

**WHATCOM COUNTY**

Emergency Medical Services  
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**Mike Hilley**  
WCEMS Manger

**MEMORANDUM**

To: Satpal Sidhu, County Executive  
From: Mike Hilley, EMS Manager  
Re: Delegate Emeritus Physician Dr. Marvin Wayne M.D.  
Date: October 15, 2024

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Enclosed is the agreement to provide services as an Emeritus (Delegate) Physician supporting the transition to the newly appointed Whatcom County Medical Program Director from January 1, 2025 to December 31, 2025. This agreement recognizes Dr. Wayne's Emeritus Status without compensation through December 31, 2028.

- **Background and Purpose**

This contract is for Dr. Marvin Wayne who is recognized as an Emeritus Delegate Physician and appointed by the Whatcom County Medical Program Director to transition to the newly appointed Whatcom County Medical Program Director Dr. Ralph Weiche.

In November, 2022 a countywide Emergency Medical Services (EMS) levy passed which approved the EMS funding plan. The EMS Funding Plan included in the EMS Funding Work Group (FWG) Recommendations approved by the EMS Oversight Board details budgeting for a countywide EMS system. The budget includes one-year compensation for the EMS Medical Program Delegate Physician who shall have the responsibilities as set forth in WAC 246-976-920.

The Emeritus Delegate Physician reports to the Whatcom County Medical Program Director Dr. Ralph Weiche.

- **Funding Amount and Source**

The funding source is the EMS Levy Fund, 130100, not to exceed \$5000.00 in 2025. After 2025, Dr. Wayne will hold the Emeritus Delegate Physician status without compensation.

Please contact Mike Hilley at (360) 927-1155 if you have any questions or concerns regarding the terms of this agreement.