

Whatcom County Contract No.
202211038

**CONTRACT FOR SERVICES
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE & SEXUAL ASSAULT SERVICES
for the Bellingham-Whatcom County Commission on Sexual & Domestic Violence**

Domestic Violence & Sexual Assault Services, hereinafter called **Contractor**, and Whatcom County, hereinafter referred to as **County**, agree and contract as set forth in this Agreement, including:

- General Conditions, pp. 3 to 10,
- Exhibit A (Scope of Work), pp. 11 to 13,
- Exhibit B (Compensation), p. 14.
- Exhibit C (Certificate of Insurance), p. 15.
- Exhibit D (Budget), p. 16.

Copies of these items are attached hereto and incorporated herein by this reference as if fully set forth herein.

The term of this Agreement shall commence on the 1st day of January, 2023, regardless of the date of signature and shall, unless terminated or renewed as elsewhere provided in the Agreement, terminate on the 31st day of December, 2024.

The general purpose or objective of this Agreement is to support the Bellingham Whatcom County Commission Against Domestic Violence, as more fully and definitively described in Exhibit A hereto. The language of Exhibit A controls in case of any conflict between it and that provided here.

The maximum consideration for the initial term of this agreement shall not exceed \$90,000 for year one (2023) and \$90,000 for year two (2024) for a total not to exceed \$120,000. **The Contract Number, set forth above, shall be included on all billings or correspondence in connection therewith.**

Contractor acknowledges and by signing this contract agrees that the Indemnification provisions set forth in Paragraphs 11.1, 21.1, 30.1, 31.2, 32.1, 34.2, and 34.3, if included, are totally and fully part of this contract and have been mutually negotiated by the parties.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Agreement this ___ day of 1/24/2023, 20___.

Each signatory below to this Contract warrants that he/she is the authorized agent of the respective party; and that he/she has the authority to enter into the contract and bind the party thereto.

CONTRACTOR:

Domestic Violence & Sexual Assault Services

DocuSigned by:

Adrienne Renz

1/17/2023

Adrienne Renz, Executive Director, DVSAS

CONTRACTOR INFORMATION:

Domestic Violence & Sexual Assault Services

Adrienne Renz, Executive Director

1407 Commercial St.

Bellingham, WA 98225

Contact Phone: 360-671-5714 Ext. 1202

Contact FAX: 360-647-6015

Contact Email: executivedirector@dvsas.org

AND:

Commission on Sexual & Domestic Violence

DocuSigned by:

Susan Marks, Director DV Commission 1/17/2023
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Susan Marks, Director, Commission on Sexual & Domestic Violence

Approved as to form:

Christopher Quinn per email 11/29/2022
Prosecuting Attorney Date

Approved:

Accepted for Whatcom County:

DocuSigned by:
By: Satpal Singh Sidhu 1/24/2023
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Satpal Singh Sidhu, Whatcom County Executive

GENERAL CONDITIONS

Series 00-09: Provisions Related to Scope and Nature of Services

0.1 Scope of Services:

The Contractor agrees to provide to the County services and any materials as set forth in the project narrative identified as Exhibit "A", during the agreement period. No material, labor, or facilities will be furnished by the County, unless otherwise provided for in the Agreement.

Series 10-19: Provisions Related to Term and Termination

10.1 Term:

Services provided by Contractor prior to or after the term of this contract shall be performed at the expense of Contractor and are not compensable under this contract unless both parties hereto agree to such provision in writing. The term of this Agreement may be extended by mutual agreement of the parties; provided, however, that the Agreement is in writing and signed by both parties.

10.2 Extension:

The duration of this Agreement may be extended by mutual written consent of the parties, for a period of up to one year, and for a total of no longer than three years.

11.1 Termination for Default:

If the Contractor defaults by failing to perform any of the obligations of the contract or becomes insolvent or is declared bankrupt or commits any act of bankruptcy or insolvency or makes an assignment for the benefit of creditors, the County may, by depositing written notice to the Contractor in the U.S. mail, first class postage prepaid, terminate the contract, and at the County's option, obtain performance of the work elsewhere. Termination shall be effective upon Contractor's receipt of the written notice, or within three (3) days of the mailing of the notice, whichever occurs first. If the contract is terminated for default, the Contractor shall not be entitled to receive any further payments under the contract until all work called for has been fully performed. Any extra cost or damage to the County resulting from such default(s) shall be deducted from any money due or coming due to the Contractor. The Contractor shall bear any extra expenses incurred by the County in completing the work, including all increased costs for completing the work, and all damage sustained, or which may be sustained by the County by reason of such default.

11.2 Termination for Reduction in Funding:

In the event that funding from State, Federal or other sources is withdrawn, reduced, or limited in any way after the effective date of this Agreement, and prior to its normal completion, the County may summarily terminate this Agreement as to the funds withdrawn, reduced, or limited, notwithstanding any other termination provisions of this Agreement. If the level of funding withdrawn, reduced or limited is so great that the County deems that the continuation of the programs covered by this Agreement is no longer in the best interest of the County, the County may summarily terminate this Agreement in whole, notwithstanding any other termination provisions of this Agreement. Termination under this section shall be effective upon receipt of written notice as specified herein, or within three days of the mailing of the notice, whichever occurs first.

11.3 Termination for Public Convenience:

The County may terminate the Agreement in whole or in part whenever the County determines, in its sole discretion, that such termination is in the interests of the County. Whenever the Agreement is terminated in accordance with this paragraph, the Contractor shall be entitled to payment for actual work performed at unit contract prices for completed items of work. An equitable adjustment in the contract price for partially completed items of work will be made, but such adjustment shall not include provision for loss of anticipated profit on deleted or uncompleted work. Termination of this Agreement by the County at any time during the term, whether for default or convenience, shall not constitute breach of contract by the County.

Series 20-29: Provisions Related to Consideration and Payments

20.1 Accounting and Payment for Contractor Services:

Payment to the Contractor for services rendered under this Agreement shall be as set forth in Exhibit "B." Where Exhibit "B" requires payments by the County, payment shall be based upon written claims supported, unless otherwise provided in Exhibit "B," by documentation of units of work actually performed and amounts earned, including, where appropriate, the actual number of days worked each month, total number of hours for the month, and the total dollar payment requested, so as to comply with municipal auditing requirements.

Unless specifically stated in Exhibit "B" or approved in writing in advance by the official executing this Agreement for the County or his designee (hereinafter referred to as the "Administrative Officer") the County will not reimburse the Contractor for any costs or expenses incurred by the Contractor in the performance of this contract. Where required, the County shall, upon receipt of appropriate documentation, compensate the Contractor, no more often than monthly, in accordance with the County's customary procedures, pursuant to the fee schedule set forth in Exhibit "B."

21.1 Taxes:

The Contractor understands and acknowledges that the County will not withhold Federal or State income taxes. Where required by State or Federal law, the Contractor authorizes the County to withhold for any taxes other than income taxes (i.e., Medicare). All compensation received by the Contractor will be reported to the Internal Revenue Service at the end of the calendar year in accordance with the applicable IRS regulations. It is the responsibility of the Contractor to make the necessary estimated tax payments throughout the year, if any, and the Contractor is solely liable for any tax obligation arising from the Contractor's performance of this Agreement. The Contractor hereby agrees to indemnify the County against any demand to pay taxes arising from the Contractor's failure to pay taxes on compensation earned pursuant to this Agreement.

The County will pay sales and use taxes imposed on goods or services acquired hereunder as required by law. The Contractor must pay all other taxes, including, but not limited to, Business and Occupation Tax, taxes based on the Contractor's gross or net income, or personal property to which the County does not hold title. The County is exempt from Federal Excise Tax.

22.1 Withholding Payment:

In the event the County's Administrative Officer determines that the Contractor has failed to perform any obligation under this Agreement within the times set forth in this Agreement, then the County may withhold from amounts otherwise due and payable to Contractor the amount determined by the County as necessary to cure the default, until the Administrative Officer determines that such failure to perform has been cured. Withholding under this clause shall not be deemed a breach entitling Contractor to termination or damages, provided that the County promptly gives notice in writing to the Contractor of the nature of the default or failure to perform, and in no case more than 10 days after it determines to withhold amounts otherwise due. A determination of the Administrative Officer set forth in a notice to the Contractor of the action required and/or the amount required to cure any alleged failure to perform shall be deemed conclusive, except to the extent that the Contractor acts within the times and in strict accord with the provisions of the Disputes clause of this Agreement. The County may act in accordance with any determination of the Administrative Officer which has become conclusive under this clause, without prejudice to any other remedy under the Agreement, to take all or any of the following actions: (1) cure any failure or default, (2) to pay any amount so required to be paid and to charge the same to the account of the Contractor, (3) to set off any amount so paid or incurred from amounts due or to become due the Contractor. In the event the Contractor obtains relief upon a claim under the Disputes clause, no penalty or damages shall accrue to Contractor by reason of good faith withholding by the County under this clause.

23.1 Labor Standards:

The Contractor agrees to comply with all applicable state and federal requirements, including but not limited to those pertaining to payment of wages and working conditions, in accordance with RCW 39.12.040, the Prevailing Wage Act; the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990; the Davis-Bacon Act; and the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act providing for weekly payment of prevailing wages, minimum overtime pay, and providing that no laborer or mechanic shall be required to work in surroundings or under conditions which are unsanitary, hazardous, or dangerous to health and safety as determined by regulations promulgated by the Federal Secretary of Labor and the State of Washington.

Series 30-39: Provisions Related to Administration of Agreement

30.1 Independent Contractor:

The Contractor's services shall be furnished by the Contractor as an independent contractor, and nothing herein contained shall be construed to create a relationship of employer-employee or master-servant, but all payments made hereunder and all services performed shall be made and performed pursuant to this Agreement by the Contractor as an independent contractor.

The Contractor acknowledges that the entire compensation for this Agreement is specified in Exhibit "B" and the Contractor is not entitled to any benefits including, but not limited to: vacation pay, holiday pay, sick leave pay, medical, dental, or other insurance benefits, or any other rights or privileges afforded to employees of the County. The Contractor represents that he/she/it maintains a separate place of business, serves clients other than the County, will report all income and expense accrued under this contract to the Internal Revenue Service, and has a tax account with the State of Washington Department of Revenue for payment of all sales and use and Business and Occupation taxes collected by the State of Washington.

Contractor will defend, indemnify and hold harmless the County, its officers, agents or employees from any loss or expense, including, but not limited to, settlements, judgments, setoffs, attorneys' fees or costs incurred by reason of claims or demands because of breach of the provisions of this paragraph.

30.2 Assignment and Subcontracting:

The performance of all activities contemplated by this agreement shall be accomplished by the Contractor. No portion of this contract may be assigned or subcontracted to any other individual, firm or entity without the express and prior written approval of the County.

30.3 No Guarantee of Employment:

The performance of all or part of this contract by the Contractor shall not operate to vest any employment rights whatsoever and shall not be deemed to guarantee any employment of the Contractor or any employee of the Contractor or any subcontractor or any employee of any subcontractor by the County at the present time or in the future.

31.1 Ownership of Items Produced:

When the Contractor creates any copyrightable materials or invents any patentable property, the Contractor may copyright or patent the same, but the County retains a royalty-free, nonexclusive and irrevocable license to reproduce, publish, recover, or otherwise use the materials or property and to authorize other governments to use the same for state or local governmental purposes. Contractor further agrees to make research, notes, and other work products produced in the performance of this Agreement available to the County upon request.

31.2 Patent/Copyright Infringement:

Contractor will defend and indemnify the County from any claimed action, cause or demand brought against the County, to the extent such action is based on the claim that information supplied by the Contractor infringes any patent or copyright. The Contractor will pay those costs and damages attributable to any such claims that are finally awarded against the County in any action. Such defense and payments are conditioned upon the following:

A. The Contractor shall be notified promptly in writing by the County of any notice of such claim.

B. Contractor shall have the right, hereunder, at its option and expense, to obtain for the County the right to continue using the information, in the event such claim of infringement, is made, provided no reduction in performance or loss results to the County.

32.1 Confidentiality:

The Contractor, its employees, subcontractors, and their employees shall maintain the confidentiality of all information provided by the County or acquired by the Contractor in performance of this Agreement, except upon the prior written consent of the County or an order entered by a court after having acquired jurisdiction over the County. Contractor shall immediately give to the County notice of any judicial proceeding seeking disclosure of such information. Contractor shall indemnify and hold harmless the County, its officials, agents or employees from all loss or expense, including, but not limited to, settlements, judgments, setoffs, attorneys' fees and costs resulting from Contractor's breach of this provision.

33.1 Right to Review:

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This contract is subject to review by any Federal, State or County auditor. The County or its designee shall have the right to review and monitor the financial and service components of this program by whatever means are deemed expedient by the Administrative Officer or by the County Auditor's Office. Such review may occur with or without notice and may include, but is not limited to, on-site inspection by County agents or employees, inspection of all records or other materials which the County deems pertinent to the Agreement and its performance, and any and all communications with or evaluations by service recipients under this Agreement. The Contractor shall preserve and maintain all financial records and records relating to the performance of work under this Agreement for three (3) years after contract termination, and shall make them available for such review, within Whatcom County, State of Washington, upon request. Contractor also agrees to notify the Administrative Officer in advance of any inspections, audits, or program review by any individual, agency, or governmental unit whose purpose is to review the services provided within the terms of this Agreement. If no advance notice is given to the Contractor, then the Contractor agrees to notify the Administrative Officer as soon as it is practical.

34.1 Proof of Insurance:

The Contractor shall carry for the duration of this Agreement commercial general liability insurance with the following minimums:

Property Damage - \$500,000.00 per occurrence;
General Liability & Bodily Injury- \$1,000,000.00 per occurrence.

A Certificate of insurance that also identifies the County as an additional insured is attached hereto as Exhibit "C". This insurance shall be considered as primary and non-contributory, and shall waive all rights of subrogation. The County insurance shall not serve as a source of contribution.

34.2 Industrial Insurance Waiver:

With respect to the performance of this agreement and as to claims against the County, its officers, agents and employees, the Contractor expressly waives its immunity under Title 51 of the Revised Code of Washington, the Industrial Insurance Act, for injuries to its employees and agrees that the obligations to indemnify, defend and hold harmless provided in this agreement extend to any claim brought by or on behalf of any employee of the Contractor. This waiver is mutually negotiated by the parties to this agreement.

34.3 Defense & Indemnity Agreement:

The Contractor agrees to defend, indemnify and save harmless the County, its appointed and elective officers and employees, from and against all loss or expense, including, but not limited to, judgments, settlements, attorneys' fees and costs by reason of any and all claims and demands upon the County, its elected or appointed officials or employees for damages because of personal or bodily injury, including death at any time resulting therefrom, sustained by any person or persons and on account of damage to property, including loss of use thereof, whether such injury to persons or damage to property is due to the negligence of the Contractor, its subcontractors, its successor or assigns, or its agents, servants, or employees, the County, its appointed or elected officers, employees or their agents, except only such injury or damage as shall have been occasioned by the sole negligence of the County or its appointed or elected officials or employees. In case of damages caused by the concurrent negligence of Contractor, its subcontractors, its successors or assigns, or its agents, servants, or employees, and the County, its appointed or elected officers, employees or their agents, then this indemnification provision is enforceable only to the extent of the negligence of the Contractor, its agents, or its employees.

It is further provided that no liability shall attach to the County by reason of entering into this contract, except as expressly provided herein. The parties specifically agree that this agreement is for the benefit of the parties only and this agreement shall create no rights in any third party.

35.1 Non-Discrimination in Employment:

The County's policy is to provide equal opportunity in all terms, conditions and privileges of employment for all qualified applicants and employees without regard to race, color, creed, religion, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, age, marital status, disability, or veteran status. The Contractor shall comply with all laws prohibiting discrimination against any employee or applicant for employment on the grounds of race, color, creed, religion, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, age, marital status, disability, or veteran status, except where such constitutes a bona fide occupational qualification.

Furthermore, in those cases in which the Contractor is governed by such laws, the Contractor shall take affirmative action to insure that applicants are employed, and treated during employment, without regard to their race, color, creed, religion, national origin, sex, age, marital status, sexual orientation, disability, or veteran status, except where such constitutes a bona fide occupational qualification. Such action shall include, but not be limited to: advertising, hiring, promotions, layoffs or terminations, rate of pay or other forms of compensation benefits, selection for training including apprenticeship, and participation in recreational and educational activities. In all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by them or on their behalf, the Contractor shall state that all qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex or national origin.

The foregoing provisions shall also be binding upon any subcontractor, provided that the foregoing provision shall not apply to contracts or subcontractors for standard commercial supplies or raw materials, or to sole proprietorships with no employees.

35.2 Non-Discrimination in Client Services:

The Contractor shall not discriminate on the grounds of race, color, creed, religion, national origin, sex, age, marital status, sexual orientation, disability, or veteran status; or deny an individual or business any service or benefits under this Agreement; or subject an individual or business to segregation or separate treatment in any manner related to his/her/its receipt any service or services or other benefits provided under this Agreement; or deny an individual or business an opportunity to participate in any program provided by this Agreement.

36.1 Waiver of Noncompetition:

Contractor irrevocably waives any existing rights which it may have, by contract or otherwise, to require another person or corporation to refrain from submitting a proposal to or performing work or providing supplies to the County, and contractor further promises that it will not in the future, directly or indirectly, induce or solicit any person or corporation to refrain from submitting a bid or proposal to or from performing work or providing supplies to the County.

36.2 Conflict of Interest:

If at any time prior to commencement of, or during the term of this Agreement, Contractor or any of its employees involved in the performance of this Agreement shall have or develop an interest in the subject matter of this Agreement that is potentially in conflict with the County's interest, then Contractor shall immediately notify the County of the same. The notification of the County shall be made with sufficient specificity to enable the County to make an informed judgment as to whether or not the County's interest may be compromised in any manner by the existence of the conflict, actual or potential. Thereafter, the County may require the Contractor to take reasonable steps to remove the conflict of interest. The County may also terminate this contract according to the provisions herein for termination.

37.1 Administration of Contract:

This Agreement shall be subject to all laws, rules, and regulations of the United States of America, the State of Washington, and political subdivisions of the State of Washington. The Contractor also agrees to comply with applicable federal, state, county or municipal standards for licensing, certification and operation of facilities and programs, and accreditation and licensing of individuals.

The County hereby appoints, and the Contractor hereby accepts, the Whatcom County Executive, and his or her designee, as the County's representative, hereinafter referred to as the Administrative Officer, for the purposes of administering the provisions of this Agreement, including the County's right to receive and act on all reports and documents, and any auditing performed by the County related to this Agreement. The Administrative Officer for purposes of this agreement is:

Tawni Helms, Administrative Coordinator
Whatcom County Executive's Office
311 Grand Avenue, Suite 108
Bellingham, WA 98225

37.2 Notice:

Except as set forth elsewhere in the Agreement, for all purposes under this Agreement except service of process, notice shall be given by the Contractor to the County's Administrative Officer under this Agreement. Notice to the Contractor for all purposes under this Agreement shall be given to the address provided by the Contractor herein above in the "Contractor Information" section. Notice may be given by delivery or by depositing in the US Mail, first class, postage prepaid.

38.1 Certification of Public Works Contractor's Status under State Law:

Contractor certifies that it has fully met the responsibility criteria required of public works contractors under RCW 39.04.350 (1), which include: (a) having a certificate of registration in compliance with RCW 18.27; (b) having a current state unified business identifier number; (c) if applicable, having industrial insurance coverage for its employees working in Washington as required in Title 51 RCW, an employment security department number as required in Title 50 RCW, and a state excise tax registration number as required in Title 82 RCW; and (d) not being disqualified from bidding on any public works contract under RCW 39.06.010 or 39.12.065 (3).

38.2 Certification Regarding Federal Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion - Lower Tier Covered Transactions:

The Contractor further certifies, by executing this contract, that neither it nor its principles is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any Federal department or Agency.

The Contractor also agrees that it shall not knowingly enter into any lower tier covered transactions (a transaction between the Contractor and any other person) with a person who is proposed for debarment, debarred, suspended, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this covered transaction, and the Contractor agrees to include this clause titled "Certification Regarding Federal Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion - Lower Tier Covered Transaction" without modification, in all lower tier covered transactions and in all solicitations for lower tier transactions.

The "General Service Administration List of Parties Excluded from Federal Procurement or Non-procurement Programs" is available to research this information at <http://epls.arnet.gov/>.

38.3 E-Verify:

The E-Verify contractor program for Whatcom County applies to contracts of \$100,000 or more and sub contracts for \$25,000 or more if the primary contract is for \$100,000 or more. Contractor represents and warrants that it will, for at least the duration of this contract, register and participate in the status verification system for all newly hired employees. The term "employee" as used herein means any person that is hired to perform work for Whatcom County. As used herein, "status verification system" means the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigration Responsibility Act of 1996 that is operated by the United States Department of Homeland Security, also known as the E-Verify Program, or any other successor electronic verification system replacing the E-Verify Program. Contractor/Seller agrees to maintain records of such compliance and, upon request of the County, to provide a copy of each such verification to the County. Contractor/Seller further represents and warrants that any person assigned to perform services hereunder meets the employment eligibility requirements of all immigration laws of the State of Washington. Contractor/Seller understands and agrees that any breach of these warranties may subject Contractor/Seller to the following: (a) termination of this Agreement and ineligibility for any Whatcom County contract for up to three (3) years, with notice of such cancellation/termination being made public. In the event of such termination/cancellation, Contractor/Seller would also be liable for any additional costs incurred by the County due to contract cancellation or loss of license or permit." Contractor will review and enroll in the E-Verify program through this website: www.uscis.gov

Series 40-49: Provisions Related to Interpretation of Agreement and Resolution of Disputes

40.1 Modifications:

Either party may request changes in the Agreement. Any and all agreed modifications, to be valid and binding upon either party, shall be in writing and signed by both of the parties.

40.2 Contractor Commitments, Warranties and Representations:

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Any written commitment received from the Contractor concerning this Agreement shall be binding upon the Contractor, unless otherwise specifically provided herein with reference to this paragraph. Failure of the Contractor to fulfill such a commitment shall render the Contractor liable for damages to the County. A commitment includes, but is not limited to, any representation made prior to execution of this Agreement, whether or not incorporated elsewhere herein by reference, as to performance of services or equipment, prices or options for future acquisition to remain in effect for a fixed period, or warranties.

41.1 Severability:

If any term or condition of this contract or the application thereof to any person(s) or circumstances is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other terms, conditions or applications which can be given effect without the invalid term, condition or application. To this end, the terms and conditions of this contract are declared severable.

41.2 Waiver:

Waiver of any breach or condition of this contract shall not be deemed a waiver of any prior or subsequent breach. No term or condition of this contract shall be held to be waived, modified or deleted except by an instrument, in writing, signed by the parties hereto. The failure of the County to insist upon strict performance of any of the covenants and agreements of this Agreement, or to exercise any option herein conferred in any one or more instances, shall not be construed to be a waiver or relinquishment of any such, or any other covenants or agreements, but the same shall be and remain in full force and effect.

42.1 Disputes:

a. General:

Differences between the Contractor and the County, arising under and by virtue of the Contract Documents, shall be brought to the attention of the County at the earliest possible time in order that such matters may be settled or other appropriate action promptly taken. Except for such objections as are made of record in the manner hereinafter specified and within the time limits stated, the records, orders, rulings, instructions, and decisions of the Administrative Officer shall be final and conclusive.

b. Notice of Potential Claims:

The Contractor shall not be entitled to additional compensation which otherwise may be payable, or to extension of time for (1) any act or failure to act by the Administrative Officer or the County, or (2) the happening of any event or occurrence, unless the Contractor has given the County a written Notice of Potential Claim within ten (10) days of the commencement of the act, failure, or event giving rise to the claim, and before final payment by the County. The written Notice of Potential Claim shall set forth the reasons for which the Contractor believes additional compensation or extension of time is due, the nature of the cost involved, and insofar as possible, the amount of the potential claim. Contractor shall keep full and complete daily records of the work performed, labor and material used, and all costs and additional time claimed to be additional.

c. Detailed Claim:

The Contractor shall not be entitled to claim any such additional compensation, or extension of time, unless within thirty (30) days of the accomplishment of the portion of the work from which the claim arose, and before final payment by the County, the Contractor has given the County a detailed written statement of each element of cost or other compensation requested and of all elements of additional time required, and copies of any supporting documents evidencing the amount or the extension of time claimed to be due.

d. Arbitration:

Other than claims for injunctive relief brought by a party hereto (which may be brought either in court or pursuant to this arbitration provision), and consistent with the provisions hereinabove, any claim, dispute or controversy between the parties under, arising out of, or related to this Agreement or otherwise, including issues of specific performance, shall be determined by arbitration in Bellingham, Washington, under the applicable American Arbitration Association (AAA) rules in effect on the date hereof, as modified by this Agreement. There shall be one arbitrator selected by the parties within ten (10) days of the arbitration demand, or if not, by the AAA or any other group having similar credentials. Any issue about whether a claim is covered by this Agreement shall be determined by the arbitrator. The arbitrator shall apply substantive law and may award injunctive relief, equitable relief (including specific performance), or any other remedy available from a judge, including expenses, costs and attorney fees to the prevailing party and pre-award interest, but

shall not have the power to award punitive damages. The decision of the arbitrator shall be final and binding and an order confirming the award or judgment upon the award may be entered in any court having jurisdiction. The parties agree that the decision of the arbitrator shall be the sole and exclusive remedy between them regarding any dispute presented or pled before the arbitrator. At the request of either party made not later than forty-five (45) days after the arbitration demand, the parties agree to submit the dispute to nonbinding mediation, which shall not delay the arbitration hearing date; provided, that either party may decline to mediate and proceed with arbitration.

Unless otherwise specified herein, this Agreement shall be governed by the laws of Whatcom County and the State of Washington.

43.1 Venue and Choice of Law:

In the event that any litigation should arise concerning the construction or interpretation of any of the terms of this Agreement, the venue of such action of litigation shall be in the courts of the State of Washington in and for the County of Whatcom. This Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of Washington.

44.1 Survival:

The provisions of paragraphs 11.1, 11.2, 11.3, 21.1, 22.1, 30.1, 31.1, 31.2, 32.1, 33.1, 34.2, 34.3, 36.1, 40.2, 41.2, 42.1, and 43.1, if utilized, shall survive, notwithstanding the termination or invalidity of this Agreement for any reason.

45.1 Entire Agreement:

This written Agreement, comprised of the writings signed or otherwise identified and attached hereto, represents the entire Agreement between the parties and supersedes any prior oral statements, discussions or understandings between the parties.

EXHIBIT "A"
(SCOPE OF WORK)

1. Background

The Bellingham-Whatcom County Commission on Sexual and Domestic Violence was established under Whatcom County Code (2.108). The purpose of the Commission is to inspire and coordinate our community's efforts to address sexual and domestic violence. The Commission on Sexual and Domestic Violence is made up of thirty-one members from a variety of community sectors. Commission members are leaders in their agencies and disciplines and use their expertise and influence to improve community interventions to and prevention of sexual and domestic violence. Whatcom County will reimburse Domestic Violence & Sexual Assault Services (DVSAS) for administrative services provided in support of the Bellingham Whatcom County Commission on Sexual and Domestic Violence. Once accomplished, deliverables should be itemized on invoice.

II. Statement of Work

A. Domestic Violence & Sexual Assault Services (DVSAS) – Administrative Support

Domestic Violence & Sexual Assault Services will provide administrative support and space for DV Commission staff and members, including:

- Fiscal oversight, accounting services, payroll, and employee benefits
- Reception services
- Office space, equipment, office supplies
- Information technology support, including telephone, internet, and server
- Management of personnel files, and personnel policies and procedures
- Liability insurance

B. Domestic Violence Commission (DVC) - Administrative

Administrative - The DV Commission Executive Committee and Director will be responsible for:

- Developing and monitoring budgets, and ensuring appropriate use of DV Commission finances
- DV Commission staff, including hiring, supervising, setting salaries, and conducting evaluations
- Leading and providing oversight to development and implementation of the DV Commission's mission, strategic plan, and projects.

C. Domestic Violence Commission (DVC) – Deliverables

The Commission will seek the following deliverables in support of the Commission's goals:

- Connect institutions, stakeholders, and communities to collectively increase understanding and effectiveness of community responses for sexual and domestic violence
- Transform systems to ensure best practice prevention and responses for sexual and domestic violence
- Foster autonomy, well-being, and justice for survivors and communities

The Commission will implement the following work plan in 2023:

- Develop pilot of restorative and transformative justice responses to domestic and sexual violence.
- Continue focus on survivor defendants, coordinating cross-trainings with systems partners and building referral and collaboration networks.
- Collaborate with the state AG's MMIWP Task Force and the Lummi and Nooksack Tribes to revisit the community response for MMIWP and next steps needed for safety and justice in our communities.
- Lead case reviews of local intimate partner homicide cases and sexual assault cases to identify strengths and gaps in community interventions and prevention.
- Collaborate with courts to improve access to justice for survivors in civil and family law cases, focusing particularly on survivors with language access needs.
- Discuss overlap between housing/homelessness and DV/SA; make recommendations for community and organizational leaders.

- Partner with schools and community organizations to support interventions and prevention for students.
- Stabilize funding and administrative structures for DV Commission operations.
- Host engaging Commission meetings to implement meaningful systems change.
- Provide prevention and intervention resources and subject matter expertise for systems and stakeholders (eg workplaces, faith communities courts, media).

**EXHIBIT B
(COMPENSATION)**

The Contract Number shall be included on all billings or correspondence. The maximum consideration for this contract is \$90,000.00 for year one (2023) and \$90,000.00 for year 2 (2024). This is partially funded by the county's portion of the divorce filing fee intended for Domestic Violence Prevention Services will be used to pay for these services in compliance with RCW 70.123.020.

Allowable expenses include reimbursement for items listed below that can be directly linked to services rendered as described in Exhibit A (Scope of Work). Receipts required for all reimbursement.

Domestic Violence & Sexual Assault Services

(Overhead expenses incurred by the Domestic Violence & Sexual Abuse Services as outlined in Exhibit E Budget)

Administrative Fees (to be billed at 5% of DV Commission Salaries)	\$1,854
Occupancy	\$2,711
Office Supplies/Equipment	\$638
Server/Tax Filing/Audit	\$580
Tech Support	\$225
Liability Insurance	<u>\$430</u>
DVSAS Subtotal	\$6,438

Domestic Violence Commission

Actual personnel costs for dedicated Domestic Violence Commission staff (payroll records required)	\$79,049
Supplies (copies, website/internet, office supplies, equipment, postage, meetings)	\$1,013
Travel/Training incurred by Domestic Violence Commission	\$750
Publications/Promotion	\$750
Professional Services acquired by Domestic Violence Commission	<u>\$2,000</u>
DVC Subtotal	\$83,5623

Total budget allowed for each year of 2023-2024 agreement \$90,000

Compensation will be paid as reimbursement only upon receipt of invoice sent to the Whatcom County Executive, 311 Grand Avenue, Suite 108, Bellingham, WA 98225 detailing allowable expenditures as outlined in Exhibit A.

Invoices will include documentation demonstrating completion of deliverable(s) and receipts as appropriate including registration fees or other documentation of professional training expenses. Travel reimbursement must include dates of travel, starting point, destination and purpose of travel. Lodging and meal costs shall not exceed the U.S. General Services Administration domestic Per Diem Rates (www.gsa.gov) specific to location. Mileage will be reimbursed at the current GSA rate (www.gsa.gov).

Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Services will provide the Whatcom County Executive Office with monthly invoices which include the DV Commission's monthly activities. The DV Commission will provide the Whatcom County Executive and Council members with annual activity reports on progress of scope and deliverables stated above, and including county-wide data related to domestic violence (including high-risk domestic violence).

EXHIBIT "C"
Certification of Insurance

THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY**GENERAL LIABILITY ENHANCEMENT: NONPROFIT**

This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the following:

COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY COVERAGE FORM

It is understood and agreed that the following extensions only apply in the event that no other specific coverage for the indicated loss exposure is provided under this policy. If such specific coverage applies, the terms, conditions and limits of that coverage are the sole and exclusive coverage applicable under this policy, unless otherwise noted on this endorsement. The following is a summary of the Limits of Insurance and additional coverages provided by this endorsement. **For complete details on specific coverages, consult the policy contract wording.**

Coverage Applicable	Limit of Insurance	Page #
Extended Property Damage	Included	2
Limited Rental Lease Agreement Contractual Liability	\$100,000 limit	2
Non-Owned Watercraft	Less than 58 feet	2
Damage to Property You Own, Rent, or Occupy	\$50,000 limit	2
Damage to Premises Rented to You	\$1,000,000	2
HIPAA	Clarification	3
Medical Payments	\$20,000	4
Medical Payments – Extended Reporting Period	3 years	4
Athletic Activities	Amended	4
Supplementary Payments – Bail Bonds	\$10,000	4
Supplementary Payment – Loss of Earnings	\$1,500 per day	4
Employee Indemnification Defense Coverage	\$25,000	4
Key and Lock Replacement – Janitorial Services Client Coverage	\$20,000 limit	4
Additional Insured – Newly Acquired Time Period	Amended	5
Additional Insured – Medical Directors and Administrators	Included	5
Additional Insured – Managers and Supervisors (with Fellow Employee Coverage)	Included	5
Additional Insured – Broadened Named Insured	Included	5
Additional Insured – Funding Source	Included	6
Additional Insured – Home Care Providers	Included	6
Additional Insured – Managers, Landlords, or Lessors of Premises	Included	6
Additional Insured – Lessor of Leased Equipment	Included	6
Additional Insured – Grantors of Permits	Included	6
Additional Insured – Vendor	Included	6
Additional Insured – Franchisor	Included	7
Additional Insured – As Required by Contract	Included	7
Additional Insured – Owners, Lessees, or Contractors	Included	7
Additional Insured – State or Political Subdivisions	Included	7
Additional Insured – Trustees, Officials, Members of the Board of Governors, Rabbi, Clergymen or Deacons	Included	8
Duties in the Event of Occurrence, Claim or Suit	Included	8

Unintentional Failure to Disclose Hazards	Included	8
Transfer of Rights of Recovery Against Others To Us	Clarification	8
Liberalization	Included	8
Bodily Injury – includes Mental Anguish	Included	8
Personal and Advertising Injury – includes Abuse of Process, Discrimination	Included	9
Aggregate Limit Per Location	Included	9

A. Extended Property Damage

Section I – Coverages, Coverage A Bodily Injury and Property Damage Liability, Subsection 2. Exclusions, Paragraph a. is deleted in its entirety and replaced by the following:

a. Expected or Intended Injury

“Bodily injury” or property damage” expected or intended from the standpoint of the insured. This exclusion does not apply to “bodily injury” or “property damage” resulting from the use of reasonable force to protect persons or property.

B. Limited Rental Lease Agreement Contractual Liability

Section I – Coverages, Coverage A Bodily Injury and Property Damage Liability, Subsection 2. Exclusions, Paragraph b. **Contractual Liability** is amended to include the following:

- (3) Based on the named insured’s request at the time of claim, we agree to indemnify the named insured for their liability assumed in a contract or agreement regarding the rental or lease of a premises on behalf of their client, up to \$100,000. This coverage extension only applies to rental lease agreements. This coverage is excess over any renter’s liability insurance of the client.

C. Non-Owned Watercraft

Section I – Coverages, Coverage A Bodily Injury and Property Damage Liability, Subsection 2. Exclusions, Paragraph g. (2) is deleted in its entirety and replaced by the following:

- (2) A watercraft you do not own that is:
- (a) Less than 58 feet long; and
 - (b) Not being used to carry persons or property for a charge;

This provision applies to any person, who with your consent, either uses or is responsible for the use of a watercraft. This insurance is excess over any other valid and collectible insurance available to the insured whether primary, excess or contingent.

D. Damage to Property You Own, Rent or Occupy

Section I – Coverages, Coverage A Bodily Injury and Property Damage Liability, Subsection 2. Exclusions, Paragraph j. **Damage to Property**, Item (1) is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

- (1) Property you own, rent, or occupy, including any costs or expenses incurred by you, or any other person, organization or entity, for repair, replacement, enhancement, restoration or maintenance of such property for any reason, including prevention of injury to a person or damage to another’s property, unless the damage to property is caused by your client, up to a \$50,000 limit. A client is defined as a person under your direct care and supervision.

E. Damage to Premises Rented to You

1. If damage by fire to premises rented to you is not otherwise excluded from this Coverage Part, the word “fire” is changed to “fire, lightning, explosion, smoke, or leakage from automatic fire protective systems” where it appears in:

- a. The last paragraph of **Section I – Coverages, Coverage A Bodily Injury and Property Damage Liability**, Subsection 2. Exclusions; is deleted in its entirety and replaced by the following:

Exclusions **c.** through **n.** do not apply to damage by fire, lightning, explosion, smoke, or leakage from automatic fire protective systems to premises while rented to you or temporarily occupied by you with permission of the owner. A separate limit of insurance applies to this coverage as described in **Section III – Limits of Insurance.**

- b. Section III – Limits of Insurance, Paragraph 6.** is deleted in its entirety and replaced by the following:

Subject to Paragraph **5.** above, the Damage To Premises Rented To You Limit is the most we will pay under **Coverage A** for damages because of "property damage" to anyone premises, while rented to you, or in the case of damage by fire, lightning, explosion, smoke, or leakage from automatic fire protective systems while rented to you or temporarily occupied by you with permission of the owner.

- c. Section V – Definitions, Paragraph 9.a.,** is deleted in its entirety and replaced by the following:

A contract for a lease of premises. However, that portion of the contract for a lease of premises that indemnifies any person or organization for damage by fire, lightning explosion, smoke, or leakage from automatic fire protective systems to premises while rented to you or temporarily occupied by you with permission of the owner is not an "insured contract";

- 2. Section IV – Commercial General Liability Conditions, Subsection 4. Other Insurance, Paragraph b. Excess Insurance, (1) (a) (ii)** is deleted in its entirety and replaced by the following:

That is insurance for fire, lightning, explosion, smoke, or leakage from automatic fire protective systems for premises rented to you or temporarily occupied by you with permission of the owner;

- 3. The Damage To Premises Rented To You Limit Section of the Declarations is amended to the greater of:**
- a)** \$1,000,000; or
 - b)** The amount shown in the Declarations as the Damage to Premises Rented to You Limit.

This is the most we will pay for all damage proximately caused by the same event, whether such damage results from fire, lightning, explosion, smoke, or leaks from automatic fire protective systems or any combination thereof.

F. HIPAA

Section I – Coverages, Coverage A Bodily Injury and Property Damage Liability, is amended as follows:

- 1. Paragraph 1. Insuring Agreement** is amended to include the following:

We will pay those sums that the insured becomes legally obligated to pay as damages because of a "violation(s)" of the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA). We have the right and the duty to defend the insured against any "suit," "investigation," or "civil proceeding" seeking these damages. However, we will have no duty to defend the insured against any "suit" seeking damages, "investigation," or "civil proceeding" to which this insurance does not apply.

- 2. Paragraph 2. Exclusions** is amended to include the following additional exclusions:

This insurance does not apply to:

a) Intentional, Willful, or Deliberate Violations

Any willful, intentional, or deliberate "violation(s)" by any insured.

b) Criminal Acts

Any "violation" which results in any criminal penalties under the HIPAA.

c) Other Remedies

Any remedy other than monetary damages for penalties assessed.

d) Compliance Reviews or Audits

Any compliance reviews by the Department of Health and Human Services.

3. **Section V – Definitions** is amended to include the following additional definitions:

- a. “Civil proceeding” means an action by the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) arising out of “violations.”
- b. “Investigation” means an examination of an actual or alleged “violation(s)” by HHS. However, “investigation” does not include a Compliance Review.
- c. “Violation” means the actual or alleged failure to comply with the regulations included in the HIPAA.

G. Medical Payments – Limit Increased to \$20,000, Extended Reporting Period

If **Coverage C – Medical Payments** is not otherwise excluded from this Coverage Part:

1. The Medical Expense Limit is changed subject to all of the terms of **Section III – Limits of Insurance** to the greater of:
 - a. \$20,000; or
 - b. The Medical Expense Limit shown in the Declarations of this Coverage Part
2. **Section I – Coverage, Coverage C Medical Payments**, Subsection **1. Insuring Agreement**, a. (3) (b) is deleted in its entirety and replaced by the following:
 - b) The expenses are incurred and reported to us within three years of the date of the Accident.

H. Athletic Activities

Section I – Coverage, Coverage C Medical Payments, Subsection **2. Exclusions**, Paragraph **e. Athletic Activities** is deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

e. Athletic Activities

To a person injured while taking part in athletics.

I. Supplementary Payments

Section I – Coverages, Supplementary Payments – Coverage A and B are amended as follows:

- 1.b. is deleted in its entirety and replaced by the following:
 1. b. Up to \$10,000 for cost of bail bonds required because of accidents or traffic law Violations arising out of the use of any vehicle to which the Bodily Injury Liability Coverage applies. We do not have to furnish these.
- 1.d. is deleted in its entirety and replaced by the following:
 1. d. All reasonable expenses incurred by the insured at our request to assist us in the investigation or defense of the claim or "suit", including actual loss of earnings up to \$1,500 a day because of time off from work.

J. Employee Indemnification Defense Coverage

Section I – Coverages, Supplementary Payments – Coverage A and B the following is added:

We will pay, on your behalf, defense costs incurred by an “employee” in a criminal proceeding occurring in the course of employment.

The most we will pay for any “employee” who is alleged to be directly involved in a criminal proceeding is \$25,000 regardless of the numbers of “employees,” claims or “suits” brought or persons or organizations making claims or bringing “suits.

K. Key and Lock Replacement – Janitorial Services Client Coverage

Section I – Coverages, Supplementary Payments – Coverage A and B is amended to include the following:

We will pay for the cost to replace keys and locks at the “clients” premises due to theft or other loss to keys entrusted to you by your “client,” up to a \$10,000 limit per occurrence and \$20,000 policy aggregate.

We will not pay for loss or damage resulting from theft or any other dishonest or criminal act that you or any of your partners, members, officers, "employees", "managers", directors, trustees, authorized representatives or anyone to whom you entrust the keys of a "client" for any purpose commit, whether acting alone or in collusion with other persons.

The following, when used on this coverage, are defined as follows:

- a. "Client" means an individual, company or organization with whom you have a written contractor work order for your services for a described premises and have billed for your services.
- b. "Employee" means:
 - (1) Any natural person:
 - (a) While in your service or for 30 days after termination of service;
 - (b) Who you compensate directly by salary, wages or commissions; and
 - (c) Who you have the right to direct and control while performing services for you; or
 - (2) Any natural person who is furnished temporarily to you:
 - (a) To substitute for a permanent "employee" as defined in Paragraph (1) above, who is on leave; or
 - (b) To meet seasonal or short-term workload conditions;
 while that person is subject to your direction and control and performing services for you.
 - (3) "Employee" does not mean:
 - (a) Any agent, broker, person leased to you by a labor leasing firm, factor, commission merchant, consignee, independent contractor or representative of the same general character; or
 - (b) Any "manager," director or trustee except while performing acts coming within the scope of the usual duties of an "employee."
- c. "Manager" means a person serving in a directorial capacity for a limited liability company.

L. Additional Insureds

Section II – Who Is An Insured is amended as follows:

1. If coverage for newly acquired or formed organizations is not otherwise excluded from this Coverage Part, Paragraph 3.a. is deleted in its entirety and replaced by the following:
 - a. Coverage under this provision is afforded until the end of the policy period.
2. Each of the following is also an insured:
 - a. **Medical Directors and Administrators** – Your medical directors and administrators, but only while acting within the scope of and during the course of their duties as such. Such duties do not include the furnishing or failure to furnish professional services of any physician or psychiatrist in the treatment of a patient.
 - b. **Managers and Supervisors** – Your managers and supervisors are also insureds, but only with respect to their duties as your managers and supervisors. Managers and supervisors who are your "employees" are also insureds for "bodily injury" to a co- "employee" while in the course of his or her employment by you or performing duties related to the conduct of your business.

This provision does not change Item 2.a. (1) (a) of form CG 00 01 as it applies to managers of a limited liability company.
 - c. **Broadened Named Insured** – Any organization and subsidiary thereof which you control and actively manage on the effective date of this Coverage Part. However, coverage does not apply to any organization or subsidiary not named in the Declarations as Named Insured, if they are also insured under another similar policy, but for its termination or the exhaustion of its limits of insurance.

d. Funding Source – Any person or organization with respect to their liability arising out of:

- (1) Their financial control of you; or
- (2) Premises they own, maintain or control while you lease or occupy these premises

This insurance does not apply to structural alterations, new construction and demolition operations performed by or for that person or organization.

e. Home Care Providers – At the first Named Insured's option, any person or organization under your direct supervision and control while providing for your private home respite or foster home care for the developmentally disabled.

f. Managers, Landlords, or Lessors of Premises – Any person or organization with respect to their liability arising out of the ownership, maintenance or use of that part of the premises leased or rented to you subject to the following additional exclusions:

This insurance does not apply to:

- (1) Any "occurrence" which takes place after you cease to be a tenant in that premises; or
- (2) Structural alterations, new construction or demolition operations performed by or on behalf of that person or organization.

g. Lessor of Leased Equipment – Automatic Status When Required in Lease Agreement With You–

Any person or organization from whom you lease equipment when you and such person or organization have agreed in writing in a contract or agreement that such person or organization is to be added as an additional insured on your policy. Such person or organization is an insured only with respect to liability for "bodily injury," "property damage" or "personal and advertising injury" caused, in whole or in part, by your maintenance, operation or use of equipment leased to you by such person or organization.

A person's or organization's status as an additional insured under this endorsement ends when their contract or agreement with you for such leased equipment ends.

With respect to the insurance afforded to these additional insureds, this insurance does not apply to any "occurrence" which takes place after the equipment lease expires.

h. Grantors of Permits – Any state or political subdivision granting you a permit in connection with your premises subject to the following additional provision:

- (1) This insurance applies only with respect to the following hazards for which the state or political subdivision has issued a permit in connection with the premises you own, rent or control and to which this insurance applies:
 - (a) The existence, maintenance, repair, construction, erection, or removal of advertising signs, awnings, canopies, cellar entrances, coal holes, driveways, manholes, marquees, hoist away openings, sidewalk vaults, street banners or decorations and similar exposures;
 - (b) The construction, erection, or removal of elevators; or
 - (c) The ownership, maintenance, or use of any elevators covered by this insurance.

i. Vendors – Only with respect to "bodily injury" or "property damage" arising out of "your products" which are distributed or sold in the regular course of the vendor's business, subject to the following additional exclusions:

- (1) The insurance afforded the vendor does not apply to:
 - (a) "Bodily injury" or "property damage" for which the vendor is obligated to pay damages by reason of the assumption of liability in a contract or agreement. This exclusion does not apply to liability for damages that the vendor would have in the absence of the contract or agreement;
 - (b) Any express warranty unauthorized by you;
 - (c) Any physical or chemical change in the product made intentionally by the vendor;

- (d) Repackaging, except when unpacked solely for the purpose of inspection, demonstration, testing, or the substitution of parts under instructions from the manufacturer, and then repackaged in the original container;
- (e) Any failure to make such inspections, adjustments, tests or servicing as the vendor has agreed to make or normally undertakes to make in the usual course of business, in connection with the distribution or sale of the products.
- (f) Demonstration, installation, servicing or repair operations, except such operations performed at the vendor's premises in connection with the sale of the product;
- (g) Products which, after distribution or sale by you, have been labeled or relabeled or used as a container, part or ingredient of any other thing or substance by or for the vendor; or
- (h) "Bodily injury" or "property damage" arising out of the sole negligence of the vendor for its own acts or omissions or those of its employees or anyone else acting on its behalf. However, this exclusion does not apply to:
 - (i) The exception contained in Sub- paragraphs (d) or (f); or
 - (ii) Such inspections, adjustments, tests or servicing as the vendor has agreed to make or normally undertakes to make in the usual course of business, in connection with the distribution or sale of the products.
- (2) This insurance does not apply to any insured person or organization, from whom you have acquired such products, or any ingredient, part or container, entering into, accompanying or containing.
- j. **Franchisor** – Any person or organization with respect to their liability as the grantor of a franchise to you.
- k. **As Required by Contract** – Any person or organization where required by a written contract executed prior to the occurrence of a loss. Such person or organization is an additional insured for "bodily injury," "property damage" or "personal and advertising injury" but only for liability arising out of the negligence of the named insured. The limits of insurance applicable to these additional insureds are the lesser of the policy limits or those limits specified in a contract or agreement. These limits are included within and not in addition to the limits of insurance shown in the Declarations
- i. **Owners, Lessees or Contractors** – Any person or organization, but only with respect to liability for "bodily injury," "property damage" or "personal and advertising injury" caused, in whole or in part, by:
 - (1) Your acts or omissions; or
 - (2) The acts or omissions of those acting on your behalf;in the performance of your ongoing operations for the additional insured when required by a contract.

With respect to the insurance afforded to these additional insureds, the following additional exclusions apply:

This insurance does not apply to "bodily injury" or "property damage" occurring after:

 - (a) All work, including materials, parts or equipment furnished in connection with such work, on the project (other than service, maintenance or repairs) to be performed by or on behalf of the additional insured(s) at the location of the covered operations has been completed; or
 - (b) That portion of "your work" out of which the injury or damage arises has been put to its intended use by any person or organization other than another contractor or subcontractor engaged in performing operations for a principal as a part of the same project.
- m. **State or Political Subdivisions** – Any state or political subdivision as required, subject to the following provisions:
 - (1) This insurance applies only with respect to operations performed by you or on your behalf for which the state or political subdivision has issued a permit, and is required by contract.
 - (2) This insurance does not apply to:

- (a) "Bodily injury," "property damage" or "personal and advertising injury" arising out of operations performed for the state or municipality; or
 - (b) Bodily injury" or "property damage" included within the "products-completed operations hazard."
- n. **Your trustees, officials, members of the board of governors, Rabbi, Clergymen or Deacons** but only with respect to their duties as such.

M. Duties in the Event of Occurrence, Claim or Suit

Section IV – Commercial General Liability Conditions, Paragraph 2. Is amended as follows:

- a. is amended to include:

This condition applies only when the "occurrence" or offense is known to:

- (1) You, if you are an individual
- (2) A partner, if you are a partnership; or
- (3) An executive officer or insurance manager, if you are a corporation.

- b. is amended to include:

This condition will not be considered breached unless the breach occurs after such claim or "suit" is known to:

- (1) You, if you are an individual;
- (2) A partner, if you are a partnership: or
- (3) An executive officer or insurance manager, if you are a corporation.

N. Unintentional Failure To Disclose Hazards

Section IV – Commercial General Liability Conditions, 6. Representations is amended to include the following:

It is agreed that, based on our reliance on your representations as to existing hazards, if you should unintentionally fail to disclose all such hazards prior to the beginning of the policy period of this Coverage Part, we shall not deny coverage under this Coverage Part because of such failure.

O. Transfer of Rights of Recovery Against Others To Us

Section IV – Commercial General Liability Conditions, 8. Transfer of Rights of Recovery Against Others To Us is deleted in its entirety and replaced by the following:

If the insured has rights to recover all or part of any payment we have made under this Coverage Part, those rights are transferred to us. The insured must do nothing after loss to impair them. At our request, the insured will bring "suit" or transfer those rights to us and helps us enforce them.

Therefore, the insured can waive the insurer's rights of recovery prior to the occurrence of loss, provided the waiver is made in a written contract.

P. Liberalization

Section IV – Commercial General Liability Conditions, is amended to include the following:

If we revise this endorsement to provide more coverage without additional premium charge, we will automatically provide the additional coverage to all endorsement holders as of the day the revision is effective in your state.

Q. Bodily Injury – Mental Anguish

Section V – Definitions, Paragraph 3. Is deleted in its entirety and replaced by the following:

"Bodily injury" means:

- a. Bodily injury, sickness or disease sustained by a person, and includes mental anguish resulting from any of these; and
- b. Except for mental anguish, includes death resulting from the foregoing (Item a. above) at any time

R. Personal and Advertising Injury – Abuse of Process, Discrimination

If **Coverage B Personal and Advertising Injury Liability Coverage** is not otherwise excluded from this Coverage Part, the definition of “personal and advertising injury” is amended as follows:

1. **Section V – Definitions**, Paragraph 14.b. is deleted in its entirety and replaced by the following:
 - b. Malicious prosecution or abuse of process;
2. **Section V – Definitions**, Paragraph 14. is amended by adding the following:

Discrimination based on race, color, religion, sex, age or national origin, except when:

- a. Done intentionally by or at the direction of, or with the knowledge or consent of:
 - (1) Any insured; or
 - (2) Any executive officer, director, stockholder, partner or member of the insured;
- b. Directly or indirectly related to the employment, former or prospective employment, termination of employment, or application for employment of any person or persons by an insured;
- c. Directly or indirectly related to the sale, rental, lease or sublease or prospective sales, rental, lease or sub-lease of any room, dwelling or premises by or at the direction of any insured; or
- d. Insurance for such discrimination is prohibited by or held in violation of law, public policy, legislation, court decision or administrative ruling.

The above does not apply to fines or penalties imposed because of discrimination.

S. Aggregate Limit Per Location

Section III – Limits of Insurance and Section V – Definitions

1. Under **Section III – Limits of Insurance**, the General Aggregate Limit applies separately to each of your “locations” owned by or rented to you.
2. Under **Section V – Definitions**, the following definition is added as follows:

“Location” means premises involving the same or connecting lots, or premises whose connection is interrupted only by a street, roadway, waterway or right-of-way of a railroad.

THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY.

**PRIMARY AND NONCONTRIBUTORY –
OTHER INSURANCE CONDITION**

This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the following:

COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY COVERAGE PART
PRODUCTS/COMPLETED OPERATIONS LIABILITY COVERAGE PART

The following is added to the **Other Insurance Condition** and supersedes any provision to the contrary:

Primary And Noncontributory Insurance

This insurance is primary to and will not seek contribution from any other insurance available to an additional insured under your policy provided that:

- (1) The additional insured is a Named Insured under such other insurance; and
- (2) You have agreed in writing in a contract or agreement that this insurance would be primary and would not seek contribution from any other insurance available to the additional insured.

EXHIBIT D
Budget

DV Commission Budget 2023 (draft)

REVENUE		General Government Funding	
	City of Bellingham	\$	90,000
	Whatcom County	\$	90,000
	City of Ferndale	\$	7,500
	Operating Reserve	\$	5,577
TOTAL REVENUE		\$	193,077
EXPENSES			
Personnel			
	Salaries	\$	139,136
	Benefits	\$	5,651
	Payroll Taxes	\$	13,914
	Retirement	\$	5,477
TOTAL PERSONNEL		\$	164,178
Travel and Training			
	Professional Development	\$	1,000
	Travel/Mileage	\$	500
TOTAL TRAVEL & TRAINING		\$	1,500
Equipment & Supplies			
	Non-Capitalized Equipment	\$	500
	Internet/Web hosting	\$	500
	Office Supplies	\$	700
	Postage	\$	25
	Conferences/Trainings	\$	300
TOTAL EQUIPMENT & SUPPLIES		\$	2,025
Other			
	Membership/Dues	\$	900
	Publications	\$	500
	Promotion	\$	1,000
	Professional fees - consultants	\$	10,000
	Professional Fees - DVSAS fiscal agent fees	\$	12,974
TOTAL OTHER		\$	25,374
TOTAL EXPENSES		\$	193,077

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Satpal Sidhu
County Executive

MEMORANDUM

TO: Satpal Sidhu, County Executive

FROM: Tawni Helms, Administrative Coordinator

RE: Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Services

DATE: November 29, 2022

Enclosed is the Contract for Services between Whatcom County and Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Services for your review and signature.

▪ **Background and Purpose**

The Bellingham-Whatcom County Commission Against Domestic Violence was established under Whatcom county Code 2.108. The purpose of the Commission is to provide leadership in the community's effort to reduce and prevent domestic violence.

This contract for services helps fund the administrative, management and support services of the domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Services. The Domestic Violence Commission will cultivate strong relationships with agencies, institutions, individuals and the community as a whole. Host trainings and conferences, conduct focus groups and utilize research and data to identify new and effective approaches to evaluate project outcomes. They will coordinate public outreach and education. They will work with schools and support community efforts for effective and accessible domestic violence perpetrator treatment.

▪ **Funding Amount and Source**

Funding in the amount of \$180,000 will come from the General Fund as approved through Ordinance 2022-070.

▪ **Differences from Previous Contract**

This contract increases the annual compensation by 50% to include an additional \$30,000 per year.

Please contact Tawni Helms at extension 5208, if you have any questions or concerns regarding the terms of this agreement.