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Seattle architect Robert Durham, of Durham, Anderson and Freed, has been contracted to conduct second phase construction master planning studies for The Evergreen State College at Olympia, according to Dean E. Clabaugh, Vice President for Business.

The firm--which previously accomplished initial campus master planning as part of a joint venture with Quinton-Budlong of Seattle--also designed the college's library building, which will be under construction by March 1. In addition, Durham serves as the chief of the college design team, composed of architects working on various building projects authorized for the 1969-71 biennium.

The new second phase construction contract, divided in three sections, will cost the college up to \$35,500, Clabaugh said.

The first part, to be undertaken immediately and completed by March 15, incorporates development of planning guidelines and tentative site plans for phase two college construction in the 1971-73 biennium at a cost of \$13,000. The firms of Quinton-Budlong and Eckbo, Dean, Austin and Williams of San Francisco-which together are drafting master landscaping plans for the new campus--will serve as sub-contractors to Durham for this portion of the contract.

The second part of the new planning agreement provides \$17,500 for Durham's services as design team leader for second phase construction projects. This activity will begin as soon as architects are selected to develop schematic designs for proposed 1971-73 buildings and will be completed by June 1.

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The third part of the contract, to cost not more than \$5,000, will cover reimbursements for reproduction costs, drafting and layout time for preparing reports and documents after schematic designs have been drafted for phase two buildings.

Proposed 1971-73 construction work at Evergreen would include second phase science laboratories; a classroom-office building; central stores and receiving facility; performing arts and auditorium complex, second phase of the recreation building; maintenance shops and garages; health services facilities; fine arts laboratories; additions to the college activities and student residence buildings; landscaping; and expansion of road and utilities systems.