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MEMORANDUM

To: The Honorable Satpal Singh Sidhu, Whatcom County Executive and
Honorable Members of the County Council

Through: Jon Hutchings, Director *JPK FOR JON H.*

From: James P. Karcher, P.E., County Engineer *JPK*
Doug Burghart, Interim Engineering Manager *DB*

Date: June 1, 2021

Re: Hampton Road Pavement Rehabilitation
Rural Arterial Program (RAP) Funding Contracts
RAP No. 3721-01

Enclosed for your review and signature are three (3) originals of a contract between the County Road Administration Board (CRAB) and Whatcom County.

Requested Action

Public Works respectfully requests that the County Council authorize the County Executive to enter into a Project Agreement with CRAB in order to receive RAP grant funding.

Please return **all three (3)** originals of the Project Agreements to our office for further processing. We will return one (1) fully executed original to you once they are signed by CRAB.

Project Background

This agreement allows Rural Arterial Trust Account (RATA) funds to be used for the pavement rehabilitation of Hampton Road.

Funding Amount and Source

Whatcom County has been awarded **\$170,100** in RATA funds for this project which requires 10% Local Fund match. Total anticipated project costs (design and construction) will be approximately **\$1,980,000** resulting in a local contribution of approximately \$1,809,900 coming from the Road Fund. However, it is anticipated that additional grant funding will be secured before construction in 2024.

Please contact Jim Karcher at extension 6271 if you have any questions or concerns regarding the terms of this agreement.