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The **City of Yelm**, hereinafter referred to as the "Recipient" assures that no person shall on the grounds of race, color, national origin, or sex, as provided by Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, and the Civil Rights Restoration Act of 1987 (P.L. 100.259) be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination under any program or activity. The Recipient further assures every effort will be made to ensure nondiscrimination in all of its programs and activities, whether those programs and activities are federally funded or not.

The Civil Rights Restoration Act of 1987, broadened the scope of Title VI coverage by expanding the definition of terms "programs or activities" to include all programs or activities of federal aid recipients, sub-recipients, and contractors/consultants, whether such programs and activities are federally assisted or not (Public Law 100259 [S.557] March 22, 1988).

In the event the Recipient distributes federal aid funds to a sub-recipient; the Recipient will include Title VI language in all written agreements and will monitor for compliance. The **City Administrator**, is responsible for initiating and monitoring Title VI activities, preparing reports and other responsibilities as required by 23 Code of Federal Regulation(CFR) 200 and 49 Code of Federal Regulation 21.

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Title VI Program Organization and Staffing

Pursuant to 23 CFR 200, **City of Yelm** has designated a Title VI Coordinator who is responsible for Attachment 1 and 2, which describes the hierarchy for the **City of Yelm's** Title VI Program, including an organization's chart illustrating the level and placement of Title VI responsibilities.

Assurances

49 CFR Part 21.7

The City of Yelm hereby gives assurances:

1. That no person shall on the grounds of race, color, national origin, and sex, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination under any program or activity conducted by the recipient regardless of whether those programs and activities are federally funded or not. Activities and programs which the recipient hereby agrees to carry out in compliance with Title VI and related statutes include but are not limited to:

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- List all major Transportation programs and activities of the recipient and Title VI responsibilities for each one of them. Include information as Attachment 2 to this Nondiscrimination Agreement.
- 2. That it will promptly take any measures necessary to effectuate this agreement.
- 3. That each Transportation program, activity, and facility (i.e., lands change to roadways, park and ride lots, etc.) as defined at 49 CFR 21.23(b) and (e), and the Civil Rights Restoration Act of 1987 will be (with regard to a program or activity) conducted, or will be (with regard to a facility) operated in compliance with the nondiscriminatory requirements imposed by, or pursuant to, this agreement.
- 4. That these assurances are given in consideration of and for the purpose of obtaining any and all federal grants, loans, contracts, property, discounts or other federal financial assistance extended after the date hereof to the recipient by the Washington State Department of Transportation (WSDOT) under the federally funded program and is binding on it, other recipients, subgrantees, contractors, sub-contractors, transferees, successors in interest and other participants. The person or persons whose signatures appear below are authorized to sign these assurances on behalf of the Recipient.
- 5. That the Recipient shall insert the following notification in all solicitations for bids for work or material subject to the Regulations and made in connection with all federally-funded programs and, in all proposals for negotiated agreements. The Recipient, in accordance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, 78 Stat. 252, 42 U.S.C. 2000d to 2000d-4 and Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Department of Transportation, Subtitle A, Office of the Secretary, Part 21, Nondiscrimination in Federally-Assisted Programs of the Department of Transportation issued pursuant to such Act, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively ensure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged business enterprises as defined at 49 CFR Part 26 will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, national origin, or sex in consideration for an award.
- 6. That the Recipient shall insert the clauses of Appendix 1 of this Agreement in every contract subject to the Act and the Regulations.
- 7. That the Recipient shall insert the clauses of Appendix 2 of this Agreement, as a covenant running with the land, in any deed from the United States effecting a transfer of real property, structures, or improvements thereon, or interest therein.
- 8. That the Recipient shall include the appropriate clauses set forth in Appendix 3 of this Agreement, as a covenant running with the land, in any future deeds, leases, permits, licenses, and similar agreements entered into by the Recipient with other parties: (a) for the subsequent transfer of real property acquired or improved under a federal aid program; and (b) for the construction or use of or access to space on, over or under real property acquired, or improved under a federal aid program.

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9. The Recipient agrees that the United States has a right to seek judicial enforcement with regard to any matter arising under the Act, the Regulations, and this agreement.

Implementation Procedures

This agreement shall serve as the recipient's Title VI plan pursuant to 23 CFR 200 and 49 CFR 21.

For the purpose of this agreement, "Federal Assistance" shall include:

- 1. Grants and loans of federal funds.
- 2. The grant or donation of federal property and interest in property.
- 3. The detail of federal personnel.
- 4. The sale and lease of, and the permission to use (on other than a casual or transient basis), Federal property or any interest in such property without consideration or at a nominal consideration, or at a consideration which is reduced for the purpose of assisting the recipient, or in recognition of the public interest to be served by such sale or lease to the recipient.
- 5. Any federal agreement, arrangement, or other contract which has as one of its purposes, the provision of assistance.

The recipient shall:

- Issue a policy statement, signed by the head of the recipient, which expresses its
 commitment to the nondiscrimination provisions of Title VI. The policy statement
 shall be circulated throughout the recipient's organization and to the general
 public. Such information shall be published where appropriate in languages other
 than English.
- Take affirmative action to correct any deficiencies found by WSDOT or the United States Department of Transportation (USDOT) within a reasonable time period, not to exceed 90 days, in order to implement Title VI compliance in accordance with this agreement. The head of the recipient shall be held responsible for implementing Title VI requirements.
- 3. Designate a civil rights coordinator who has a responsible position in the organization and easy access to the head of the recipient. The civil rights coordinator shall be responsible for initiating and monitoring Title VI activities and preparing required reports.
- 4. The civil rights coordinator shall adequately implement the civil rights requirements.

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- 5. Process complaints of discrimination consistent with the provisions contained in this agreement. Investigations shall be conducted by civil rights personnel trained in discrimination complaint investigation. Identify each complainant by race, color, national origin or sex, the nature of the complaint, the date the complaint was filed, the date the investigation was completed, the disposition, the date of the disposition, and other pertinent information. A copy of the complaint, together with a copy of the recipient's report of investigation, will be forwarded to WSDOT's Office of Equal Opportunity (OEO) within 10 days of the date the complaint was received by the recipient.
- 6. Collect statistical data (race, color, national origin, sex) of participants in, and beneficiaries of the Transportation programs and activities conducted by the recipient.
- 7. Conduct Title VI reviews of the recipient and sub-recipient contractor/consultant program areas and activities. Revise where applicable, policies, procedures and directives to include Title VI requirements.
- 8. Attend training programs on Title VI and related statutes conducted by WSDOT OEO.
- 9. Prepare a yearly report of Title VI accomplishments for the last year and goals for the next year. This report is due one year from the date of approval of the Nondiscrimination Agreement and then annually on the same date. a. Annual Work Plan Outline Title VI monitoring and review activities planned for the coming year; state by which each activity will be accomplished and target date for completion. b. Accomplishment Report List major accomplishments made regarding Title VI activities. Include instances where Title VI issues were identified and discrimination was prevented. Indicate activities and efforts the Title VI Coordinator and program area personnel have undertaken in monitoring Title VI. Include a description of the scope and conclusions of any special reviews (internal or external) conducted by the Title VI Coordinator. List any major problem(s) identified and corrective action taken. Include a summary and status report on any Title VI complaints filed with the recipient.

Discrimination Complaint Procedure

- 1. Any person who believes that he or she, individually, as a member of any specific class, or in connection with any disadvantaged business enterprise, has been subjected to discrimination prohibited by Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, the American with Disabilities Act of 1990, Section 504 of the Vocational Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and the Civil Rights Restoration Act of 1987, as amended, may file a complaint with the recipient. A complaint may also be filed by a representative on behalf of such a person. All complaints will be referred to the recipient's Title VI Coordinator for review and action.
- 2. In order to have the complaint consideration under this procedure, the complainant must file the complaint no later than 180 days after:

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- a. The date of alleged act of discrimination; or
- b. Where there has been a continuing course of conduct, the date on which that conduct was discontinued. In either case, the recipient or his/her designee may extend the time for filing or waive the time limit in the interest of justice, specifying in writing the reason for so doing.
- 3. Complaints shall be in writing and shall be signed by the complainant and/or the complainant's representative. Complaints shall set forth as fully as possible the facts and circumstances surrounding the claimed discrimination. In the event that a person makes a verbal complaint of discrimination to an officer or employee of the recipient, the person shall be interviewed by the Title VI Coordinator. If necessary, the Title VI Coordinator will assist the person in reducing the complaint to writing and submit the written version of the complaint to the person for signature. The complaint shall then be handled according to the recipient's investigative procedures.
- 4. Within 10 days, the Title VI Coordinator will acknowledge receipt of the allegation, inform the complainant of action taken or proposed action to process the allegation, and advise the complainant of other avenues of redress available, such as WSDOT and USDOT.
- 5. The recipient will advise WSDOT within 10 days of receipt of the allegations. Generally, the following information will be included in every notification to WSDOT:
 - a. Name, address, and phone number of the complainant.
 - b. Name(s) and address(es) of alleged discriminating official(s).
 - c. Basis of complaint (i.e., race, color, national origin, or sex)
 - d. Date of alleged discriminatory act(s).
 - e. Date of complaint received by the recipient.
 - f. A statement of the complaint.
 - g. Other agencies (state, local, or federal) where the complaint has been filed.
 - h. An explanation of the actions the recipient has taken or proposed to resolve the issue raised in the complaint.
- 6. Within 60 days, the Title VI Coordinator will conduct an investigation of the allegation and based on the information obtained, will render a recommendation for action in a report of findings to the head of the recipient. The complaint should

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be resolved by informal means whenever possible. Such informal attempts and their results will be summarized in the report of findings.

- 7. Within 90 days of receipt of the complaint, the head of the recipient will notify the complainant in writing of the final decision reached, including the proposed disposition of the matter. The notification will advise the complainant of his/ her appeal rights with WSDOT, or USDOT, if they are dissatisfied with the final decision rendered by the Recipient. The Title VI Coordinator will also provide WSDOT with a copy of this decision and summary of findings upon completion of the investigation.
- 8. Contacts for the different Title VI administrative jurisdictions are as follows:

Washington State Department of Transportation Office of Equal Opportunity, Title VI Program PO Box 47314 Olympia, WA 98466 360-705-7098

Federal Highway Administration Washington Division Office 711 Capitol Way South, Suite 501 Olympia, WA 98501 360-534-9325

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Sanctions

In the event the recipient fails or refuses to comply with the terms of this agreement, WSDOT may take any or all of the following actions:

- 1. Cancel, terminate, or suspend this agreement in whole or in part;
- 2. Refrain from extending any further assistance to the recipient under the program from which the failure or refusal occurred until satisfactory assurance of future compliance has been received from the recipient.
- 3. Take such other action that may be deemed appropriate under the circumstances, until compliance or remedial action has been accomplished by the recipient.
- 4. Refer the case to the Department of Justice for appropriate legal proceedings.

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Appendix 1

During the performance of this contract, the contractor/consultant, for itself, its assignees and successors in interest (hereinafter referred to as the "contractor") agrees as follows:

- Compliance With Regulations The contractor shall comply with the Regulations relative to nondiscrimination in federally-assisted programs of United States Department of Transportation (USDOT), Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 21, as they may be amended from time to time, (hereinafter referred to as the Regulations), which are herein incorporated by reference and made a part of this contract.
- 2. Nondiscrimination The contractor, with regard to the work performed by it during the contract, shall not discriminate on the grounds of race, color, sex, or national origin in the selection and retention of sub-contractors, including procurement of materials and leases of equipment. The contractor shall not participate either directly or indirectly in the discrimination prohibited by Section 21.5 of the Regulations, including employment practices when the contract covers a program set forth in Appendix B of the Regulations.
- 3. Solicitations for Subcontracts, Including Procurement of Materials and Equipment In all solicitations either by competitive bidding or negotiations made by the contractor for work to be performed under a sub-contract, including procurement of materials or leases of equipment, each potential sub-contractor or supplier shall be notified by the contractor of the contractor's obligations under this contract and the Regulations relative to nondiscrimination on the grounds of race, color, sex, or national origin.
- 4. Information and Reports The contractor shall provide all information and reports required by the Regulations or directives issued pursuant thereto, and shall permit access to its books, records, accounts, other sources of information, and its facilities as may be determined by the contracting agency or the appropriate federal agency to be pertinent to ascertain compliance with such Regulations, orders and instructions. Where any information required of a contractor is in the exclusive possession of another who fails or refuses to furnish this information, the contractor shall so certify to WSDOT or the USDOT as appropriate, and shall set forth what efforts it has made to obtain the information.
- 5. Sanctions for Noncompliance In the event of the contractor's noncompliance with the nondiscrimination provisions of this contract, the contracting agency shall impose such contract sanctions as it or the USDOT may determine to be appropriate, including, but not limited to:
 - Withholding of payments to the contractor under the contract until the contractor complies, and/or;
 - Cancellation, termination, or suspension of the contract, in whole or in part

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6. Incorporation of Provisions – The contractor shall include the provisions of paragraphs (1) through (5) in every subcontract, including procurement of materials and leases of equipment, unless exempt by the Regulations, or directives issued pursuant thereto. The contractor shall take such action with respect to any subcontractor or procurement as the contracting agency or USDOT may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions including sanctions for noncompliance. Provided, however, that in the event a contractor becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a sub-contractor or supplier as a result of such direction, the contractor may request WSDOT enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the state and, in addition, the contractor may request the USDOT enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the United States.

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Appendix 2

The following clauses shall be included in any and all deeds affecting or recording the transfer of real property, structures or improvements thereon, or interest therein from the United States.

GRANTING CLAUSE

NOW THEREFORE, Department of Transportation, as authorized by law, and upon the condition that the state of Washington will accept title to the lands and maintain the project constructed thereon, in accordance with Title 23, United States Code, the Regulations for the Administration of Federal Aid for Highways and the policies and procedures prescribed by the United States Department of Transportation and, also in accordance with and in compliance with all requirements imposed by or pursuant to Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Department of Transportation, Subtitle A, the Department of Transportation WSDOT (hereinafter referred to as the Regulations) pertaining to and effectuating the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (78 Stat. 252: 42 USC 2000d to 2000d - 4) does hereby remise, release, quitclaim, and convey unto the state of Washington all the right, title, and interest of the Department of Transportation in and to said land described in Exhibit A attached hereto and made a part thereof.

HABENDUM CLAUSE

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD said lands and interests therein unto the state of Washington, and its successors forever, subject, however, to the covenants, conditions, restrictions and reservations herein contained as follows, which will remain in effect for the period during which the real property or structures are used for a purpose for which the federal financial assistance is extended or for another purpose involving the provisions of similar services or benefits and shall be binding on the state of Washington, its successors, and assigns.

The state of Washington, in consideration of the conveyance of said lands and interests in lands, does hereby covenant and agree as a covenant running with the land for itself, its successors and assigns, that (1) no person shall on the grounds of race, color, sex or national origin, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subject to discrimination with regard to any facility located wholly or in part on, over, or under such lands hereby conveyed (,)(and)* (2) that the state of Washington, shall use the lands and interests in lands so conveyed, in compliance with all requirements imposed by or pursuant to Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Department of Transportation, Subtitle A, Office of the Secretary, Part 21, Non-Discrimination of Federally-Assisted Programs of the Department of Transportation — Effectuation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, and as said Regulations may be amended (,) and (3) that in the event of breach of any of the above mentioned nondiscrimination conditions, the department shall have a right to reenter said lands and facilities on said land, and the above described land and facilities shall thereon revert to and vest in and become the absolute property of the Department of Transportation and its assigns as such interest existed prior to this instruction.

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Appendix 3

The following clauses shall be included in all transportation related deeds, licenses, leases, permits, or similar instruments entered into by (Recipient) pursuant to the provisions of Assurance 8.

The LESSEE, for himself or herself, his or her heirs, personal representatives, successors in interest, and assigns, as a part of the consideration hereof, does hereby covenant and agree as a covenant running with the land that in the event facilities are constructed, maintained, or otherwise operated on the said property described in this lease, for a purpose of which a Department of Transportation program or activity is extended or for another purpose involving the provision of similar services or benefits, the LESSEE shall maintain and operate such facilities and services in compliance with all other requirements imposed pursuant to Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Department of Transportation, Subtitle A, Office of the Secretary, Part 21,

Nondiscrimination in Federally-Assisted Programs of the Department of Transportation--Effectuation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as said Regulations may be amended.

That in the event of breach of any of the above nondiscrimination covenants, the STATE shall have the right to terminate the lease, and to reenter and repossess said land and the facilities thereon, and hold the same as if said lease has never been made or issued.

The following shall be included in all deeds, licenses, leases, permits, or similar agreements entered into by the Washington State Department of Transportation pursuant to the provisions of Assurance 8.

The LESSEE, or himself or herself, his or her personal representatives, successors in interest, and assigns, as a part of the consideration hereof, does hereby covenant and agree as a covenant running with the land that (1) no person, on the grounds of race, color, sex, or national origin, shall be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination in the use of said facilities, (2) that in the construction of any improvements on, over or under such land and furnishing of services thereon, no person on the grounds of race, color, sex, and national origin shall be excluded from participation in, denied the benefits of, or otherwise be subjected to discrimination, (3) that the LESSEE shall use the premises in compliance with all requirements imposed by or pursuant to Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Department of Transportation, Subtitle A, Office of the Secretary, Part 21, Nondiscrimination in Federally-Assisted Programs of the Department of Transportation—Effectuation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, and as said Regulations may be amended.

That in the event of breach of any of the above nondiscrimination covenants, the STATE shall have the right to terminate the lease, and to reenter and repossess said land and the facilities thereon, and hold the same as if said lease had never been made or issued.

1 Reverter Clause and related language to be used only when it is determined that such a clause is necessary in order to effectuate the purpose of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964.

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Appendix 4

Other Nondiscrimination Statutes Related to Title VI

Limited English Proficiency – LEP (Executive Order 13166) – As noted above, one of the bases covered under Title VI is national origin. One type of national origin discrimination is discrimination based on a person's inability to speak, read, write, or understand English. The federal government and those receiving federal financial assistance (recipients, sub recipients, contractors) must take reasonable steps to ensure that LEP persons have meaningful access to the programs, services, and information those entities provide. This may require providing written and/or oral communications in a language other than English.

More information regarding LEP responsibilities can be found at www.lep.gov/recipbroch.html and at www.usdoj.gov/crt/cor/lep/dotlep.htm

Environmental Justice (Executive Order 12898) – Procedures for addressing environmental justice may be found in Chapter 24 of the WSDOT Local Agency Guidelines Manual, as well as Chapter 458 of the Environmental Procedures Manual M 31-11.

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ATTACHMENT 1

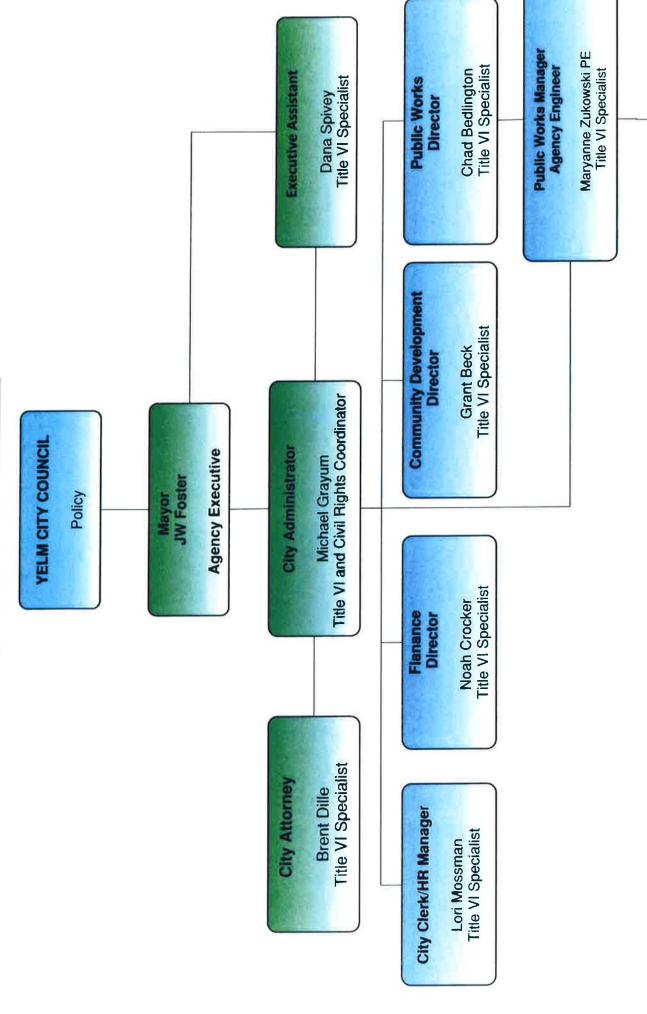
Organizational Reporting Charts

Title VI

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Organizational Chart - FHWA Title VI

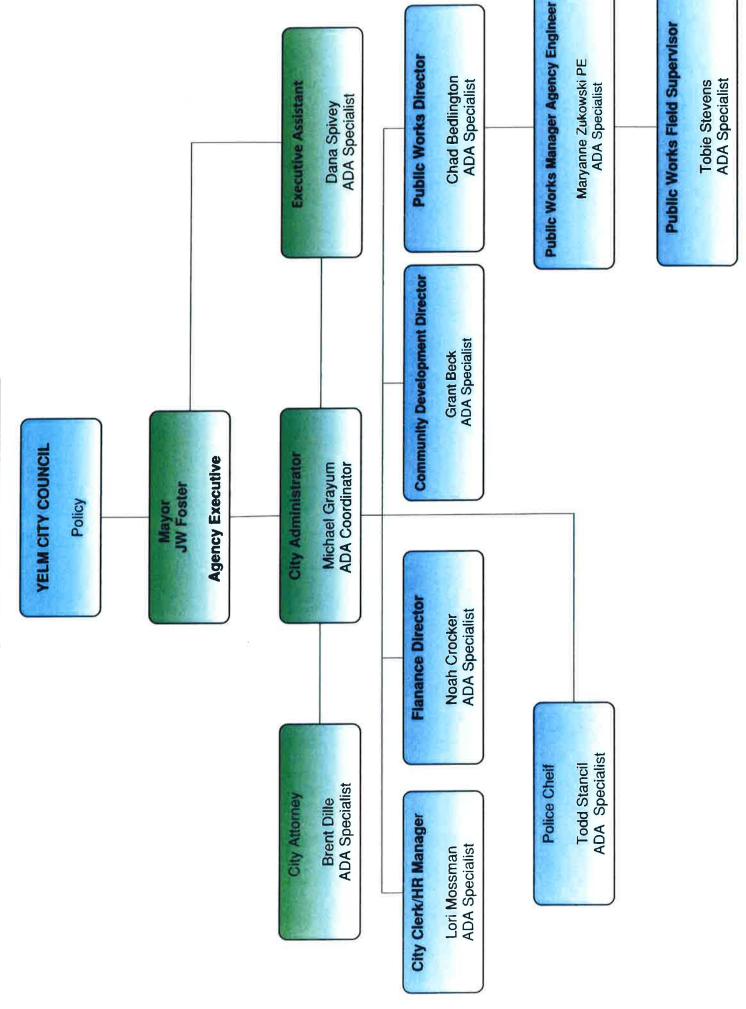


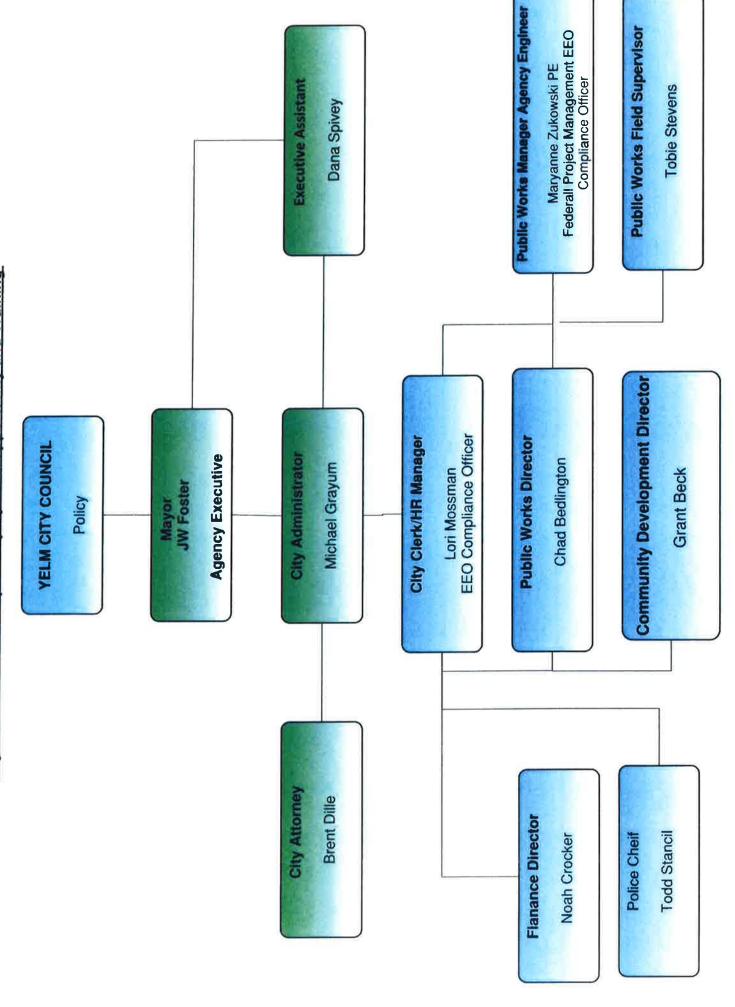
Public Works Field Supervisor

Title VI Specialist

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Organizational Chart - FHWA ADA/504





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ATTACHMENT 2

Program Areas and Reporting Responsibilities

- 1. Report any changes in the organizational structure since the last reporting period.
 - Report shall identify the changes in the racial/gender composition.

Responsible: Title VI Coordinator / Human Resource Manager

- 2. Provide the most current census data available (through Census or Washington State Office of Financial Management), describe the demographics within your jurisdiction.
 - a. Describe the required Title VI activities and/or studies conducted that provided data relative to minority persons, neighborhoods, income levels, physical environment, and travel habits.
 - b. How was the information utilized or Title VI provisions and needs applied in each study or activity?

Responsible: Title VI Coordinator / Community Development Director

- 3. List any Public outreach activities during the reporting period such as, public announcements and/or communications for meetings, hearings, project notices. Include the following:
 - How were special language needs assessed? List the special language needs assessments conducted.
 - What outreach efforts did you utilize to ensure that minority, women, low-income, and LEP population groups were provided equal opportunity to participate in those outreach activities. (Examples: provide materials used in other languages, met with local service agencies, advertised in minority publication).
 - List the special language services provided note the professional language service provided including the name of the service, date provided, number of persons served, and any other relevant information.
 - List any costs incurred for translations and interpreters for each activity.

Responsible: Title VI Coordinator / Human Resources Manager / Community Development Director / Public Works Director / Public Works Manager

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- 4. List all the transportation related contracts (Federal and others) that were executed during the reporting period. (Include construction, consultant agreements for planning, design, engineering, environmental, research, maintenance, and real estate services.
- Include the dollar value of each.
- Other than advertising in your local legal publication, what outreach was made to DMWBE firms that a contracting opportunity existed within your agency?
- Identify the DMWBE contracts that were awarded and their dollar amount.
- Is there a Title VI Non-Discrimination statement included in all contracts and public notices?
- How did your organization ensure that minority, women, and disadvantaged firms were provided equal opportunity to participate in the contracting arena?

Responsible: Title VI Coordinator / Finance Director / Public Works Director / Public Works Manager / Community Development Director / Public Works Field Supervisor Design Contracts:

Professional Service Contracts

In House Design

Construction Contracts

Maintenance Contracts

Planning Study Contracts

- 5. Summarize any transportation projects that identify potential impacts to minority and/or low-income Environmental Justice (EJ) populations (ie impacts such as displacements, increased noise, bisecting neighborhoods, et al). Note the following:
- How impacts were minimized/mitigated.

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Also, include a statement, if applicable, on project that specifically benefit community
cohesion such as adding sidewalks, improving access to properties that improve access
for the EJ populations.

Responsible: Title VI Coordinator / Public Works Director / Public Works Manager / Community Development Director

- 6. If Right of Way has been acquired for a transportation project, please describe.
- Identify the number of minority, low-income, elderly and disabled persons affected.
- The efforts that were made to address Limited English Proficiency issues (including use and cost of translators, outreach efforts for each reported activity.
- Describe any concerns raised by minorities and women regarding appraisals, negations, relocation assistance, and payments. What actions were taken to resolve those issues?

Responsible: Title VI Coordinator / Public Works Director / Public Works Manager / Community Development Director

- 7. List any Title VI complaints, as a result of transportation activities and projects. Include:
- What was the allegation or concern?
- Procedures used
- Actions Taken
- Resolution

Responsible: Title VI Coordinator

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ATTACHMENT 3

Appendix 28.75 Title VI Complaint Log
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Title VI Complaint Log

Case Number	Complaint Address	Filing Date	Basis	Status	Disposition
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Title VI Compliance Review Questionnaire for Local Agencies

Compliance Review Questionnaire for Local Agencies

Local Agency:	Date: Change of the page of
Name/Title:	

1. Administration

- a. Staff Composition and Program Administration
 - i. Provide breakdown of your administrative staff by race, color, national origin, sex, and their positions.
 - ii. How many federally funded projects have you managed during the last two years? Dollar amount?
 - iii. Have you designated an EEO Officer or Title VI Coordinator? Provide name and time in the position.
 - Do you have a Title VI Policy, Assurances and Plan in place? Provide proof of public dissemination of your Title VI policy.

b. Complaint Procedure

- i. Do you have a Title VI complaint procedure for external discrimination complaints? If so, please provide a copy. To what extent is the community aware of it?
- ii. Have you received any Title VI related complaints during the past two years? If so, how many? What were the outcomes? Where there any Title VI complaint lodged by beneficiaries or participants? If so, explain the issues involved.
- iii. Do you have a Title VI Notice to Public? If so, please provide copy.

c. Training

- i. Has your staff received any training (formal or informal) regarding Title VI?
- ii. Are you considering scheduling Title VI training sometime soon? If so, when and who will present it?

2. Planning Activities

a. Public Involvement

- i. Are minority members of the community invited to participate in public hearings?
- ii. How do you go about doing that?

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iii. Were accessible location, adequate time, and translation services considered or provided during the coordination of hearings?

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- iv. Is the Hearing Coordinator keeping records in attendance? Is the information broken down by race, color, national origin, and sex (by visual identification)?
- v. Have planning manuals, directives, guidelines, and policies been reviewed for Title VI compliance purposes?

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3. Consultant Contracts Activities

a. Are Title VI assurances and provisions included on consultant contracts?

b. Are DBE goals being included and met for consultant contracts? If not, what provisions have been taken to

meet them?

e. Have directives, operational procedures, guidelines, and policies been reviewed for Title VI compliance purposes?

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4. Design/Environmental Activities

- a. Are minority members of the community invited to participate in public hearings?
- b. How do you go about doing that?

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c. Are accessibility of locations, adequate time, and translation services considered during the coordination of hearings? Was any other effort made to promote maximum attendance by those affected by the project, including member of minority communities?

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d. Is the Hearing Coordinator keeping records in attendance? Is the information broken down by race, color, national origin, sex, (by visual identification)?

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e. Have location and design manuals, directives, operational procedures, -guidelines, and policies been reviewed for Title VI compliance purposes?

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f. Is statistical data being collected on race, color, national origin, and sex on communities affected by a construction project?

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5. Right of Way Activities

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a.	Are DBE goals for real estate appraisers being met? If not, what provisions have been taken to help reach
	these goals?

b. Is Title VI language being incorporated in all acquisition, negotiation, property management communications, and contracts?

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c. Are Title VI language and assurance statements being included in all surveys for property owners and tenants after the conclusion of all business?

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- d. Are all values and communications associated with appraisals conducted in an equitable fashion?
- e. Do deeds, permits, and leases contain Title VI compliance clauses?
- f. Is statistical data being gathered on race, color, national origin, and sex for all relocates?

g. Construction and Maintenance Activities

a. Have contractor selection procedures been reviewed to determine uniformity in their application to minority and nonminority contractors?

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b. Are minority contractors and subcontractors being informed about contracting opportunities with your organization?

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c. Are construction rules and regulations being applied in an equitable fashion?

d. Have you received any complaints within the last two years?

e. Are Title VI assurances being included in all contracts, subcontracts, and material supply agreements?

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