

**BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
LEWIS COUNTY, WASHINGTON**

IN THE MATTER OF:

RESOLUTION NO. 23-251

APPROVE INTERAGENCY AGREEMENT NO. K4611
BETWEEN THE WASHINGTON STATE
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE (WSDA) AND
LEWIS COUNTY NOXIOUS WEED CONTROL
BOARD FOR THE TREATMENT OF KNOTWEED IN
THE CHEHALIS AND COWLITZ RIVER BASINS

WHEREAS, Washington State Department of Agriculture (WSDA) and Lewis County Noxious Weed Control Board (LCNWCB), propose to enter into an Interagency Agreement, Contract No. K4611, as set forth in 17.10.074 RCW, to provide funding for the progressive management of knotweed in the Chehalis and Cowlitz River basins; and

WHEREAS, the Interagency Agreement provides for the treatment of knotweed within the indicated rivers and tributaries of Lewis County by adding funding from WSDA in the amount of \$20,000.00, from July 1, 2023, to June 30, 2025, with no associated match required from LCNWCB; and

WHEREAS, the Lewis County Board of County Commissioners (BOCC) has had an opportunity to review the Interagency Agreement, Contract No. K4611, attached; and

WHEREAS, it appears to be in the public interest to approve and authorize this Interagency Agreement between LCNWCB and WSDA.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the BOCC of Lewis County hereby (1) approves of the terms and conditions of the attached Interagency Agreement, Contract No. K4611, between the Lewis County Noxious Weed Control Board and the Washington State Department of Agriculture; and (2) authorizes the Lewis County Noxious Weed Control Board's Program Coordinator to sign the same on behalf of Lewis County Noxious Weed Control.

DONE IN OPEN SESSION this 8th day of August, 2023.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:
Jonathan Meyer, Prosecuting Attorney

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
LEWIS COUNTY, WASHINGTON

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By: Barbara Russell,
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