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Mr. Aaron Bert Public Works Director City of Redmond PO Box 97010 Redmond, Washington 98073-9710

## RE: Redmond Central Connector III (RCC III) FFY 2023 Congressionally Directed Spending (Earmarks) Federal Funding

Dear Mr. Bert:

WSDOT is pleased to advise you that the above-mentioned project was identified in the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2023, to receive FHWA earmark funds. The federal funding is limited to the amount shown below:

Redmond Central Connector III (RCC III)\$1,100,000Demo ID #: WA335CFDA #: 20.205CFDA #: 20.205CFDA #: 20.205

Scope: Project title defines the scope of work on which the funds may be expended.

*NOTE:* Funds require 13.5% non-federal match. Funds must be obligated by <u>September 30, 2026</u>, or they expire. Also, funds must be expended by September 30, 2031, or the funds shall be cancelled and no longer available.

In order to meet state and federal requirements, the following are required:

- Project expenditures incurred before receiving notice from Local Programs of federal fund authorization are not eligible for reimbursement.
- Please refer to the Local Programs web page for detailed information, including: (<u>http://www.wsdot.wa.gov/localprograms/</u>)
  - ✓ Local Agency Guidelines (LAG) manual for the requirements regarding programming, authorization, reimbursement, etc.;
  - ✓ Projects utilizing federal funds must be included in your current Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) as a complete programmed project. Once your TIP amendment is approved, WSDOT will amend the Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP);
  - ✓ Funding and billing forms;

- ✓ Local Project Report is required to be completed by the end of June and December each year. To access the database you will need an account name and password. Your account name is **Redmond** and your password is **Redmo163**. The password is case sensitive.
- If the project is not actively pursued, or becomes inactive (23 CFR 630), the project is at risk of being cancelled and funds repaid.
- FHWA requires that all projects are ADA compliant upon completion or the federal funds must be repaid.

As a reminder, Local Programs requires all agencies to submit monthly progress billings to ensure timely reimbursement of eligible federal expenditures.

For assistance, please contact your Region Local Programs Engineer, Mehrdad Moini at <u>Mehrdad.Moini@wsdot.wa.gov</u> or 206.440.4734.

Sincerely,

Jay Drye, PE Director Local Programs

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cc: Kelly McGourty, Transportation Director, PSRC Mehrdad Moini, Northwest Region Local Programs Engineer