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MEMORANDUM

TO: Satpal Sidhu, County Executive

FROM: Stephanie Kraft, Superior and Juvenile Court Administrator

RE: Pretrial Services Reform (PTS)

DATE: September 24, 2024

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

▪ **Background and Purpose**

The purpose of this agreement is to reimburse Whatcom County for expenses associated with pretrial services reform/participation in the Pretrial Reform Task Force Pilot Project. These funds can only be used in accordance to the award letter and can't be used to supplement/supplant existing salary of current employees.

▪ **Funding Amount and Source**

The Washington State Administrative Office of the Courts will reimburse Whatcom County up to \$99,500 from July 1, 2024 through June 30, 2025.

▪ **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.