

ADOPTING THE LAKE WHATCOM MANAGEMENT PROGRAM 2010-2014 WORK PLAN

WHEREAS, Lake Whatcom is the water supply reservoir for the City of Bellingham and parts of Whatcom County, and

WHEREAS, Lake Whatcom is listed on the Federal Clean Water Acts sec. 303(d) list of impaired water bodies due to low dissolved oxygen and excessive total phosphorus, and

WHEREAS, the State of Washington Department of Ecology has initiated a Total Maximum Daily Load (TMCL) process that requires a local plan to clean-up and restore water quality in Lake Whatcom, and

WHEREAS, the Lake Whatcom Management Program is a multi-jurisdictional effort to protect and manage Lake Whatcom, and

WHEREAS, Lake Whatcom Management Program staff, the Interjurisdictional Coordinating Team, have developed the 2010-2014 Work Plan with tasks that address TMDL requirements, and provide for tracking and reporting outcomes, and

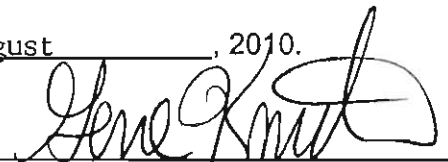
WHEREAS, on April 20, 2010, the Joint Councils and Commission held a public hearing on the 2010-2014 Work Plan and initiated a 30-day public comment period; and

WHEREAS, the ICT has responded to and incorporated public comments into the 2010-2014 Work Plan; and

WHEREAS, the adopted 2010-2014 Work Plan will be submitted to the Washington State Department of Ecology as part of the City of Bellingham's contribution to the development of the Summary Implementation Strategy (SIS) and TMDL response.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BELLINGHAM: that the Lake Whatcom 2010-2014 Work Plan is adopted.

PASSED by the Council this 9th day of August, 2010.



Council President

APPROVED by me this 11th day of August, 2010.

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**City of Bellingham Funding Sources
of 2010-2014 Work Plan Tasks**

Lake Whatcom Property Acquisition Fee

Limited to expenditures in Program Area 1, Tasks 1.1, 1.2, and 1.3. Covers program overhead, purchase of - property, easements, development rights etc., conservation easement fees to Whatcom Land Trust, and property management including restoration of acquired properties.

Bellingham Stormwater Utility

Program Area 2, All Tasks, staff and capital costs

Program Area 3, Task 3.1, 3.3, staff

Program Area 4, 4.1, 4.2, 4.3, 4.4, 4.6, staff and materials

Program Area 5, Task 5.2, consultant

Program Area 7, Task 7.2 staff

Bellingham Water Utility

Program Area 4, Task 4.1, 4.2, 4.7, 4.8 staff

Program Area 5, Task 5.1 consultant, 5.3 staff, 5.4 staff,

Program Area 6, All Tasks staff

Program Area 7, Task 7.1, 7.2 staff

Program Area 9, Task 9.1, 9.2 staff

Program Area 10, Task 10.1 contract, 10.2 staff,

Program Area 11, Task 11.1 - 11.5 staff

Bellingham General Fund

Program Area 3, Task 3.1 staff

Program Area 3, Task 3.2 staff

Program Area 3, Task 3.3 staff

Program Area 7, Task 7.2 staff

Program Area 9, Task 9.2 staff

Program Area 11, Task 11.6 staff

Program Area 12, Task 12.1 staff

Program Area 12, Task 12.2 staff

Bellingham Street Fund

Program Area 8, Task 8.1, 8.2 staff

Note: Some tasks are not funded for each of the five years of the Work Plan.