INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
The City of Stevenson and Skamania County
For
Shoreline Master Program Cooperative Efforts

THIS AGREEMENT made and entered into the __________ day of _______________ 2015, between the City of Stevenson and Skamania County, municipal corporations of the State of Washington.

WHEREAS, the State of Washington, pursuant to the Shoreline Management Act (RCW 90.58.080), requires each local agency jurisdiction to update its Shoreline Master Program (SMP); and

WHEREAS, Skamania County has entered into a contract for grant funding from the Washington State Department of Ecology to undertake and complete an update to its 1974 adopted SMP covering all County jurisdictional shoreline properties; and

WHEREAS, the City of Stevenson is concurrently in the process of updating its own SMP covering all City jurisdictional shoreline properties; and

WHEREAS, the City of Stevenson and Skamania County are working towards the same common goals and objectives as defined in the SMP Guidelines (WAC 173-26); and

WHEREAS, it would be mutually beneficial to both entities to be able to share knowledge and resources where possible to produce their final SMP;

NOW, THEREFORE, under the provisions and intent of the Interlocal Cooperation Act (RCW 39.34) and in consideration of the mutual benefits contained herein, the two agencies agree as follows:

SECTION I
Each agency shall cooperate to exchange information and resources on methods and procedures employed in the update process.

SECTION II
Each agency shall provide input as needed to the other during their program development procedures.

SECTION III
Each agency shall consider using the same or similar terms or definitions whenever possible in their programs to create a regional familiarity to its common development community.
SECTION IV

This Agreement or amendments hereto, shall be executed on behalf of each agency by its duly authorized representative and pursuant to a legislative motion, resolution and/or ordinance. This Agreement or any amendment thereto, shall be deemed adopted on the date of execution by the last authorized representative. This Agreement can only be modified by mutual written agreement of all parties involved.

SECTION V

This instrument contains the entire written agreement between the parties, and no statements, promises, or inducements made by any party, or agent or agent of any party, that are not contained in this written agreement shall be valid or binding.

SECTION VI

This is an Interlocal Agreement and the following information is provided in furtherance thereof:

A. Duration. The duration shall be for a period of five years, or as otherwise agreed to by the parties pursuant to this Agreement.

B. Organization. No new entity will be created to administer this Agreement.

C. Purpose. The purpose is for the City of Stevenson and Skamania County to provide for the cooperative sharing of planning resources, staff and work products to accomplish the requirements of the Washington State Shoreline Management Act.

D. Manner of Financing. The City and County intend to finance any costs associated with this Agreement through the appropriate funds as determined by their Administrators.

E. Termination of Agreement. The parties shall have no right to terminate this Agreement except through 60 days written notice.

F. Other. All terms are covered by this Agreement. No additional terms are contemplated.

G. Selection of Administrator. Skamania County Public Works shall be the Administrator for this Interlocal Agreement.

H. Manner of Acquiring Property. This Agreement will not result in the acquisition of any property.

I. Prior to its entry into force, this Agreement shall be filed with the Skamania County Auditor or, alternatively, listed by subject on a public agency's web site or other electronically retrievable public source.

[Signatures appear on next page. Remainder of page intentionally left blank.]
City of Stevenson

Mayor ______________________________ Date

Approved as to form only:

City Attorney ______________________________ Date

ATTEST:

City Clerk ______________________________ Date

Skamania County

Board of County Commissioners

Chair ______________________________ Date

Commissioner ______________________________ Date

Commissioner ______________________________ Date

Approved as to Form Only:

Prosecuting Attorney ______________________________ Date

ATTEST:

Clerk of the Board