1 the general contractor/construction manager will be permitted to bid, 2 if any;

3 (7) The public body and general contractor/construction manager 4 shall negotiate, to the public body's satisfaction, a fair and 5 reasonable inclusion plan;

6 (8) If the public body is unable to negotiate to its reasonable 7 satisfaction a component of this section, negotiations with the firm 8 must be terminated and the public body shall negotiate with the next 9 highest scored firm and continue until an agreement is reached or the 10 process is terminated; and

(9) For a project procured as a heavy civil construction project, an independent audit, paid for by the public body, must be conducted to confirm the proper accrual of costs as outlined in the contract. The public body shall define the scope of the audit in the contract.

15 <u>NEW SECTION.</u> Sec. 20. (1) The capital projects advisory review 16 board shall coordinate and consult with the office of minority and women's business enterprises, the department of enterprise services, 17 the office of equity, community stakeholders and advocates, and 18 subject matter experts to create best practices guidelines for 19 20 increasing and sustaining access to contracting opportunities in 21 alternative public works for minority, women, and veteran-owned 22 businesses, and small businesses. In creating the guidelines, the board shall take into consideration the barriers to participation 23 24 identified in the local government contracting report produced pursuant to section 16, chapter 434, Laws of 2019, information and 25 recommendations from the 2019 Washington state disparity study and 26 27 disparity studies of any other public body in Washington state, and successful diversity and inclusion policies being implemented by 28 state and local governmental agencies. The best practices shall 29 30 address, at a minimum, guidelines for use of race-neutral and race-31 conscious programs, elements of successful inclusion plans, the use of aspirational inclusion goals, evaluation of inclusion plans in the 32 contract award process, and the evaluation of inclusion plans and 33 past performance in public body certification and project approval 34 processes under RCW 39.10.270 and 39.10.280. The board shall make the 35 best practices guidelines available on its website by June 30, 2022, 36 and should have a plan to update the practices to keep them relevant 37 38 for use. Additionally, by June 30, 2022, the board shall report to 39 appropriate committees of the legislature regarding any the

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1 recommendations for changes to state law that are advisable based 2 upon the best practices guidelines.

3 (2) This section expires July 1, 2023.

4 Sec. 21. RCW 43.131.407 and 2013 c 222 s 21 are each amended to 5 read as follows:

6 The alternative public works contracting procedures under chapter 7 39.10 RCW shall be terminated June 30, ((2021)) <u>2031</u>, as provided in 8 RCW 43.131.408.

9 Sec. 22. RCW 43.131.408 and 2019 c 212 s 13 are each amended to read as follows: 10 11 The following acts or parts of acts, as now existing or hereafter amended, are each repealed, effective June 30, ((2022)) 2032: 12 13 (1) RCW 39.10.200 and 2010 1st sp.s. c 21 s 2, 2007 c 494 s 1, & 1994 c 132 s 1; 14 (2) RCW 39.10.210 and <u>2021 c ... s 1 (section 1 of this act)</u> 15 2019 c 212 s 1, 2014 c 42 s 1, & 2013 c 222 s 1; 16 (3) RCW 39.10.220 and <u>2021 c ... s 2 (section 2 of this act)</u> 17 2013 c 222 s 2, 2007 c 494 s 102, & 2005 c 377 s 1; 18 19 (4) RCW 39.10.230 and 2021 c ... s 3 (section 3 of this act), 2013 c 222 s 3, 2010 1st sp.s. c 21 s 3, 2009 c 75 s 1, 2007 c 494 s 20 21 103, & 2005 c 377 s 2; 22 (5) RCW 39.10.240 and 2021 c ... s 4 (section 4 of this act), 2013 c 222 s 4_L & 2007 c 494 s 104; 23 24 (6) RCW 39.10.250 and <u>2021 c ... s 5 (section 5 of this act)</u> 25 2019 c 212 s 2, 2013 c 222 s 5, 2009 c 75 s 2, & 2007 c 494 s 105; (7) RCW 39.10.260 and 2013 c 222 s 6 & 2007 c 494 s 106; 26 (8) RCW 39.10.270 and 2019 c 212 s 3, 2017 c 211 s 1, 2013 c 222 27 s 7, 2009 c 75 s 3, & 2007 c 494 s 107; 28 29 (9) RCW 39.10.280 and 2014 c 42 s 2, 2013 c 222 s 8, & 2007 c 494 s 108; 30

31 (10) RCW 39.10.290 and 2007 c 494 s 109;

32 (11) RCW 39.10.300 and <u>2021 c ... s 6 (section 6 of this act)</u>, 33 2019 c 212 s 4, 2013 c 222 s 9, 2009 c 75 s 4, & 2007 c 494 s 201; 34 (12) RCW 39.10.320 and 2019 c 212 s 5, 2013 c 222 s 10, 2007 c 35 494 s 203, & 1994 c 132 s 7;

36 (13) RCW 39.10.330 and <u>2021 c ... s 7 (section 7 of this act)</u>, 37 2019 c 212 s 6, 2014 c 19 s 1, 2013 c 222 s 11, 2009 c 75 s 5, & 2007 38 c 494 s 204;