Columbia County Transportation Authority

Resolution: CCTA-2005-11

Title: Conflicts in Law

WHEREAS, the Columbia County Board of Commissioners resolved to develop a Columbia County Transportation Authority in Resolution #2005-09as authorized under RCW § 36.57.020 on Feb. 7, 2005 date;

WHEREAS, the Columbia County Board of Commissioners, pursuant to RCW § 36.57.030, has determined membership of the Columbia County Transportation Authority;

WHEREAS, pursuant to RCW § 36.57.080, the Columbia County Transportation Authority is the holder of all rights with respect to the construction, acquisition, maintenance, operation, extension, alteration, repair, control and management of passenger transportation within the counties and cities therein;

WHEREAS, the Columbia County Transportation Authority has been registered as a municipal corporation, a copy of the registration and license is attached and labeled as Exhibit A, and is herein incorporated;

WHEREAS, in enacting RCW § 36.57.080, state legislators intended for a smooth transition of existing transportation systems to the transportation authority upon enactment of said authority be the Columbia County Board of Commissioners;

WHEREAS, a special meeting of the Columbia County Transportation Authority was called pursuant to compliance with the Open Meetings Act;

WHEREAS, the Columbia County Transportation Authority is a new entity;

IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED that:

The Columbia County Transportation Authority intends to abide by the law in the fulfilling the powers and duties as authorized under RCW § 36.57 et al and in that regard, should there be a conflict between laws, contracts, interlocal agreements, other agreements, policies, etc., the following order will be followed in determining which law, contract, interlocal

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agreement or other agreement and policies as adopted by this Authority, each will have the following priority level:

1. First priority shall be given to RCW § 36.57 et al

2. Second priority shall be given to contractual obligations resulting in the Authority receiving funding for the purposes of public transportation

3. Third priority will be given to written contractual, interlocal agreements and other agreements involved with the purposes of public transportation

4. Fourth priority will be the enactments of the Authority

5. Fifth priority will be the enactments of the Columbia County Transportation Department.

Dated this 7th day of March, 2005

Chairperson

Attest:

Stephanie Guettinger, General Manager