential Information; and the final disposition of the State's Confidential Information. The CONSULTANT's records shall be subject to inspection, review, or audit upon reasonable notice from the AGENCY.

The AGENCY reserves the right to monitor, audit, or investigate the use of the State's Confidential Information collected, used, or acquired by the CONSULTANT through this AGREEMENT. The monitoring, auditing, or investigating may include, but is not limited to, salting databases.

Violation of this section by the CONSULTANT or its sub-consultants or subcontractors may result in termination of this AGREEMENT and demand for return of all State's Confidential Information, monetary damages, or penalties

It is understood and acknowledged that the CONSULTANT may provide the AGENCY with information, which is proprietary and/or confidential during the term of this AGREEMENT. The parties agree to maintain the confidentiality of such information during the term of this AGREEMENT and afterwards. All materials containing such proprietary and/or confidential information shall be clearly identified and marked as "Confidential" and shall be returned to the disclosing party at the conclusion of the SERVICES under this AGREEMENT.

The CONSULTANT shall provide the AGENCY with a list of all information and materials it considers confidential and/or proprietary in nature: (a) at the commencement of the term of this AGREEMENT, or (b) as soon as such confidential or proprietary material is developed. "Proprietary and/or confidential information" is not meant to include any information which, at the time of its disclosure: (i) is already known to the other party; (ii) is rightfully disclosed to one of the parties by a third party that is not acting as an agent or representative for the other party; (iii) is independently developed by or for the other party; (iv) is publicly known; or (v) is generally utilized by unaffiliated third parties engaged in the same business or businesses as the CONSULTANT.

The parties also acknowledge that the AGENCY is subject to Washington State and federal public disclosure laws. As such, the AGENCY shall maintain the confidentiality of all such information marked proprietary and or confidential or otherwise exempt, unless such disclosure is required under applicable state or federal law. If a public disclosure request is made to view materials identified as "Proprietary and/or confidential information" or otherwise exempt information, the AGENCY will notify the CONSULTANT of the request and of the date that such records will be released to the requester unless the CONSULTANT obtains a court order from a court of competent jurisdiction enjoining that disclosure. If the CONSULTANT fails to obtain the court order enjoining disclosure, the AGENCY will release the requested information on the date specified.

The CONSULTANT agrees to notify the sub-consultant of any AGENCY communication regarding disclosure that may include a sub-consultant's proprietary and/or confidential information. The CONSULTANT notification to the sub-consultant will include the date that such records will be released by the AGENCY to the requester and state that unless the sub-consultant obtains a court order from a court of competent jurisdiction enjoining that disclosure the AGENCY will release the requested information. If the CONSULTANT and/or sub-consultant fail to obtain a court order or other judicial relief enjoining the AGENCY by the release date, the CONSULTANT shall waive and release and shall hold harmless and indemnify the AGENCY from all claims of actual or alleged damages, liabilities, or costs associated with the AGENCY's said disclosure of sub-consultants' information.

XX. Records Maintenance

During the progress of the Work and SERVICES provided hereunder and for a period of not less than six (6) years from the date of final payment to the CONSULTANT, the CONSULTANT shall keep, retain, and maintain all "documents" pertaining to the SERVICES provided pursuant to this AGREEMENT. Copies of all "documents" pertaining to the SERVICES provided hereunder shall be made available for review at the CONSULTANT's place of business during normal working hours. If any litigation, claim, or audit is commenced, the CONSULTANT shall cooperate with AGENCY and assist in the production of all such documents. "Documents" shall be retained until all litigation, claims or audit findings have been resolved even though such litigation, claim, or audit continues past the six (6) year retention period.

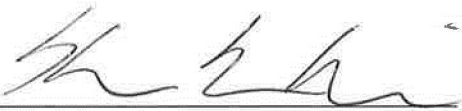
For purposes of this AGREEMENT, "documents" means every writing or record of every type and description, including electronically stored information ("ESI"), that is in the possession, control, or custody of the CONSULTANT, including, without limitation, any and all correspondences, contracts, AGREEMENTs, appraisals, plans, designs, data, surveys, maps, spreadsheets, memoranda, stenographic or handwritten notes, reports, records, telegrams, schedules, diaries, notebooks, logbooks, invoices, accounting records, work sheets, charts, notes, drafts, scribbles, recordings, visual displays, photographs, minutes of meetings, tabulations, computations, summaries, inventories, and writings regarding conferences, conversations or telephone conversations, and any and all other taped, recorded, written, printed or typed matters of any kind or description; every copy of the foregoing whether or not the original is in the possession, custody, or control of the CONSULTANT, and every copy of any of the foregoing, whether or not such copy is a copy identical to an original, or whether or not such copy contains any commentary or notation whatsoever that does not appear on the original.

For purposes of this AGREEMENT, "ESI" means any and all computer data or electronic recorded media of any kind, including "Native Files", that are stored in any medium from which it can be retrieved and examined, either directly or after translation into a reasonably useable form. ESI may include information and/or documentation stored in various software programs such as Email, Outlook, Word, Excel, Access, Publisher, PowerPoint, Adobe Acrobat, SQL databases, or any other software or electronic communication programs or databases that the CONSULTANT may use in the performance of its operations. ESI may be located on network servers, backup tapes, smart phones, thumb drives, CDs, DVDs, floppy disks, work computers, cell phones, laptops, or any other electronic device that CONSULTANT uses in the performance of its Work or SERVICES hereunder, including any personal devices used by the CONSULTANT or any sub-consultant at home.

"Native files" are a subset of ESI and refer to the electronic format of the application in which such ESI is normally created, viewed, and /or modified

The CONSULTANT shall include this section XX "Records Maintenance" in every subcontract it enters into in relation to this AGREEMENT and bind the sub-consultant to its terms, unless expressly agreed to otherwise in writing by the AGENCY prior to the execution of such subcontract.

In witness whereof, the parties hereto have executed this AGREEMENT as of the day and year shown in the "Execution Date" box on page one (1) of this AGREEMENT.



Signature

5/13/19

Date


SEE ATTACHED WHATCOM COUNTY
SIGNATURE SHEET

Date

Any modification, change, or reformation of this AGREEMENT shall require approval as to form by the Office of the Attorney General.

WHATCOM COUNTY:

Recommended for Approval:

 5/22/19
Jon Hutchings Date
Public Works Director

Approved as to form:

 5/22/19
Christopher Quinn Date
Senior Civil Deputy Prosecuting Attorney

Approved:

Accepted for Whatcom County:

By: 
Jack Louws, Whatcom County Executive

STATE OF WASHINGTON)
) ss
COUNTY OF WHATCOM)

On this 19th day of June, 20 19, before me personally appeared Jack Louws, to me known to be the Executive of Whatcom County, who executed the above instrument and who acknowledged to me the act of signing and sealing thereof.



Suzanne M. Mildner
NOTARY PUBLIC in and for the State of Washington, residing at
Bellingham My commission expires 12-31-22

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Exhibit A
Scope of Work

Project No.

Exhibit A—Scope of Services, Fee & Schedule

Client Name:	Whatcom County		
Project Name:	ADA Transition Plan for Public Rights-of-Way		
Exhibit Dated:	May 10, 2019	TG:	1.19049.00

The Americans with Disabilities (ADA) act of 1990 provides comprehensive civil rights protections to persons with disabilities in the areas of employment, state and local government services, and access to public accommodations, transportation, and telecommunications. There are five titles (or parts) to the ADA, of which Title II is most pertinent to travel in the public right-of-way. This title specifies equal access to all services, programs and activities that are provided or made available by public entities.

This ADA Transition Plan for Public Right-of-Way will address the requirements of ADA Title II, Part 35, Subpart D – Program Accessibility § 35.150 (d)(3) for facilities within the public right-of-way of Whatcom County.

The plan shall, at a minimum—

- (i) Identify physical obstacles in the public program areas of the public entity's facilities that limit the accessibility of its programs or activities to individuals with disabilities;
- (ii) Describe in detail the methods that will be used to make the facilities accessible;
- (iii) Specify the schedule for taking the steps necessary to achieve compliance with this section and, if the time period of the transition plan is longer than one year, identify steps that will be taken during each year of the transition period; and
- (iv) Indicate the official responsible for implementation of the plan.

The scope of work contained below meets all the requirements identified above.

The consultant work program is organized into the following tasks:

1. Project Management and Coordination
2. Evaluation of Existing Barrier Removal Practices
3. Stakeholder Engagement
4. Self-Assessment Data Collection
5. Implementation Schedule
6. Draft and Final Plan

Task 1 – Project Management and Coordination

1.1 Project Coordination

The consultant team project manager will coordinate with the County's project manager on a bi-weekly basis throughout the duration of the project. The coordination will address project scope/status, policy direction, budget, schedule and planned data collection efforts. Coordination will be via telephone calls, and email, as appropriate.

1.2 Progress Reports and Invoices

The consultant will prepare monthly progress reports and invoices.

1.3 Kick-off Meeting

Prior to initiating data collection efforts, the consultant will hold a kick-off meeting with Transpo and County staff to go over safety and communication protocols, data collection schedule, quality control processes, existing County standards and policies, and the overall project scope and schedule.

Agency Support

- The County's project manager will regularly keep in contact with consultant team and communicate internally to County staff on progress and schedule.
- The County will facilitate engagement from partners like FHWA and WSDOT, if needed.

Consultant Deliverables

- Notes, emails, or other summaries of communication.
- Monthly progress reports and invoices.

Task 2 – Evaluation of Existing Barrier Removal Practices

This task evaluates how barriers in the public right of way and County facilities are currently removed and identifies changes to standards, policies, and practices relative to accessibility laws and nationally recognized best practices. This would specifically include the County's Development Standards, and address all pertinent chapters, especially chapter 5, "Road Standards". Guidelines to be considered include, but are not limited to:

- The Access Board's ADA Accessibility Guidelines (ADAAG).
- The Access Board's most recent, Revised Draft Public Right-of-Way Accessibility Guidelines (PROWAG).
- National Cooperative Highway Research Program (NCHRP) Report 20-7 (232), ADA Transition Plans: A
- Guide to Best Management Practices.

The consultant will review the County's initial "ADA Transition Plan & Self Evaluation Plan", dated August 15, 1995; and the County's "ADA Transition Plan Update", dated November 1, 1999.

Agency Support

- Provide input on and documentation of existing standards, practices, and policies related to accessibility.

Consultant Deliverables

- Summary of existing barrier removal methods and recommended changes. Removal methods are anticipated to include recommended changes to the County's development standards and may include recommended changes to other County policies and practices as identified during Task 2.

Task 3 – Stakeholder Engagement Support

In order to support the development of the ADA transition plan and provide a robust and inclusive outreach process, the consultant will assist the County in the following areas:

3.1 Materials and Support for General Public Outreach

Transpo will support the County in developing a project landing page on the County website and materials/maps/postcards that can be posted to the website and used for outreach events. Transpo will coordinate with the County to schedule and staff up to two outreach events to present the project and provide an opportunity for public input. These events can occur on the same day or different days and can include general public outreach activities. Transpo will present to the County Council the Final ADA Transition Plan, including presentation to Council at the preceding hearing. Also support County staff at two County Council meetings (with option for third meeting if needed) to provide updates and present the draft and final plans.

3.2 Online Public Survey

Transpo will develop with support from the County's staff an online public survey that is ADA accessible that also provides opportunities for public comment. This will be done using third-party survey software accessed via an external link on the County's website; however, no live streaming of events or question responses will be provided. This on-line survey will be open to the public for one month with comment collected during that time. Graphics developed under task 3.1 above will also be provided in electronic format for inclusion in the online survey. The online survey and other County supported outreach can help us recruit participants for a targeted focus group.

3.3 Targeted Focus Group and Advisory Committee

Focus groups can provide a deeper understanding of the factors the disabled community finds important for updating pedestrian areas in the County, as well as a better understanding of the main barriers in pedestrian areas.

County will assist Transpo in holding two one-hour focus group meeting at an accessible location. Support from Transpo will include development of materials and on-site facilitation. Participants will be recruited through County contacts including ADA community groups, groups representing senior citizens, those expressing an interest in participating from the online public meeting, and comment forms.

3.4 Grievance Policy

Transpo will develop a draft grievance policy based on national best practices. This draft will be submitted to the County for review and upon receipt of comments, Transpo will finalize the grievance policy.

Agency Support

- *Schedule and provide venue for Public Outreach.*
- *Provide support staff as necessary (e.g. providing sign language interpreter, translator, etc. for outreach)*
- *Assist with reaching out to individuals with limited mobility, vision, and hearing, as well as groups that work with those individuals including schools and social service providers*
- *Support in the development of the online public meeting*
- *Staffing at events not included in this scope of work*
- *Designation of webpage on County's website for ADA transition plan.*
- *Review of Draft Grievance Policy*

Consultant Deliverables

- *Materials folios and flyers, for use in the Stakeholder Engagement activities*
- *Messaging and graphics for the public website*
- *Development of content for an online public survey including on-line and paper comment forms*
- *Assistance with identification of stakeholders for public engagement, including individuals/organizations representing those with limited mobility, vision, and hearing.*
- *Attendance and preparation of materials for a focus groups including scheduling of translations, sign language interpreters, facilitator guide, recruitment of participants.*
- *Draft and Final Grievance Policy.*
- *Summary of outreach including summary of all outreach efforts including the focus group as well as a summary of comments received.*

Task 4 – Self-Assessment Data Collection

Data collection is the foundation of this project and will provide a clear understanding of what accessibility barriers exist and what needs to be done to remove them.

4.1 Public Right-of Way Self-Assessment

Data will be collected by Transpo using mobile tablets (ie: iOS, Android, etc.) and stored on a real-time cloud-based GIS database and interactive web viewer, for immediate review. Data may be collected up to 50 feet beyond the County Limits for completeness. A draft data dictionary will be prepared and be used as a starting point for development of the final data dictionary. The consultant team will work with the County to review and finalize the data dictionary through coordination with County Public Works and Information Technology staff.

The facilities to be inventoried are assumed to include up to 70 miles of sidewalk, including individual barriers along the sidewalk, curb ramps, pedestrian push buttons, marked and unmarked crosswalks, accessible parking, 3 signals, and bus stops.

The information above is based on information provided by the County via the Request for Proposals. Once collected, data will be reviewed for quality by Transpo Group.

The consultant will also assist in identifying training needs for County staff. The consultant will assist in developing a training outline using existing materials from other local, state, and federal agencies. The

consultant will facilitate a one-day training event for County staff using the outline. The focus of the training will be on current ADA standards and data collection methods and how they relate to the recommended barrier removal strategies identified in Task 02. A general overview of the ADA will also be given including general requirements for ADA transition planning including buildings and parks facilities.

Agency Support

- Provide existing GIS data standards and any database requirements
- Coordination support and feedback on a best practice data collection design standard. This would include database functionality to reduce errors and optimize field collection efficiency.
- Review boundary of data collection and identify facilities within County not owned by County
- Provide:
 - Base Map and Area of Interest GIS Data
 - Most current Aerial Imagery of the County for data collection data accuracy and reference. (Preferred format in SID format)
 - Other GIS data, as needed
 - Copies of all current MEF forms and information
- Other support from County GIS Staff, as needed

Consultant Deliverables

- Inventory and Barrier database will be delivered in GIS map package or ZIP compressed format and transmitted through the consultant FTP site for the project. Database will be using an ESRI file geodatabase format with some attachments enabled, where applicable. Core metadata elements will be included such as creator, title, description, keywords, publisher, date, extents, coordination system, source, rights, and data fields with coded domain values described, where applicable. All deliverable spatial data shall be referenced to the following ArcGIS projection definition of NAD_1983_StatePlane_Washington_North_FIPS_4601_Feet.
- Summary table of total number of existing ADA inventory assets collected by feature type.
- Interactive web map viewer of ADA Inventory Data Collection. During the duration of the project, a plan will be written on how to migrate the web map viewer and GIS database to the County's current GIS infrastructure.
- ADA training outline and facilitation of a one-day training event at a Whatcom County facility.

Task 5 – Implementation Schedule

Transpo will coordinate with the County to develop a transition schedule for barrier removal. Developing a transition schedule is a key requirement of all ADA transition plans requiring more than a year to implement. Effective plans prioritize removal of high impact barriers in a systematic manner through prioritization of barrier removal, a multiyear schedule, identification of funding streams, planning level cost estimates, and establishment of a monitoring system.

The consultant team will identify methods in which barriers within the public right-of-way will be removed. This will identify ways in which the County has already been working to remove barriers. It will also identify ways in which private development, pavement overlay projects, roadway widening, roadway reconstruction, maintenance, signal upgrades or other physical changes to the right-of-way will be required to address barriers. Suggestions for coordinating these improvements with other improvements and funding programs will also be outlined.

The development of the transition schedule will include the prioritization of barriers. Prioritization of barriers will include input from stakeholders, multi-criteria analysis of the severity of each individual barrier, and multi-criteria GIS spatial analysis of the location of each barrier. Data collected in the self-assessment task will be used to prioritize each barrier.

The implementation schedule will be informed by planning level cost estimates and dedicated funding resources, as well as leveraging related funding resources. ADA barriers are often removed by existing programs, and these activities will be highlighted.

Finally, Transpo will assist in the development of a comprehensive WebGIS based monitoring procedure. This procedure will build upon the GIS data collected in the self-assessment task and identify how that database will be efficiently maintained moving forward. It will help the County clearly communicate, track and report progress in the future.

Agency Support

- Identification of County (primarily based on input from disabled community) priorities around barrier removal.
- GIS data such as parks, schools, bus stops, functional class, public facilities, community destinations, etc.
- Provide current 6 Year TIP and Annual Construction Plan and information about other funding streams.

Consultant Deliverables

- Draft/Final criteria to guide prioritization of barrier removal, and will incorporate the priorities identified from the disabled community at the various public outreaches, online, forum, etc.
- Implementation schedule for barrier removal, including a list of the highest priority projects.
- Planning level cost estimates for barrier removal.
- Prioritization map data for public right-of-way will be delivered in GIS map package format and transmitted through the consultant FTP site for the project. Database will be using an ESRI file geodatabase format where at all possible or at minimum ESRI shapefile. Deliverables shall include a GIS map package with mxd files containing functioning sources pointing to all mapped layers and associated geodatabase.
- Interactive web map viewer of prioritization analysis of barriers in public right-of-way, during the duration of the project, with a plan about how to migrate the web map viewer and GIS database to the County's infrastructure. The web map viewer will be built as the project progresses and document data collection, and results of prioritization process including displaying of prioritization scores for each feature in terms of severity, proximity to high priority land uses, and combined scores. The interactive web map viewer shall be built in ArcGIS online and transferred to the County account prior to project closeout.
- Unit cost assumptions for planning level cost estimates.

Task 6 – Draft and Final Plan

This task includes development of a targeted, accessible and easy-to-understand document. Deliverables from other tasks including memos, maps, and tables will be adapted and consolidated into a single coherent document. The document will be clearly structured to meet the requirements of ADA Title II. Best practices will be integrated and highlighted throughout the plan and suggestions from partner agencies will be included.

In addition to the self-assessment and implementation schedule, there are various changes to County procedures, communication protocols and staffing that are required as part of an ADA transition plan. Although these changes will be completed internally by the County, they have been added to ensure all required elements of the transition plan are reflected within the scope of work. Per ADA Title II Part 35, Subpart D – Program Accessibility § 35.150 (d)(3) ADA Transition Plans must include:

- Identification of an "ADA Coordinator"
- Development of protocols to ensure information is accessible

The consultant team will provide guidance on best practices. This could include providing guidance on who should be the ADA Coordinator, how to provide barrier information in an accessible manner, and guidance on technical requirements/ sample protocols for information accessibility.

Agency Support

- Provide direction on draft plan including two rounds of comments/edits of draft plan.
- The County will identify an ADA coordinator
- Provide County specific GIS mapping template to be used for maps and figures, if desired.

Consultant Deliverables

- Draft transition plan including two rounds of edits. The draft and Final transition plan will be delivered in time for review and edit, along with presentation to the County Council in fall of 2019.
- Final transition plan in PDF, and Microsoft Word formats. Final transition plan will be stamped and signed by a licensed engineer in the State of Washington.
- Transition plan map data will be delivered in GIS map package format and transmitted through the consultant FTP site for the project. Database will be using an ESRI file geodatabase format where at all possible or at minimum ESRI shapefile. Deliverables shall include a GIS map package with mxd files containing functioning sources pointing to all mapped layers and associated geodatabase.

Exhibit C

Preparation and Delivery of Electronic Engineering and Other Data

In this Exhibit the agency, as applicable, is to provide a description of the format and standards the consultant is to use in preparing electronic files for transmission to the agency. The format and standards to be provided may include, but are not limited to, the following:

I. Surveying, Roadway Design & Plans Preparation Section

A. Survey Data

B. Roadway Design Files

C. Computer Aided Drafting Files

D. Specify the Agency's Right to Review Product with the Consultant

E. Specify the Electronic Deliverables to Be Provided to the Agency

See Scope of Work for a description of Consultant deliverables including format.

F. Specify What Agency Furnished Services and Information Is to Be Provided

See Scope of Work for a description of agency provided information.

II. Any Other Electronic Files to Be Provided

III. Methods to Electronically Exchange Data

A. Agency Software Suite

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B. Electronic Messaging System

C. File Transfers Format

Exhibit D
Prime Consultant Cost Computations

Actuals Not To Exceed Table (ANTE)

June 2019 - June 2020

Whatcom County ADA Plan

Transpo Group USA, Inc.

12131 113th Ave NE, Suite 203

Kirkland, WA 98034

Job Classifications	Direct Labor Rate NTE*	Overhead NTE*	Fixed Fee NTE	All Inclusive Hourly Billing Rate NTE
		171.78%	24.00%	
Engineer/Planner/Analyst/Principal/Director - Level 7	\$110.00	\$188.96	\$26.40	\$325.36
Engineer/Planner/Analyst/Proj Adm - Level 6	\$80.00	\$137.42	\$19.20	\$236.62
Engineer/Planner/Analyst/Proj Adm - Level 5	\$70.00	\$120.25	\$16.80	\$207.05
Engineer/Planner/Analyst/Proj Adm - Level 4	\$60.00	\$103.07	\$14.40	\$177.47
Engineer/Planner/Analyst/Proj Adm - Level 3	\$50.00	\$85.89	\$12.00	\$147.89
Engineer/Planner/Analyst/Proj Adm - Level 2	\$45.00	\$77.30	\$10.80	\$133.10
Engineer/Planner/Analyst/Proj Adm - Level 1	\$35.00	\$60.12	\$8.40	\$103.52
Intern/Data Collector/Project Adm - Level 1	\$25.00	\$42.95	\$6.00	\$73.95
		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

Transpo Group USA, Inc.
Cost Estimate Worksheet



Number / Project Name
1.19049.00/Whatcom Co. ADA Transition Plan

Pay rates are effective from July 7, 2018 through July 5, 2019, within the ranges shown in the attachment.
Only key staff are shown and other staff may work on and charge to the project as needed by the project manager.

Overhead Rate	Fee %
171.78%	24.00%

	Project Manager	Quality Control	GIS Manager	Project Engineer	GIS Analyst	Graphics	Field Technician	Admin
initials	RP	PBL	BGS	MW	NEJ	GD	NA	AMC
job title	Engineer L6	Principal L7	Analyst L4	Engineer L2	Analyst L1	Proj Admin L2	Data Collector L1	Proj Admin L4
labor rate	\$58.65	\$80.77	\$43.27	\$38.22	\$24.04	\$32.93	\$18.00	\$44.23
overhead (% of labor)	\$100.75	\$138.75	\$74.33	\$65.65	\$41.30	\$56.57	\$30.92	\$75.98
fee (% of labor)	\$14.08	\$19.38	\$10.38	\$9.17	\$5.77	\$7.90	\$4.32	\$10.62
fully burdened rate	\$173.47	\$238.90	\$127.98	\$113.05	\$71.11	\$97.40	\$53.24	\$130.82

Labor:

Work Task									Hours	Cost
1 Task 1 - Project Management / Coordination										
2 1.1 Project Coordination	12								12	\$2,081.70
3 1.2 Progress Reports and Invoices	6							6	12	\$1,825.79
4 1.3 Kick-off Meeting	6	6	6						18	\$3,242.16
5 Task 2 - Evaluation of Existing Barrier Removal Practices									0	\$0.00
Evaluation of Existing Barrier Removal Practices	16	4		40					60	\$8,253.09
7 Task 3 - Stakeholder Engagement Support									0	\$0.00
3.1 Material s and Support for Public Open House	24	2		4		12			42	\$6,262.20
3.2 Online Public Survey	2								2	\$346.95
3.3 Targeted Focus Group and Advisory Committee	18								18	\$3,122.55
3.4 Grievance Policy	2			4					6	\$799.14
9 Task 4 - Public ROW Self-Assessment									0	\$0.00
4.1 Public ROW Self-Assessment	20	8	48	48	120		284		528	\$40,603.14
6 Training	8			20					28	\$3,648.74
11 Task 5 - Implementation Schedule									0	\$0.00
Barrier Removal Strategy Development	8			60					68	\$8,170.63
Barrier Prioritization	4	2	140						146	\$19,089.46
Planning Level Cost Estimates	8			40					48	\$5,909.68
Monitoring Procedure			32						32	\$4,095.49
18 Task 6 - Draft and Final Plan									0	\$0.00
19 Draft Transition Plan	8	4	32	72	40				156	\$17,422.51
20 Final Transition Plan	4	4	8	8	8				32	\$4,146.60
Total Hours	146	30	266	296	168	12	284	6	1208	
Labor Costs	\$25,327	\$7,167	\$34,044	\$33,462	\$11,946	\$1,169	\$15,120	\$785		\$129,019.83

Reimbursable Expenses:

Item	Reimbursable Cost
1 Federal Express / Courier	\$0
2 Phone	\$0
3 Fax	\$0
4 Postage	\$0
5 Graphic supplies	\$0
6 Photography	\$0
7 Travel expenses (mileage)	\$600
8 Reproduction	\$0
9 Traffic counts	\$0
10 Traffic accident data	\$0
11 Spec. MPS model run	\$0
12 Transportation Concurrence Application	\$0
Total Reimbursable Expenses	\$600

Subconsultants:

Firm	Sub Cost
1 Acutanza STS	\$15,632.16
2	\$0
3	\$0
4	\$0
5	\$0
Total Subconsultants	\$15,632.16

\$145,251.99

Exhibit E

Sub-consultant Cost Computations

~~There is not any sub-consultant participation at this time. The CONSULTANT shall not sub contract for the performance of any work under this AGREEMENT without prior written permission of the AGENCY. Refer to section VI "Sub-Contracting" of this AGREEMENT.~~

ACUTANZA STS

Whatcome County ADA Transition

Cost Estimate 11/20/2018

	Acutanza STS		TOTALS	
	Raw labor	\$ 73.00		
	Overhead	\$ 80.30		
	Fee	\$ 17.52		
	Hours	\$170.82	Hours	Budget
ANTE Table June 2019 - June 2020				
Task 1 - Project Management and Coordination				
1.1--Project Coordination	10	\$ 1,708.20	10	\$ 1,708.20
1.2--Progress Reports and Invoices	12	\$ 2,049.84	12	\$ 2,049.84
1.3--Kick-off Mee3ting	8	\$ 1,366.56	8	\$ 1,366.56
Task 3 - Stakeholder Engagement				
3.1--Materials and Support	8	\$ 1,366.56	8	\$ 1,366.56
3.2--Online Public Survey	4	\$ 683.28	4	\$ 683.28
3.3--Targeted Focus and Advisory Group	38	\$ 6,491.16	38	\$ 6,491.16
Task 4 - Barrier Removal		\$ -	0	\$ -
Task 5 - Implementation Schedule		\$ -	0	\$ -
Task 6 - Draft and Final Plan	8	\$ 1,366.56	8	\$ 1,366.56
Reimbursables				\$ 600.00
			88	\$15,632.16

Exhibit F

Title VI Assurances

During the performance of this AGREEMENT, the CONSULTANT, for itself, its assignees, and successors in interest agrees as follows:

1. **Compliance with Regulations:** The CONSULTANT shall comply with the Regulations relative to non-discrimination in federally assisted programs of the AGENCY, Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 21, as they may be amended from time to time (hereinafter referred to as the "REGULATIONS"), which are herein incorporated by reference and made a part of this AGREEMENT.
2. **Non-discrimination:** The CONSULTANT, with regard to the work performed during this AGREEMENT, shall not discriminate on the grounds of race, color, sex, or national origin in the selection and retention of sub-consultants, including procurement of materials and leases of equipment. The CONSULTANT shall not participate either directly or indirectly in the discrimination prohibited by Section 21.5 of the REGULATIONS, including employment practices when this AGREEMENT covers a program set forth in Appendix B of the REGULATIONS.
3. **Solicitations for Sub-consultants, Including Procurement of Materials and Equipment:** In all solicitations either by competitive bidding or negotiations made by the CONSULTANT for work to be performed under a sub-contract, including procurement of materials or leases of equipment, each potential sub-consultant or supplier shall be notified by the CONSULTANT of the CONSULTANT's obligations under this AGREEMENT and the REGULATIONS relative to non-discrimination on the grounds of race, color, sex, or national origin.
4. **Information and Reports:** The CONSULTANT shall provide all information and reports required by the REGULATIONS or directives issued pursuant thereto, and shall permit access to its books, records, accounts, other sources of information, and its facilities as may be determined by the AGENCY, the STATE, or the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) to be pertinent to ascertain compliance with such REGULATIONS, orders and instructions. Where any information required of a CONSULTANT is in the exclusive possession of another who fails or refuses to furnish this information, the CONSULTANT shall so certify to the AGENCY, the STATE, or the FHWA as appropriate, and shall set forth what efforts it has made to obtain the information.
5. **Sanctions for Non-compliance:** In the event of the CONSULTANT's non-compliance with the non-discrimination provisions of this AGREEMENT, the AGENCY shall impose such AGREEMENT sanctions as it, the STATE, or the FHWA may determine to be appropriate, including, but not limited to:
 - Withholding of payments to the CONSULTANT under this AGREEMENT until the CONSULTANT complies, and/or;
 - Cancellation, termination, or suspension of this AGREEMENT, in whole or in part.
6. **Incorporation of Provisions:** The CONSULTANT shall include the provisions of paragraphs (1) through (5) in every subcontract, including procurement of materials and leases of equipment, unless exempt by the REGULATIONS, or directives issued pursuant thereto. The CONSULTANT shall take such action with respect to any sub-consultant or procurement as the STATE, the AGENCY, or FHWA may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions including sanctions for non-compliance.

Provided, however, that in the event a CONSULTANT becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a sub-consultant or supplier as a result of such direction, the CONSULTANT may request the AGENCY enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the STATE and/or the AGENCY and, in addition, the CONSULTANT may request the United States enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the United States.

Exhibit G

Certification Document

- Exhibit G-1(a) Certification of Consultant
- Exhibit G-1(b) Certification of _____
- Exhibit G-2 Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension and Other Responsibility Matters - Primary Covered Transactions
- Exhibit G-3 Certification Regarding the Restrictions of the Use of Federal Funds for Lobbying
- Exhibit G-4 Certificate of Current Cost or Pricing Data

Exhibit G-1(a) Certification of Consultant

I hereby certify that I am the and duly authorized representative of the firm of
Transpo Group USA, Inc.

whose address is

12131 113th Ave NE, Suite 203, Kirkland, WA 98034

and that neither the above firm nor I have

- a) Employed or retained for a commission, percentage, brokerage, contingent fee, or other consideration, any firm or person (other than a bona fide employee working solely for me or the above CONSULTANT) to solicit or secure this AGREEMENT;
- b) Agreed, as an express or implied condition for obtaining this contract, to employ or retain the services of any firm or person in connection with carrying out this AGREEMENT; or
- c) Paid, or agreed to pay, to any firm, organization or person (other than a bona fide employee working solely for me or the above CONSULTANT) any fee, contribution, donation, or consideration of any kind for, or in connection with, procuring or carrying out this AGREEMENT; except as hereby expressly stated (if any);

I acknowledge that this certificate is to be furnished to the _____

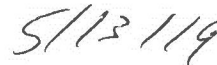
and the Federal Highway Administration, U.S. Department of Transportation in connection with this AGREEMENT involving participation of Federal-aid highway funds, and is subject to applicable State and Federal laws, both criminal and civil.

Transpo Group USA, Inc.

Consultant (Firm Name)



Signature (Authorized Official of Consultant)



Date

Exhibit G-1(b) Certification of _____

I hereby certify that I am the:

☐

☐ Other

of the _____, and _____

or its representative has not been required, directly or indirectly as an express or implied condition in connection with obtaining or carrying out this AGREEMENT to:

- a) Employ or retain, or agree to employ to retain, any firm or person; o
- b) Pay, or agree to pay, to any firm, person, or organization, any fee, contribution, donation, or consideration of any kind; except as hereby expressly stated (if any):

I acknowledge that this certificate is to be furnished to the _____

and the Federal Highway Administration, U.S. Department of Transportation, in connection with this AGREEMENT involving participation of Federal-aid highway funds, and is subject to applicable State and Federal laws, both criminal and civil.

Signature

Date

Exhibit G-2 Certification Regarding Debarment Suspension and Other Responsibility Matters - Primary Covered Transactions

- I. The prospective primary participant certifies to the best of its knowledge and belief, that it and its principals:
- A. Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any Federal department or agency;
 - B. Have not within a three (3) year period preceding this proposal been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (Federal, State, or local) transaction or contract under a public transaction; violation of Federal or State anti-trust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property;
 - C. Are not presently indicted for or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a governmental entity (Federal, State, or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in paragraph (1)(b) of this certification; and
 - D. Have not within a three (3) year period preceding this application / proposal had one or more public transactions (Federal, State and local) terminated for cause or default.
- II. Where the prospective primary participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

Transpo Group USA, Inc.

Consultant (Firm Name)



Signature (Authorized Official of Consultant)

5/13/19

Date

Exhibit G-3 Certification Regarding the Restrictions of the Use of Federal Funds for Lobbying

The prospective participant certifies, by signing and submitting this bid or proposal, to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, that:

1. No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the undersigned, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any Federal agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or any employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any Federal contract, the making of any Federal grant, the making of any Federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative AGREEMENT, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of Federal contract, grant, loan or cooperative AGREEMENT.
2. If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any Federal agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Federal contract, grant, loan or cooperative AGREEMENT, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form - LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the require certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000.00, and not more than \$100,000.00 for each such failure.

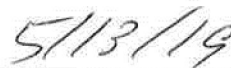
The prospective participant also agrees by submitting his or her bid or proposal that he or she shall require that the language of this certification be included in all lower tier sub-contracts, which exceed \$100,000 and that all such sub-recipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.

Transpo Group USA, Inc.

Consultant (Firm Name)



Signature (Authorized Official of Consultant)



Date

Exhibit G-4 Certification of Current Cost or Pricing Data

This is to certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the cost or pricing data (as defined in section of the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) and required under FAR subsection 15.403-4) submitted, either actually or by specific identification in writing, to the Contracting Officer or to the Contracting Officer's representative in support of Whatcom County ADA Transition Plan * are accurate, complete, and current as of May 9, 2019 **.

This certification includes the cost or pricing data supporting any advance AGREEMENT's and forward pricing rate AGREEMENT's between the offer or and the Government that are part of the proposal.

Firm: Transpo Group USA, Inc.



Signature

Principal

Title

Date of Execution 5/13/19 ***.

*Identify the proposal, quotation, request for pricing adjustment, or other submission involved, giving the appropriate identifying number (e.g. project title.)

**Insert the day, month, and year, when price negotiations were concluded and price AGREEMENT was reached.

***Insert the day, month, and year, of signing, which should be as close as practicable to the date when the price negotiations were concluded and the contract price was agreed to.

Exhibit I

Alleged Consultant Design Error Procedures

The purpose of this exhibit is to establish a procedure to determine if a consultant has alleged design error is of a nature that exceeds the accepted standard of care. In addition, it will establish a uniform method for the resolution and/or cost recovery procedures in those instances where the agency believes it has suffered some material damage due to the alleged error by the consultant.

Step 1 Potential Consultant Design Error(s) is Identified by Agency's Project Manager

At the first indication of potential consultant design error(s), the first step in the process is for the Agency's project manager to notify the Director of Public Works or Agency Engineer regarding the potential design error(s). For federally funded projects, the Region Local Programs Engineer should be informed and involved in these procedures. (Note: The Director of Public Works or Agency Engineer may appoint an agency staff person other than the project manager, who has not been as directly involved in the project, to be responsible for the remaining steps in these procedures.)

Step 2 Project Manager Documents the Alleged Consultant Design Error(s)

After discussion of the alleged design error(s) and the magnitude of the alleged error(s), and with the Director of Public Works or Agency Engineer's concurrence, the project manager obtains more detailed documentation than is normally required on the project. Examples include all decisions and descriptions of work, photographs, records of labor, materials, and equipment.

Step 3 Contact the Consultant Regarding the Alleged Design Error(s)

If it is determined that there is a need to proceed further, the next step in the process is for the project manager to contact the consultant regarding the alleged design error(s) and the magnitude of the alleged error(s). The project manager and other appropriate agency staff should represent the agency and the consultant should be represented by their project manager and any personnel (including sub-consultants) deemed appropriate for the alleged design error(s) issue.

Step 4 Attempt to Resolve Alleged Design Error with Consultant

After the meeting(s) with the consultant have been completed regarding the consultant's alleged design error(s), there are three possible scenarios:

- It is determined via mutual agreement that there is not a consultant design error(s). If this is the case, then the process will not proceed beyond this point.
- It is determined via mutual agreement that a consultant design error(s) occurred. If this is the case, then the Director of Public Works or Agency Engineer, or their representatives, negotiate a settlement with the consultant. The settlement would be paid to the agency or the amount would be reduced from the consultant's agreement with the agency for the services on the project in which the design error took place. The agency is to provide LP, through the Region Local Programs Engineer, a summary of the settlement for review and to make adjustments, if any, as to how the settlement affects federal reimbursements. No further action is required.
- There is not a mutual agreement regarding the alleged consultant design error(s). The consultant may request that the alleged design error(s) issue be forwarded to the Director of Public Works or Agency Engineer for review. If the Director of Public Works or Agency Engineer, after review with their legal counsel, is not able to reach mutual agreement with the consultant, proceed to Step 5.

Step 5 Forward Documents to Local Programs

For federally funded projects, all available information, including costs, should be forwarded through the Region Local Programs Engineer to LP for their review and consultation with the FHWA. LP will meet with representatives of the agency and the consultant to review the alleged design error(s), and attempt to find a resolution to the issue. If necessary, LP will request assistance from the Attorney General's Office for legal interpretation. LP will also identify how the alleged error(s) affects eligibility of project costs for federal reimbursement.

- If mutual agreement is reached, the agency and consultant adjust the scope of work and costs to reflect the agreed upon resolution. LP, in consultation with FHWA, will identify the amount of federal participation in the agreed upon resolution of the issue.
- If mutual agreement is not reached, the agency and consultant may seek settlement by arbitration or by litigation.

Exhibit J

Consultant Claim Procedures

The purpose of this exhibit is to describe a procedure regarding claim(s) on a consultant agreement. The following procedures should only be utilized on consultant claims greater than \$1,000. If the consultant's claim(s) total a \$1,000 or less, it would not be cost effective to proceed through the outlined steps. It is suggested that the Director of Public Works or Agency Engineer negotiate a fair and reasonable price for the consultant's claim(s) that total \$1,000 or less.

This exhibit will outline the procedures to be followed by the consultant and the agency to consider a potential claim by the consultant.

Step 1 Consultant Files a Claim with the Agency Project Manager

If the consultant determines that they were requested to perform additional services that were outside of the agreement's scope of work, they may be entitled to a claim. The first step that must be completed is the request for consideration of the claim to the Agency's project manager.

The consultant's claim must outline the following:

- Summation of hours by classification for each firm that is included in the claim
- Any correspondence that directed the consultant to perform the additional work;
- Timeframe of the additional work that was outside of the project scope;
- Summary of direct labor dollars, overhead costs, profit and reimbursable costs associated with the additional work; and
- Explanation as to why the consultant believes the additional work was outside of the agreement scope of work.

Step 2 Review by Agency Personnel Regarding the Consultant's Claim for Additional Compensation

After the consultant has completed step 1, the next step in the process is to forward the request to the Agency's project manager. The project manager will review the consultant's claim and will meet with the Director of Public Works or Agency Engineer to determine if the Agency agrees with the claim. If the FHWA is participating in the project's funding, forward a copy of the consultant's claim and the Agency's recommendation for federal participation in the claim to the WSDOT Local Programs through the Region Local Programs Engineer. If the claim is not eligible for federal participation, payment will need to be from agency funds.

If the Agency project manager, Director of Public Works or Agency Engineer, WSDOT Local Programs (if applicable), and FHWA (if applicable) agree with the consultant's claim, send a request memo, including backup documentation to the consultant to either supplement the agreement, or create a new agreement for the claim. After the request has been approved, the Agency shall write the supplement and/or new agreement and pay the consultant the amount of the claim. Inform the consultant that the final payment for the agreement is subject to audit. No further action is needed regarding the claim procedures.

If the Agency does not agree with the consultant's claim, proceed to step 3 of the procedures.

Step 3 Preparation of Support Documentation Regarding Consultant's Claim(s)

If the Agency does not agree with the consultant's claim, the project manager shall prepare a summary for the Director of Public Works or Agency Engineer that included the following:

- Copy of information supplied by the consultant regarding the claim;
- Agency's summation of hours by classification for each firm that should be included in the claim
- Any correspondence that directed the consultant to perform the additional work;
- Agency's summary of direct labor dollars, overhead costs, profit and reimbursable costs associate with the additional work;
- Explanation regarding those areas in which the Agency does/does not agree with the consultant's claim(s);
- Explanation to describe what has been instituted to preclude future consultant claim(s); and
- Recommendations to resolve the claim.

Step 4 Director of Public Works or Agency Engineer Reviews Consultant Claim and Agency Documentation

The Director of Public Works or Agency Engineer shall review and administratively approve or disapprove the claim, or portions thereof, which may include getting Agency Council or Commission approval (as appropriate to agency dispute resolution procedures). If the project involves federal participation, obtain concurrence from WSDOT Local Programs and FHWA regarding final settlement of the claim. If the claim is not eligible for federal participation, payment will need to be from agency funds.

Step 5 Informing Consultant of Decision Regarding the Claim

The Director of Public Works or Agency Engineer shall notify (in writing) the consultant of their final decision regarding the consultant's claim(s). Include the final dollar amount of the accepted claim(s) and rationale utilized for the decision.

Step 6 Preparation of Supplement or New Agreement for the Consultant's Claim(s)

The agency shall write the supplement and/or new agreement and pay the consultant the amount of the claim. Inform the consultant that the final payment for the agreement is subject to audit



CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)

4/26/2019

THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AFFIRMATIVELY OR NEGATIVELY AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. THIS CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ISSUING INSURER(S), AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OR PRODUCER, AND THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER.

IMPORTANT: If the certificate holder is an ADDITIONAL INSURED, the policy(ies) must have ADDITIONAL INSURED provisions or be endorsed. If SUBROGATION IS WAIVED, subject to the terms and conditions of the policy, certain policies may require an endorsement. A statement on this certificate does not confer rights to the certificate holder in lieu of such endorsement(s).

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INSURED Transpo Group USA, Inc. 12131 113th Ave NE, Suite 203 Kirkland, WA 98034 425 821-3665	INSURER(S) AFFORDING COVERAGE		NAIC #
	INSURER A: Charter Oak Fire Insurance Company		25615
	INSURER B: Travelers Indemnity Company		25658
	INSURER C: Sentinel Insurance Co. LTD		11000
	INSURER D: Beazley Insurance Company, Inc.		37540
	INSURER E:		
INSURER F:			

COVERAGES**CERTIFICATE NUMBER:** 629980022**REVISION NUMBER:**

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE POLICIES OF INSURANCE LISTED BELOW HAVE BEEN ISSUED TO THE INSURED NAMED ABOVE FOR THE POLICY PERIOD INDICATED. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY REQUIREMENT, TERM OR CONDITION OF ANY CONTRACT OR OTHER DOCUMENT WITH RESPECT TO WHICH THIS CERTIFICATE MAY BE ISSUED OR MAY PERTAIN, THE INSURANCE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES DESCRIBED HEREIN IS SUBJECT TO ALL THE TERMS, EXCLUSIONS AND CONDITIONS OF SUCH POLICIES. LIMITS SHOWN MAY HAVE BEEN REDUCED BY PAID CLAIMS.

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B	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UMBRELLA LIAB <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OCCUR <input type="checkbox"/> EXCESS LIAB <input type="checkbox"/> CLAIMS-MADE DED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> RETENTION \$ 10,000			CUP4F625338	1/1/2019	1/1/2020	EACH OCCURRENCE \$ 5,000,000 AGGREGATE \$ 5,000,000 \$
C A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WORKERS COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY ANY PROPRIETOR/PARTNER/EXECUTIVE OFFICER/MEMBER EXCLUDED? (Mandatory in NH) If yes, describe under DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS below	Y/N	Y	57WECZS7222 6805H922543	1/1/2019 1/1/2019	1/1/2020 1/1/2020	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PER STATUTE <input type="checkbox"/> OTH-ER WA Stop Gap E.L. EACH ACCIDENT \$ 1,000,000 E.L. DISEASE - EA EMPLOYEE \$ 1,000,000 E.L. DISEASE - POLICY LIMIT \$ 1,000,000
D	Professional Liability Claims Made Form			V1D535190301	1/1/2019	1/1/2020	\$2,000,000 \$4,000,000 Per Claim Annual Aggregate


DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES (ACORD 101, Additional Remarks Schedule, may be attached if more space is required)

Umbrella Liability policy is a follow-form to underlying General Liability/Auto Liability/Employers Liability.

Re: Transpo Project #19049.00 / Whatcom County ADA Transition Plan.

Whatcom County, their officers, employees and agents are named as additional insured as respects general and hired/non-owned auto liability for claims arising from the operations of the named insured as required per written contract or agreement.

CERTIFICATE HOLDER**CANCELLATION 30 Day Notice of Cancellation**

Whatcom County 5280 Northwest Dr. Bellingham WA 98226	SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, NOTICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY PROVISIONS.
	AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE 

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THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY.

**ADDITIONAL INSURED – OWNERS, LESSEES OR
CONTRACTORS – SCHEDULED PERSON OR
ORGANIZATION**

This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the following:

COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY COVERAGE PART

SCHEDULE

Names of Additional Insured Person(s) or Organization(s):

Any person or organization that you agree in a written contract, on this Coverage Part, provided that such written contract was signed and executed by you before, and is in effect when the "bodily injury" or "property damage" occurs or the "personal injury" or "advertising injury" offense is committed.

Location of Covered Operations:

Any project to which an applicable written contract with the described in the Name of Additional Insured Person(s) or Organization(s) section of this Schedule applies.

(Information required to complete this Schedule, if not shown above, will be shown in the Declarations.)

- A.** Section II – Who Is An Insured is amended to include as an additional insured the person(s) or organization(s) shown in the Schedule, but only with respect to liability for "bodily injury", "property damage", "personal injury" or "advertising injury" caused, in whole or in part, by:

1. Your acts or omissions; or
2. The acts or omissions of those acting on your behalf;

in the performance of your ongoing operations for the additional insured(s) at the location(s) designated above.

- B.** With respect to the insurance afforded to these additional insureds, the following additional exclusions apply:

This insurance does not apply to "bodily injury" or "property damage" occurring, or "personal injury" or "advertising injury" arising out of an offense committed, after:

1. All work, including materials, parts or equipment furnished in connection with such work, on the project (other than service, maintenance or repairs) to be performed by or on behalf of the additional insured(s) at the location of the covered operations has been completed; or
2. That portion of "your work" out of which the injury or damage arises has been put to its intended use by any person or organization other than another contractor or subcontractor engaged in performing operations for a principal as a part of the same project.

THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY.

ADDITIONAL INSURED – OWNERS, LESSEES OR CONTRACTORS – COMPLETED OPERATIONS

This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the following:

COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY COVERAGE PART

SCHEDULE

Name Of Additional Insured Person(s) Or Organization(s):

Any person or organization that you agree in a written contract to include as an additional insured on this Coverage Part for "bodily injury" or "property damage" included in the "products-completed operations hazard", provided that such contract was signed and executed by you before, and is in effect when, the bodily injury or property damage occurs.

Location And Description Of Completed Operations

Any project to which an applicable contract described in the Name of Additional Insured Person(s) or Organization(s) section of this Schedule applies.

Information required to complete this Schedule, if not shown above, will be shown in the Declarations.

Section II – Who Is An Insured is amended to include as an additional insured the person(s) or organization(s) shown in the Schedule, but only with respect to liability for "bodily injury" or "property damage" caused, in whole or in part, by "your work" at the

location designated and described in the schedule of this endorsement performed for that additional insured and included in the "products-completed operations hazard".

THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY.

**OTHER INSURANCE – ADDITIONAL INSURED –
PRIMARY AND NON-CONTRIBUTORY WITH RESPECT TO
CERTAIN OTHER INSURANCE**

This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the following:

COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY COVERAGE PART

The following is added to Paragraph 4. a., **Primary Insurance**, of **SECTION IV – COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY CONDITIONS**:

However, if you specifically agree in a written contract or agreement that the insurance afforded to an additional insured under this Coverage Part must apply on a primary basis, or a primary and non-contributory basis, this insurance is primary to other insurance that is available to such additional insured which covers such additional insured as a named insured, and we will not share with that other insurance, provided that:

(1) The "bodily injury" or "property damage" for which coverage is sought is caused by an "occurrence" that takes place; and

(2) The "personal injury" or "advertising injury" for which coverage is sought arises out of an offense that is committed;

subsequent to the signing and execution of that contract or agreement by you.

POLICY NUMBER: 6805H922543

COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY

ISSUED DATE: 4/26/2019

THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY.

WAIVER OF TRANSFER OF RIGHTS OF RECOVERY AGAINST OTHERS TO US

This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the following:

COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY COVERAGE PART

SCHEDULE

Name of Person or Organization:

Any person or organization that you agree in a written contract

(If no entry appears above, information required to complete this endorsement will be shown in the Declarations as applicable to this endorsement.)

The TRANSFER OF RIGHTS OF RECOVERY AGAINST OTHERS TO US Condition (Section IV-COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY CONDITIONS) is amended by the addition of the following:

We waive any right of recovery we may have against the person or organization shown in the Schedule above because of payments we make for injury or

damage arising out of your ongoing operations or "your work" done under a contract with that person or organization and included in the "products-completed operations hazards." This waiver applies only to the person or organization shown in the Schedule above.

THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY.

BLANKET ADDITIONAL INSURED

This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the following:

BUSINESS AUTO COVERAGE FORM
MOTOR CARRIER COVERAGE FORM

The following is added to Paragraph c. in **A.1., Who Is An Insured**, of **SECTION II – COVERED AUTOS LIABILITY COVERAGE** in the **BUSINESS AUTO COVERAGE FORM** and Paragraph e. in **A.1., Who Is An Insured**, of **SECTION II – COVERED AUTOS LIABILITY COVERAGE** in the **MOTOR CARRIER COVERAGE FORM**, whichever Coverage Form is part of your policy:

This includes any person or organization who you are required under a written contract or agreement

between you and that person or organization, that is signed by you before the "bodily injury" or "property damage" occurs and that is in effect during the policy period, to name as an additional insured for Covered Autos Liability Coverage, but only for damages to which this insurance applies and only to the extent of that person's or organization's liability for the conduct of another "insured".

THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY.

BLANKET WAIVER OF SUBROGATION

This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the following:

AUTO DEALERS COVERAGE FORM
BUSINESS AUTO COVERAGE FORM
MOTOR CARRIER COVERAGE FORM

The following replaces Paragraph **A.5., Transfer of Rights Of Recovery Against Others To Us**, of the **CONDITIONS** Section:

5. Transfer Of Rights Of Recovery Against Others To Us

We waive any right of recovery we may have against any person or organization to the extent

required of you by a written contract executed prior to any "accident" or "loss", provided that the "accident" or "loss" arises out of the operations contemplated by such contract. The waiver applies only to the person or organization designated in such contract.



THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY.

WORKERS' COMPENSATION BROAD FORM ENDORSEMENT EXTENDED OPTIONS

Policy Number: 57 WEC ZS7222

Endorsement Number:

Effective Date: 01/01/19

Effective hour is the same as stated on the Information Page of the policy.

Named Insured and Address: TRANSPOR GROUP USA, INC.
12131 113TH AVE NE, STE 203
KIRKLAND WA 98034

Section I of this endorsement expands coverage provided under WC 00 00 00.

Section II of this endorsement provides additional coverage usually only provided by endorsement.

Section III of this endorsement is a Schedule of Covered States.

You may use the index to locate these coverage features quickly:

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SECTION I

PARTS ONE and TWO

1. WE WILL ALSO PAY

D. We Will Also Pay of **Part One** (WORKERS' COMPENSATION INSURANCE); and

E. We Will Also Pay of **Part Two** (EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY INSURANCE) is replaced by the following:

We Will Also Pay

We will also pay these costs, in addition to other amounts payable under this insurance, as part of any claim, proceeding, or suit we defend:

1. reasonable expenses incurred at our request, **INCLUDING** loss of earnings;
2. premiums for bonds to release attachments and for appeal bonds in bond amounts up to the limit of our liability under this insurance;
3. litigation costs taxed against you;
4. interest on a judgment as required by law until we offer the amount due under this law; and
5. expenses we incur.

PART THREE

2. How This Insurance Applies

Paragraph 4. of **A. How This Insurance Applies** of **Part 3** (Other States Insurance) is replaced by the following:

4. If you have work on the effective date of this policy in any state not listed in Item 3.A. of the Information Page, coverage will not be afforded for that state unless we are notified within **sixty** days.

PART SIX

3. Transfer Of Your Rights and Duties

C. Transfer Of Your Rights and Duties of **Part 6** (Conditions) is replaced by the following:

Your rights or duties under this policy may not be transferred without our written consent.

If you die and we receive notice within **sixty** days after your death, we will cover your legal representative as insured.

4. Liberalization

If we adopt a change in this form that would broaden the coverage of this form without extra charge, the broader coverage will apply to this policy. It will apply when the change becomes effective in your state.

SECTION II

VOLUNTARY COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY COVERAGE

5. Voluntary Compensation Insurance

A. How This Insurance Applies

This insurance applies to bodily injury by accident or bodily injury by disease. Bodily injury includes resulting death.

1. The bodily injury must be sustained by any officer or employee not subject to the workers' compensation law of any state shown in Item 3.A. of the Information Page.
2. The bodily injury must arise out of and in the course of employment or incidental to work in a state shown in Item 3.A. of the Information Page.

3. The bodily injury must occur in the United States of America, its territories or possessions, or Canada, and may occur elsewhere if the employee is a United States or Canadian citizen, or otherwise legal resident, and legally employed, in the United States or Canada and temporarily away from those places.

4. Bodily injury by accident must occur during the policy period.

5. Bodily injury by disease must be caused or aggravated by the conditions of the

officer's or employee's employment. The officer's or employee's last day of last exposure to the conditions causing or aggravating such bodily injury by disease must occur during the policy period.

B. We Will Pay

We will pay an amount equal to the benefits that would be required of you as if you and your employees were subject to the workers' compensation law of any state shown in Item 3.A. of the Information Page. We will pay those amounts to the persons who would be entitled to them under the law.

C. Exclusion

This insurance does not cover:

1. any obligation imposed by workers' compensation or occupational disease law or any similar law.
2. bodily injury intentionally caused or aggravated by you.
3. officers or employees who have elected not to be subject to the state workers' compensation law.
4. partners or sole proprietors not covered under the Standard Sole Proprietors, Partners, Officers and Others Coverage Endorsement.

D. Before We Pay

Before we pay benefits to the persons entitled to them, they must:

1. Release you and us, in writing, of all responsibility for the injury or death.
2. Transfer to us their right to recover from others who may be responsible for the injury or death.
3. Cooperate with us and do everything necessary to enable us to enforce the right to recover from others.

If the persons entitled to the benefits of this insurance fail to do those things, our duty to pay ends at once. If they claim damages from you or from us for the injury or death, our duty to pay ends at once.

E. Recovery From Others

If we make a recovery from others, we will keep an amount equal to our expenses of recovery and the benefits we paid. We will pay the balance to the persons entitled to it.

If the persons entitled to the benefits of this insurance make a recovery from others, they must reimburse us for the benefits we paid them.

F. Employers' Liability Insurance

Part Two (Employers' Liability Insurance) applies to bodily injury covered by this endorsement as though the State of Employment was shown in Item 3.A. of the Information Page.

This provision 5. does not apply in New Jersey or Wisconsin.

EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY STOP GAP COVERAGE

6. Employers' Liability Stop Gap Coverage

- A. This coverage only applies in Montana, North Dakota, Ohio, Washington, West Virginia and Wyoming.
- B. Part One (Workers' Compensation Insurance) does not apply to work in states shown in Paragraph A above.
- C. Part Two (Employers' Liability Insurance) applies in the states, shown in Paragraph A., as though they were shown in Item 3.A. of the Information Page.
- D. Part Two, Section C. **Exclusions** is changed by adding these exclusions.

This insurance does not cover;

5. bodily injury intentionally caused or aggravated by you or in Ohio bodily injury resulting from an act which is determined by an Ohio court of law to have been committed by you with the belief that an injury is substantially certain to occur. However, the cost of defending such claims or suits in Ohio is covered.
13. bodily injury sustained by any member of the flying crew of any aircraft.
14. any claim for bodily injury with respect to which you are deprived of any defense or defenses or are otherwise subject to penalty because of default in premium under the provisions of the workers' compensation law or laws of a state shown in Paragraph A.
- E. This insurance applies to damages for which you are liable under West Virginia Code Annot. S 23-4-2.

EXTENDED OPTIONS

1. Employers' Liability Insurance

Item 3.B. of the **Information Page** is replaced by the following:

B. Employers' Liability Insurance:

1. **Part Two** of the policy applies to work in each state listed in Item 3.A.

The Limits of Liability under Part Two are the higher of:

**Bodily Injury
by Accident** **\$500,000 Each Accident**

**Bodily Injury
by Disease** **\$500,000 Policy Limit**

**Bodily Injury
by Disease** **\$500,000 Each Employee**

OR

2. The amount shown in the **Information Page**.

This provision 1 of **EXTENDED OPTIONS** does not apply in New York because the Limits Of Our Liability are unlimited.

In this provision the limits are changed from **\$500,000** to **\$1,000,000** in California.

2. Unintentional Failure to Disclose Hazards

If you unintentionally should fail to disclose all existing hazards at the inception date of your policy, we shall not deny coverage under this policy because of such failure.

3. Waiver of Our Right To Recover From Others

- A. We have the right to recover our payments from anyone liable for an injury covered by this policy. We will not enforce our right against any person or organization for whom you perform work under a written contract that requires you to obtain this agreement from us.

This agreement shall not operate directly or indirectly to benefit anyone not named in the agreement.

- B. This provision 3. does not apply in the states of Pennsylvania and Utah.

4. Foreign Voluntary Compensation and Employers' Liability Reimbursement

A. How This Reimbursement Applies

This reimbursement provision applies to bodily injury by accident or bodily injury by disease. Bodily injury includes resulting death.

1. The bodily injury must be sustained by an officer or employee.
2. The bodily injury must occur in the course of employment necessary or incidental to work in a country not listed in Exclusion C.1. of this provision.
3. Bodily injury by accident must occur during the policy period.
4. Bodily injury by disease must be caused or aggravated by the conditions of your employment. The officer or employee's last exposure to those conditions of your employment must occur during the policy period.

B. We Will Reimburse

We will reimburse you for all amounts paid by you whether such amounts are:

1. voluntary payments for the benefits that would be required of you if you and your officers or employees were subject to any workers' compensation law of the state of hire of the individual employee.
2. sums to which Part Two (Employers' Liability Insurance) would apply if the Country of Employment were shown in Item 3.A. of the **Information Page**.

C. Exclusions

This insurance does not cover:

1. any occurrences in the United States, Canada, and any country or jurisdiction which is the subject of trade or economic sanctions imposed by the laws or regulations of the United States of America in effect as of the inception date of this policy.
2. any obligation imposed by a workers' compensation or occupational disease law, or similar law.
3. bodily injury intentionally caused or aggravated by you.

4. liability for any consequence, whether direct or indirect, of war, invasion, act of Foreign enemy, hostilities (whether war be declared or not), civil war, rebellion, revolution, insurrection or military or usurped power. No endorsement now or subsequently attached to this policy shall be construed as overriding or waiving this limitation unless specific reference is made thereto.

D. Before We Pay

Before we reimburse you for the benefits to the persons entitled to them, you must have them:

1. release you and us, in writing, of all responsibility for the injury or death,
2. transfer to us their right to recover from others who may be responsible for their injury or death,
3. cooperate with us and do everything necessary to enable us to enforce the right to recover from others.

If the persons entitled to the benefits paid fail to do these things, our duty to reimburse ends at once. If they claim damages from us for the injury or death, our duty to reimburse ends at once.

E. Recovery From Others

If we make a recovery from others, we will keep an amount equal to our expenses of recovery and the benefits we reimbursed. We will pay the balance to the persons entitled to it. If persons entitled to the benefits make a recovery from others, they must repay us for the amounts that we have reimbursed you.

F. Reimbursement for Actual Loss Sustained

This endorsement provides only for reimbursement for the loss you actually sustain. In order for you to recover loss or expenses under this reimbursement you must:

1. actually sustain and pay the loss or expense in money after trial, or
2. secure our consent for the payment of the loss or expense.

G. Repatriation

Our reimbursement includes the additional expenses of repatriation to the United States

of America necessarily incurred as a direct result of bodily injury.

Our reimbursement shall be limited as follows:

1. to the amount by which such expenses exceed the normal cost of returning the officer or employee if in good health, or
2. in the event of death, to the amount by which such expenses exceed the normal cost of returning the officer or employee if alive and in good health.

In no event shall our reimbursement exceed the bodily injury by accident limit shown in Item 3.B. of the Information Page as respects any one such officer or employee whether dead or alive.

H. Endemic Disease

The word "disease" includes any endemic diseases.

The coverage applies as if endemic diseases were included in the provisions of the workers' compensation law.

5. Longshore and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act Coverage

General Section C. Workers' Compensation Law is replaced by the following:

C. Workers' Compensation Law

Workers' Compensation Law means the workers or workers' compensation law and occupational disease law of each state or territory named in Item 3.A. of the Information Page and the Longshore and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act (33 USC Sections 901-950). It includes any amendments to those laws that are in effect during the policy period. It does not include any other federal workers or workers' compensation law, other federal occupational disease law or the provisions of any law that provide nonoccupational disability benefits.

Part Two (Employers' Liability Insurance), C. Exclusions, exclusion 8, does not apply to work subject to the Longshore and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act.

This coverage does not apply to work subject to the Defense Base Act, the Outer Continental Shelf Lands Act, or the Nonappropriated Fund Instrumentalities Act.

SECTION III

1. SCHEDULE OF COVERED STATES

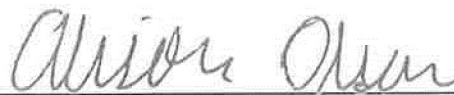
A. This endorsement only applies in the states listed in this Schedule of Covered States.

B. If a state, shown in Item 3.A. of the Information Page, approves this endorsement after the effective date of this policy, this endorsement will apply to this policy. The coverage will apply in the new state on the effective date of the state approval

C. Schedule of Covered States:

CA

Countersigned by



Authorized Representative

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

JON HUTCHINGS
Director



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MEMORANDUM

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MAY 23 2019

JACK LOUWS
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

TO: The Honorable Jack Louws, Whatcom County Executive, and
The Honorable Whatcom County Council

THROUGH: Jon Hutchings, Public Works Director *th*

FROM: Joe Rutan, P.E., County Engineer/Assistant Director *JR*
Mike Donahue, P.E., Engineering Manager *MD* *5/21/19*

RE: Request authorization for the County Executive to enter into a contract between
Whatcom County and Transpo Group USA, Inc., to develop the Whatcom County
ADA Transition Plan, in the amount of \$145,251.99

DATE: May 21, 2019

Enclosed for your review and signature are two (2) originals of a contract between Transpo Group USA, Inc. (Transpo), and Whatcom County.

▪ **Background and Purpose**

Public Works respectfully requests that the County Council authorize the County Executive to enter into an agreement with Transpo to develop the Whatcom County ADA Transition Plan. This project is listed as Project No. R31 in our 2019-2024 Six-Year Transportation Improvement Program (STIP).

This agreement allows for Transpo's development of an ADA Transition Plan as required in ADA Title II, Part 35, Subpart D—Program Accessibility § 35.150 (d)(3) for facilities within the public rights-of-way of Whatcom County. Consultant tasks will include project management and coordination, evaluation of existing barrier removal practices, stakeholder engagement and public outreach, self-assessment data collection, implementation schedule, and draft and final plan to be presented to Council for approval.

▪ **Funding Amount and Source**

This contract in the amount of \$145,251.99 will be funded by Engineering Services-Traffic 2019 base budget (cost center 10854, work order #20212)

Please contact Mike Donahue at extension 6250 if you have any questions regarding this agreement.

Enclosures