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## Memorandum

**TO:** Satpal Sidhu, County Executive

FROM: Charlene Ramont, Interim Director

**RE:** Bennett Engineering, LLC – Closed Cedarville & Y-Road Landfill Monitoring

Contract Amendment #4

DATE: MARCH 27, 2025

Attached is a contract amendment between Whatcom County and Bennett Engineering, LLC for your review and signature. This amendment increases funding and adds pricing for new Cedarville landfill, PFAS in Water and 6PPD-Q sampling, as required of Whatcom County's National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit and per Task 3.E of the Scope of Work.

## Background and Purpose

This contract provides funding for monitoring of ground and surface water as well as gas emissions at the closed Cedarville and Y-Road landfills. Monitoring ensures that each site is compliant with Federal, State and Local laws and regulations in accordance with approved landfill post-closure plans and National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System and Industrial Stormwater General Permit conditions.

## Funding Amount and Source

This amendment increases funding by \$10,629. Funding for this contract period (01/01/2025 – 12/31/2025) is not to exceed \$66,820 and is provided by the Solid Waste Fund. These funds are included in the 2025 budget. Council authorization is required as the additional funding provided by this amendment exceeds 10% of the amount authorized by Council.

## Differences from Previous Contracts

Section	Differences
Exhibit B - Compensation	Increases funding and adds pricing for additional sampling

Please contact Jennifer Hayden, Environmental Health Supervisor at 360-778-6036 (<a href="mailto:JHayden@co.whatcom.wa.us">JHayden@co.whatcom.wa.us</a>) if you have any questions.

