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## **MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Jack Louws, County Executive

FROM: Tawni Helms, Administrative Coordinator

**Through:** Tyler Schroeder, Deputy Executive

RE: Medical Program Director Services

**DATE:** October 31, 2018

Enclosed are two (2) originals of a Professional Services Agreement between Whatcom County and Marvin Wayne, MD, PS, a professional services corporation, for your review and signature.

## Background and Purpose

In November 2016, a countywide Emergency Medical Services (EMS) levy passed which approved the EMS funding plan. The EMS Funding Plan included in the EMS Funding Work Group (FWG) Recommendations approved by the EMS Oversight Board details budgeting for a countywide EMS system. The budget includes compensation for a Medical Program Director who shall have the responsibilities as set forth in WAC 246-976-920.

This personal services agreement allows for countywide Medical Program Director services as outlined in the Washington State Department of Health's Medical Program Director Handbook.

## Funding Amount and Source

The funding source is the EMS Levy Tax Collection.

## Differences from Previous Contract

The increased compensation reflects comparable rates for Medical Program Director services in similar sized jurisdictions.

Please contact Mike Hilley, EMS Manager at extension 5209, if you have any questions or concerns regarding the terms of this agreement.

Encl.