



WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY
WATER QUALITY FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

STANDARD CONTRACT CLAUSES

ECOLOGY grant/loan acknowledgment clause

The following acknowledgment should be included on the cover sheet of both the construction plans and the contract documents/specifications:

"Funded in part by the Washington State Department of Ecology"

State interest exclusion clause

The following clause is to be included in the bid advertisement:

"It is anticipated that this project will be funded in part by the Washington State Department of Ecology. Neither the State of Washington nor any of its departments or employees are, or shall be, a party to any contract or any subcontract resulting from this solicitation for bids."

The following clause is to be included in the instructions to bidders and the special conditions or provisions of the contract documents/specifications:

"It is anticipated that this project will be funded in part by the Washington State Department of Ecology. Neither the State of Washington nor any of its departments or employees are, or shall be, a party to this contract or any subcontract."

Third-party beneficiary clause

The following clause is to be included in the special conditions or provisions of the contract documents/specifications and it is further suggested that this clause also be included in the contract agreement between the RECIPIENT and the contractor:

Third-Party Beneficiary: All parties agree that the State of Washington shall be, and is hereby, named as an express third-party beneficiary of this contract, with full rights as such."

Environment protection clause

The following clause is to be included in the special conditions or provisions of the contract documents/specifications and also in the general notes on the construction drawings:

Protection of the Environment: No construction related activity shall contribute to the degradation of the environment, allow material to enter surface or ground waters, or allow particulate emissions to the atmosphere, which exceed state or federal standards. Any actions that potentially allow a discharge to state waters must have prior approval of the Washington State Department of Ecology."