



## Legislation Details (With Text)

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**Title:** Approval of the Lake Washington Cedar/Sammamish Watershed (WRIA 8) Interlocal Agreement Addendum  
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Date	Ver.	Action By	Action	Result
2/1/2022	2	City Council	approved	
1/11/2022	1	Committee of the Whole - Finance, Administration, and Communications	referred	

**TO:** Members of the City Council

**FROM:** Mayor Angela Birney

**DEPARTMENT DIRECTOR CONTACT(S):**

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**DEPARTMENT STAFF:**

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**TITLE:**

Approval of the Lake Washington Cedar/Sammamish Watershed (WRIA 8) Interlocal Agreement Addendum

**OVERVIEW STATEMENT:**

Staff seeks Council's approval to have the Mayor execute an addendum to the Lake Washington Cedar/Sammamish Watershed Interlocal Agreement (the WRIA 8 ILA) that enables the City of Everett to join this ILA.

☒ **Additional Background Information/Description of Proposal Attached**

**REQUESTED ACTION:**

☐ **Receive Information** ☐ **Provide Direction** ☒ **Approve**

**REQUEST RATIONALE:**

- **Relevant Plans/Policies:**

The City's participation with the WRIA 8 Salmon Recovery Council is supported by numerous Comprehensive Plan Policies, notably, "NE-95--Participate in regional efforts to recover species listed under the Endangered Species Act (ESA), such as the Chinook Salmon."

- **Required:**

The Federal Endangered Species Act (ESA) requires Redmond take actions to conserve Lake Washington Cedar/Sammamish Chinook Salmon. The City's participation in the WRIA 8 ILA helps fulfill this federal ESA mandate.

Interlocal Agreements require Council approval.

- **Council Request:**

N/A

- **Other Key Facts:**

Redmond is one of 27 jurisdictions that has an interlocal agreement with King County to fund a staff team, housed in the King County Department of Natural Resources and Parks, that coordinates regional implementation of *the Lake Washington Cedar/Sammamish Watershed (WRIA 8) Chinook Conservation Plan* (a.k.a. the WRIA 8 Conservation Plan).

#### **OUTCOMES:**

This addendum enables the City of Everett to join the WRIA 8 ILA, make financial contribution towards the WRIA 8 salmon conservation actions, and have an elected official represent the City of Everett on the WRIA 8 Salmon Recovery Council.

#### **COMMUNITY/STAKEHOLDER OUTREACH AND INVOLVEMENT:**

- **Timeline (previous or planned):**

There is no public outreach planned for this action

- **Outreach Methods and Results:**

N/A

- **Feedback Summary:**

N/A

#### **BUDGET IMPACT:**

##### **Total Cost:**

Redmond's cost share to support WRIA 8 related activities in 2022 will be \$26,731 when Everett joins the ILA. Everett's financial contribution as a WRIA 8 member will decrease the cost share proportionately for each of the other ILA jurisdictions, with a decrease of \$352 for Redmond.

Approved in current biennial budget:

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ N/A

##### **Budget Offer Number:**

Budget Priority number 73-Ground and Surface Water Management

##### **Budget Priority:**

Heathy and Sustainable

Other budget impacts or additional costs:

☐ Yes

☐ No

☒ N/A

*If yes, explain:*

N/A

**Funding source(s):**

N/A

**Budget/Funding Constraints:**

Redmond's cost share contributions to WRIA 8 ILA are fund by the Stormwater Utility Enterprise Fund.

☐ **Additional budget details attached**

**COUNCIL REVIEW:**

**Previous Contact(s)**

Date	Meeting	Requested Action
1/04/2022	Committee of the Whole - Planning and Public Works	Provide Direction

**Time Constraints:**

N/A

**ANTICIPATED RESULT IF NOT APPROVED:**

If this addendum is not approved by Redmond, Everett would not be able to join the WRIA 8 ILA.

**ATTACHMENTS:**

Attachment A--WRIA 8 ILA Addendum