

INTERLOCAL COOPERATION
AGREEMENT
BETWEEN

STATE OF WASHINGTON
DEPARTMENT OF PRINTING

AND THE

CITY OF MERCER ISLAND

THIS AGREEMENT, entered into under the authority and provisions of 39.34 RCW, is made and entered into by and between the State of Washington Department of Printing, hereinafter referred to as "Printer", and the City of Mercer Island, hereinafter referred to as City of Mercer Island.

The Printer has printing equipment and provides printing services to state agencies. It is the purpose of this Interlocal Agreement to make available to the City of Mercer Island the printing services of the State Printer. It is therefore mutually agreed that:

STATEMENT OF WORK

When requested by the City of Mercer Island, the Printer agrees to do printing jobs on their behalf. Each printing job shall be completed on a time schedule mutually agreed to by the Printer and the City of Mercer Island for that job. With respect to each request, the Printer shall furnish the necessary personnel and service and otherwise do all things necessary for or incidental to providing the printing services to the City of Mercer Island. The Printer has a main print plant located in Tumwater, which provides printing services for large printing jobs, multicolor jobs, and bulk mailings. In addition to the main plant, copy centers are located in Olympia, Lacey, and Tumwater for quick turnaround color and black/white printing requests.

The City of Mercer Island shall reimburse the Printer for each printing job at the Printer's established rates, which shall, at a minimum, fully reimburse the Printer for all of the direct and indirect costs incurred by the Printer in performing the requested printing services.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

All rights and obligations of the parties to this Agreement shall be subject to and governed by the terms and conditions contained in the text of this Agreement. The City of Mercer Island reserves the right to contract independently for printing services with or without notice being given to Printer.

PERIOD OF PERFORMANCE

The period of performance of this Agreement will commence on July 1, 2004 and continue until either party decides to terminate this Agreement as provided for below.

BILLING PROCEDURE

The Printer shall submit invoices upon completion of the printed job. Copy center work will be billed at the end of every month. Payment to the Printer for work completed will be made by warrant within 30 days of receipt of the invoice. Upon termination of the Agreement, any claim for payment not already made shall be submitted within 30 days after the termination date.

RECORDS MAINTENANCE

The parties to this Agreement shall maintain books, records, documents and other evidence that sufficiently and properly reflect all direct and indirect costs expended by either party in the performance of the services described herein. These records shall be subject to inspection, review or audit by personnel of either party, or other personnel duly authorized by either party, the Office of the State Auditor, and federal officials so authorized by law. The Printer will retain all books, records, documents, and other material relevant to this Agreement for six years after expiration and the Office of the State Auditor, federal auditors, and any persons duly authorized by the parties shall have full access and the right to examine any of these materials during this period.

Records and other documents, in any medium, furnished by one party to this Agreement to the other party, will remain the property of the furnishing party, unless otherwise agreed. The receiving party will not disclose or make available this material to any third parties without first giving notice to the furnishing party and giving it a reasonable opportunity to respond. Each party will utilize reasonable security procedures and protections to assure that records and documents provided by the other party are not erroneously disclosed to third parties.

AGREEMENT MAINTENANCE

The work described herein shall be performed under the coordination of the Program Manager of each of the parties as provided below, or their successors, who will provide assistance and guidance to the other party necessary for the performance of this Agreement.

HOLD HARMLESS

The City of Mercer Island shall defend, protect and hold harmless the Department of Printing and State of Washington, or any employees thereof, from and against all suits or actions arising from jobs performed by the Printer under this Agreement, which suits or actions allege libel or slander, injury to person or property, violation of a right of confidentiality, or use or reproduction of material of any kind which constitutes an infringement of any copyright, patent trademark or trade name.

INDEPENDENT CAPACITY

The employees or agents of each party who are engaged in the performance of this Agreement shall continue to be employees or agents of that party and shall not be considered for any purpose to be employees or agents of the other party.

AGREEMENT ALTERATIONS AND AMENDMENTS

This Agreement may be amended by mutual agreement of the parties. Such amendments shall not be binding unless they are in writing and signed by personnel authorized to bind each of the parties to this Agreement.

TERMINATION

Either party may terminate this Agreement upon 30 days' prior written notification to the other party. If this Agreement is so terminated, the parties shall be liable only for performance rendered or costs incurred in accordance with the terms of this Agreement prior to the effective date of termination.

TERMINATION FOR CAUSE

If for any cause, either party does not fulfill in a timely and proper manner its obligations under this Agreement, or if either party violates any of these terms and conditions, the aggrieved party will give the other party written notice of such failure or violation. The responsible party will be given the opportunity to correct the violation or failure within 15 working days. If failure or violation is not corrected, this Agreement may be terminated immediately by written notice of the aggrieved party to the other.

FUNDING CHANGES

In the event funding from state, federal, or other sources is withdrawn, reduced or limited in any way after the effective date of this Agreement and prior to normal completion, the Printer may terminate the Agreement under the "Termination" clause, subject to re-negotiation under those new funding limitations and conditions.

DISPUTES

In the event that the parties are unable to resolve a dispute under this Agreement, either party may request the formation of a three member Dispute Board, or other dispute resolution method agreed to by both parties in writing. If the Dispute Board method is used, then the membership of the board will be appointed as follows: one member by the Printer, and one member by the City of Mercer Island, and one member jointly by the parties to this Agreement. The Dispute Board shall evaluate the dispute and make a determination of the dispute with the majority prevailing. The determination of the Dispute Board, or other dispute resolution method agreed to, shall be binding on the parties hereto.

ORDER OF PRECEDENCE

This Agreement is entered into pursuant to and under the authority granted by the laws of the State of Washington and any applicable federal laws. The provisions of this Agreement shall be construed to conform to those laws.

In the event of an inconsistency in the terms of this Agreement, or between its terms and any applicable statute or rule, the inconsistency shall be resolved by giving precedence in the following order:

- a) Applicable federal and state statutes and regulations;
- b) Statement of work; and
- c) Any other provisions of the Agreement, including materials attached hereto, or incorporated herein by reference.

WAIVER

A failure by either party to exercise its rights under this Agreement shall not preclude that party from subsequent exercise of such rights and shall not constitute a waiver of any other rights under this Agreement unless stated to be such in writing signed by an authorized representative of the party and attached to the original Agreement.

SEVERABILITY

If any provision of this Agreement or any provision of any document incorporated by reference shall be held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect the other provisions of this Agreement which can be given effect without the invalid provision, if such remainder conforms to the requirements of applicable law and the fundamental purpose of this Agreement, and to this end the provisions of this Agreement are declared to be severable.

ALL WRITINGS CONTAINED HEREIN

This Agreement contains all the terms and conditions agreed upon by the parties. No other understandings, oral or otherwise, regarding the subject matter of this Agreement shall be deemed to exist or to bind any of the parties hereto.

GOVERNING LAW

This Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of Washington. In the event of a lawsuit involving this Agreement, venue shall be proper only in Thurston County.

AGREEMENT MANAGEMENT

Your Interlocal Agreement Agency # _____

The program manager for each of the parties shall be responsible for and shall be the contact person for all communications and billings regarding the performance of the Agreement.

The program manager of the City of Mercer Island is: City of Mercer Island
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Mercer Island, WA 98040
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The program manager for the Department of Printing is: Dan Swisher, Assistant Director
Mailing address: P.O. Box 798
Olympia, WA 98507-0798
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Tumwater, WA 98502
(360) 570-5555 phone
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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Agreement.

CITY OF MERCER ISLAND


STATE OF WASHINGTON
DEPARTMENT OF PRINTING


By Richard Conrad

By: Dan Swisher

Title: City Manager

Title: Assistant Director

Signature: 

Signature: 

Date: 9-13-04

Date: 9-20-04