RESOLUTION NO. 267

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF SHORELINE, WASHINGTON, AUTHORIZING FINAL DESIGN FOR THE AURORA CORRIDOR IMPROVEMENT PROJECT 165TH-165TH AND DIRECTING STAFF TO PROCEED WITH PROPERTY ACQUISITIONS AND CONSTRUCTION CONSISTENT WITH THIS DESIGN

WHEREAS, on November 23, 1998, the City of Shoreline adopted a comprehensive plan under the provisions of Chapter 36.70A RCW that includes the state mandated transportation element which:

- anticipates “Upgrading Aurora Avenue to meet urban standards”,
- “proposes as a high priority the completion of the sidewalk system on all arterial streets, on school bus routes and in locations demonstrated to need safer facilities”, and
- Includes a policy to “Pursue methods to improve and enhance transit operations on Aurora in Shoreline…,” and

WHEREAS, on December 9, 2002, the City of Shoreline adopted a final design for the Aurora Corridor Improvement Project 145th-165th which reached substantial completion in May, 2007;

WHEREAS, the City Council adopted a Preferred Alternative July 23, 2007 for environmental review of the Aurora Corridor Improvement Project 165th-205th (“Project”) under SEPA and NEPA;

WHEREAS, environmental review has now been completed by the lead agencies resulting in issuance of a MDNS on November 21, 2007 and a DCE on December 28, 2007;

WHEREAS, the Project is consistent with the City of Shoreline Comprehensive Plan and the State Growth Management Act, Chapter 36.70A RCW; now therefore.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SHORELINE, WASHINGTON, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Adoption of Design. The Preferred Alternative adopted by the Council on July 23, 2007 as conditioned by the Mitigated Determination of Nonsignificance issued November 21, 2007 is adopted as the Final Design for the Aurora Corridor Improvement Project 165th-205th.
Section 2. Project Construction. The Council directs the staff to proceed with the development of detailed construction plans for the Aurora Corridor Improvement Project 165th-205th consistent with the Final Design, acquire necessary right-of-way and other property rights necessary for construction, proceed with a formal bid process for awarding a construction contract consistent with the plans, and take all other actions necessary to complete construction of this project.

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL ON JANUARY 14, 2008.

Cindy Ryu, Mayor

ATTEST:

Scott Passey, CMC
City Clerk