



MEMORANDUM

TO: Jack Louws, County Executive
FROM: *ADD*
Regina A. Delahunt, Director
RE: Washington State Health Care Authority – Medicaid Administrative Claiming
DATE: November 7, 2018

Enclosed is one (1) original of a contract between Whatcom County and Washington State Health Care Authority for your review and signature.

▪ **Background and Purpose**

The purpose of this contract is to support Medicaid related outreach and linkage activities performed by the Health Department to Washington State residents who live within Whatcom County. This program assists county residents in applying for and accessing Medicaid services and has been in operation with the Health Department since 2011.

▪ **Funding Amount and Source**

This contract is funded through Federal funds (CFDA #93.778) and is a fee for service contract with no not-to-exceed amount. The contract reimburses the department at 50% of the cost of assisting County residents in accessing Medicaid services. Match for this contract is provided by the existing work of the department and does not require any additional monetary outlay. Council approval is required per RCW 39.34.030 for agreements between public agencies.

Please contact Patty Proctor at extension #6015 if you have any questions regarding this agreement.

Encl.

