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Stephanie Kraft
Superior and Juvenile Court
Administrator

MEMORANDUM

TO: Satpal Sidhu, County Executive

FROM: Stephanie Kraft, Superior and Juvenile Court Administrator

RE: Water Rights Adjudication for July 1, 2023-June 30, 2024 with Washington State Administrative Office of the Courts- Amended

DATE: July 29, 2024

Enclosed is an original of the interagency agreement between Whatcom County and Washington State Administrative Office of the Courts

▪ **Background and Purpose**

The purpose of this agreement is to reimburse Whatcom County for expenses associated with the water rights adjudication.

▪ **Funding Amount and Source**

The Washington State Administrative Office of the Courts will reimburse Whatcom County up to \$2,111,900. Reimbursement for July 1, 2023-June 30, 2024 is up to \$417,300 and an amended amount for July 1, 2024-June 30, 2025 up to \$1,694,600.

▪ **Differences from Previous Contract**

Amended contract with regard to costs incurred July 1, 2024-June 30, 2025. Reimbursement for the timeframe should not exceed \$1,694,600.

Please contact **Stephanie Kraft** at extension **5496**, if you have any questions or concerns regarding the terms of this agreement,

Encl.