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MEMORANDUM

TO:

Satpal Sidhu, County Executive

FROM:

David LI Reynolds, Director

RE:

Water Rights Adjudication for July 1, 2023-June 30, 2024 with

Washington State Administrative Office of the Courts

DATE:

November 2, 2023

Enclosed are two (2) originals 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 \$881,300. Reimbursement for July 1, 2023-June 30, 2024 is up to \$417,300 and for July 1, 2024-June 30, 2025 up to \$464,000.

Differences from Previous Contract

This is a new contract.

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

Encl.