

**PROJECT AGREEMENT  
GRADE CROSSING PROTECTIVE FUND**

Docket No.: TR-100390

Commission Approval Date: August 18, 2010

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**A. PARTIES OF THE AGREEMENT**

This project grant agreement (agreement) is entered into between the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (UTC), P.O. Box 47250, Olympia, Washington 98504-7250, and Port of Pend Oreille DBA Pend Oreille Valley Railroad, 1981 Black Road, Usk, WA 99180, and shall be binding upon the agents and all persons acting by or through the parties.

**B. PURPOSE OF THE AGREEMENT**

This agreement sets out the terms and conditions by which grants are made from the Grade Crossing Protective Fund. These grants are administered by the UTC to the grantee for Docket No. TR-100390, identified above.

**C. DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT**

TR-100390 involves installation of yield or replacement of stop signs, wood posts with retro-reflective tape, retro-reflective cross buck signs and emergency notification signs at 24 passive crossings throughout Washington. The Commission will reimburse a maximum of \$250 per crossing for materials, with the applicant responsible for all labor costs. The list of crossings is attached to Order 01, Appendix A.

**D. PERIOD OF PERFORMANCE**

The project reimbursement period shall begin on August 18, 2010, and end December 31, 2010. No expenditure made before or after this period is eligible for reimbursement unless incorporated by written amendment into this agreement.

**E. PROJECT FUNDING**

Total grant funding awarded by the UTC for this project shall not exceed \$6,000. The total approximate cost of the project is \$6,580.80. The grantee shall be responsible for all additional costs.

**F. RIGHTS AND OBLIGATIONS**

All rights and obligations of the parties to this agreement are subject to this agreement and its attachments, including the grantee's application, Commission orders, and the general provisions, all of which are attached and incorporated into this agreement.

Except as provided, no alteration of any of the terms or conditions of this agreement will be effective unless provided in writing. All alterations must be signed by both parties.

The grantee has read, fully understands and agrees to be bound by all terms and conditions in these documents.

**G. COMPLIANCE WITH APPLICABLE STATUTES, RULES, AND UTC POLICIES**

This agreement is governed by, and the grantee shall comply with, all applicable state and federal laws and regulations, including RCW 81.53.281, the published agency rules in 480-62 WAC, and the Commission's order in this matter which are incorporated by this reference as if fully set forth.

**H. PROJECT GRANT AGREEMENT REPRESENTATIVE**

All written communications sent to the grantee under this agreement will be addressed and delivered to:

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| Port of Pend Oreille DBA Pend Oreille Valley Railroad<br>Kelly J. Driver<br>1981 Black Road<br>Usk, WA 99180 | Utilities and Transportation Commission<br>Kathy Hunter<br>1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive SW<br>P.O. Box 47250<br>Olympia, WA 98504-7250 |
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These addresses shall be effective until receipt by one party from the other of a written notice of any change.

**I. ENTIRE AGREEMENT**

This agreement, along with all attachments, constitutes the entire agreement of the articles. No other understandings, oral or otherwise, regarding this agreement shall exist or bind any of the parties.

**J. EFFECTIVE DATE**

This agreement shall be effective upon signing by all parties.

State of Washington  
Utilities and Transportation Commission

By: [Signature] Date: 8/17/10  
(Executive Director and Secretary)

Port of Pend Oreille dba Pend Oreille Valley Railroad

By: [Signature] Date: 8/31/10  
Title: Manager

Approved as to form:

By: /s/  
Assistant Attorney General