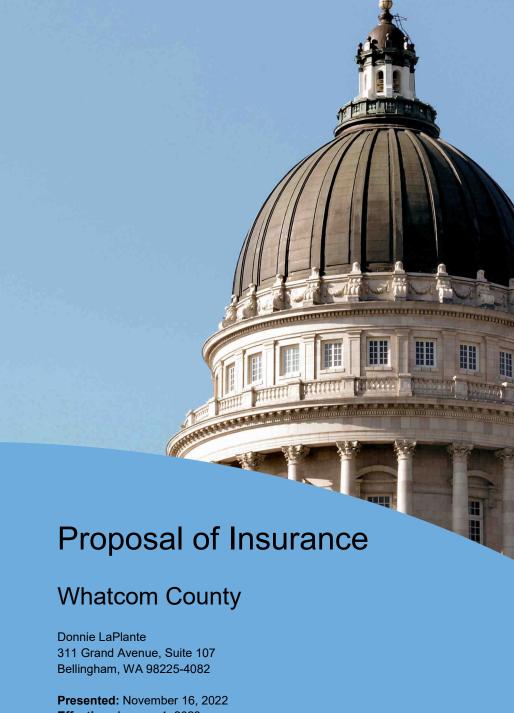
# WHATCOM COUNTY CONTRACT INFORMATION SHEET

Whatcom County Contract No.

Originating Department:			
Division/Program: (i.e. Dept. Division and Program)			
Contract or Grant Administrator:			
Contractor's / Agency Name:			
		ewal to an Existing Contract? Yes No VCC 3.08.100 (a)) Original Contract #:	
Does contract require Council Approval? Ye Already approved? Council Approved Date: _		If No, include WCC: (Exclusions see: Whatcom County Codes 3.06.010, 3.08.090 and 3.08.100)	
Is this a grant agreement?  Yes No If yes, grantor a	agency contract	number(s): CFDA#:	
Is this contract grant funded? Yes No If yes, Whatco	m County grant	contract number(s):	
Is this contract the result of a RFP or Bid proces	ss?	Contract	
Yes No If yes, RFP and Bid no	ımber(s):	Cost Center:	
Is this agreement excluded from E-Verify? N	No Yes	If no, include Attachment D Contractor Declaration form.	
If YES, indicate exclusion(s) below:    Professional services agreement for certified/licensed professional. Goods and services provided due to an emergency   Contract work is for less than \$100,000.   Contract for Commercial off the shelf items (COTS).     Contract work is for less than 120 days.   Work related subcontract less than \$25,000.     Interlocal Agreement (between Governments).   Public Works - Local Agency/Federally Funded FHWA.     Contract Amount:(sum of original contract amount and any prior amendments):   \$40,000, and professional service contract amendments that have an increase greater than \$10,000 or 10% of contract amount, whichever is greater, except when:     Exercising an option contained in a contract previously approved by the council.     Contract is for design, construction, r-o-w acquisition, prof. services, or other capital costs approved by council in a capital budget appropriation ordinance			
Total Amended Amount:	3. Bid or aw	ests approved by council in a capital budget appropriation ordinance.	
\$		nt is included in Exhibit "B" of the Budget Ordinance. is for manufacturer's technical support and hardware maintenance of	
Summary of Scope:	electronic	e systems and/or technical support and software maintenance from the r of proprietary software currently used by Whatcom County.	
Term of Contract:		Expiration Date:	
Contract Routing: 1. Prepared by:		Date:	
<ul><li>2. Attorney signoff:</li><li>3. AS Finance reviewed:</li></ul>		Date: Date:	
4. IT reviewed (if IT related):	<u> </u>	Date:	
5. Contractor signed:	-	Date:	
6. Submitted to Exec.:		Date:	
7. Council approved (if neces	ssary):	Date:	
8. Executive signed:		Date:	
9. Original to Council:		Date:	



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### Service Team

**Julie McCallum** has primary service responsibility for your company. We operate using a team approach. Your Service Team consists of:

NAME / TITLE	PHONE / ALT. PHONE	EMAIL	ROLE
Julie McCallum Area Vice President	(425) 586-1040	Julie_McCallum@AJG.com	Relationship & Strategy
Stephen Erni, CPCU, ARM-E Client Service Supervisor	(425) 586-1002	Stephen_Erni@AJG.com	Client Service Manager
Henry Winner Client Service Manager	(425) 586-1027	Henry_Winner@ajg.com	Client Service Manager

#### Arthur J. Gallagher Risk Management Services, Inc.

Main Office Phone Number: (253) 627-7183

#### **Service Commitment**

#### **Account Service**

At Arthur J. Gallagher & Co., our goal is to provide you with an exceptional insurance and risk management program delivered by a world class service organization. Gallagher is committed to partnering with our clients to ensure we consistently deliver the highest quality service possible.

#### Renewals

We use a standard Renewal Timeline and start early to make sure your needs are met and we are able to offer you the most comprehensive and competitively priced insurance program. At each renewal, we will meet with you to establish a renewal game plan, determine how many markets should be approached, discuss pricing in the insurance marketplace, and identify what specific needs must be addressed. We will then approach markets that we feel will offer the best alternatives. These alternatives will be presented at renewal as an option, even if we feel the incumbent program is strongest. We will demonstrate how we have created competition within the marketplace to ensure that you receive the best renewal terms.

We make ourselves accountable by working with you to develop a written service schedule that meets your needs. You can track our service by referring to our written service commitment. Service becomes especially important as your type of organization continues to change and prosper.

As a top national broker, we have access to over 150 insurance companies and wholesalers. This maximizes your insurance options in any given policy year situation. In addition, our integrity and influence in the marketplace have resulted in excellent relationships with our markets. These factors are especially important to consider as the insurance needs of your organization become more complex and require more sophisticated solutions.

### **Phone Calls**

Phone calls will be returned within one working day of receipt.

### **Certificates of Insurance**

Certificates of Insurance will be issued within one working day of request.





# Our Service Commitment

Our clients repeatedly tell us the most important thing that we can do as their broker is to protect their assets while providing a comprehensive and tailored insurance program with the most competitive terms. We also know that a critical component of every customer experience is receiving an accurate and timely response to their day to day business needs and challenges.

At Arthur J. Gallagher and Co. our goal is to provide every client with an exceptional insurance and risk management program delivered by a world-class service organization.

We're on a journey to set a new standard for service within our industry – utilizing innovative technology and tools that create value for our clients, and raising the bar beyond expectations. The result is consistent and predictable service for our clients – with the highest quality at every interaction.

For the client, words and pledges only go so far. In order to deliver on our promise, Gallagher is committed to partnering with our clients to ensure we consistently deliver the highest quality service possible:

- Clients get what they need, when they need it as a result of managing our work more effectively, your needs and requests are addressed promptly and professionally at all times
- Our service team is able to focus on you, and the solutions needed to support your unique business needs
- We proactively manage your renewal cycle, delivering a predictable timeline that creates time for thorough decision-making
- You play a role in this too we're asking for more information ahead, so that you receive the best outcome, every time



**Program Structure** 



## Named Insured

### Named Insured Schedule:

Add / Change / Delete	Named Insured	Excess Workers' Compensation
	Whatcom County	Χ

**Note:** Any entity not named in this proposal, may not be an insured entity. This may include affiliates, subsidiaries, LLC's, partnerships and joint ventures.



### **Market Review**

We approached the following carriers in an effort to provide the most comprehensive and cost effective insurance program.

INSURANCE COMPANY	LINE OF COVERAGE	RESPONSE	PREMIUM
Midwest Employers Casualty Company	Excess Workers Compensation	Recommended Quote	\$100,792.00



### **Program Details**

Coverage: **Excess Workers Compensation** 

Carrier: Midwest Employers Casualty Company

Policy Period: 1/1/2023 to 1/1/2024

### Coverage:

DESCRIPTION	LIMIT TYPE	AMOUNT
Specific Limit		Statutory
Employers Liability Limit	Limit	\$1,000,000

### **Deductibles / Self-Insured Retention**

TYPE	COVERAGE	AMOUNT
Retention	Specific Retention	\$500,000
Retention	Specific Retention - 6905 WA	\$750,000
Retention	Specific Retention - 6906 WA	\$750,000
Retention	Employers Liability Retention	See Specific
Retention	Aircraft Per Employee Retention Surcharge	\$750,000

### **Experience Modification Factor(s):**

DESCRIPTION	FACTOR	
WA	1	

### States:

**DESCRIPTION** 

DESCRIPTION	STATE
States Covered:	WA
States Excluded:	OH, ND, WY

### Endorsements include, but are not limited to:

### Jones Act Endorsement - ISI-280 (8-13)

Endemic Disease and Repatriation Endorsement - ISI-266 (8-13)

Voluntary Compensation Endorsement - ISI-261 (8-13)

Authorized Volunteers Endorsement - ISI-260 (8-13)

Aircraft Per Employee Retention Surcharge Endorsement - \$750,000 - ISI-251 (8-13)

Policyholder Disclosure Notice of Terrorism Insurance Coverage Endorsement - CMB-199 (1-20)

Foreign Endorsement - CMB-160 (8-13)





### Endorsements include, but are not limited to:

### **DESCRIPTION**

Amendment to Schedule Item 11 - CMB-11 (8-13)

Amendment to Schedule Item 6 - CMB-6-CLS (8-13)

Washington Endorsement - ISI-WA (8-13)

### Exclusions include, but are not limited to:

### **DESCRIPTION**

Longshore & Harbor Workers' Act

Owners or Officers

Bodily Injury to an Employee While Employed in Violation of Law

Bodily Injury Intentionally Caused by Insured

Federal Employers' Liability Act

**Assumptions under Contract** 

### Other Significant Terms and Conditions/Restrictions:

### **DESCRIPTION**

Total Premium Includes Terrorism Premium of \$3,024

(+ Additional Surcharges, Taxes and Fees as applicable)

MECC must be notified of any aircraft changes occurring during the policy period.

Premium	\$100,792.00
ESTIMATED PROGRAM COST	\$100,792.00
Minimum Premium -	\$90,713.00
TRIA/TRIPRA PREMIUM	INCLUDED

### **Subject to Audit: At Expiration**

### **Auditable Exposures:**

STATE	CLASS CODE DESCRIPTION		EXPOSURE	RATE PER \$100
WA	-	Estimated Annual Worker Hours	1,655,045 - Annual Worker Hours	\$0.0609



# **Premium Summary**

The estimated program cost for the options are outlined in the following table:

		EXPIRING PROGRAM		PROPOSED PROGRAM	
LINE OF COVERAGE		CARRIER	EXPIRING COST	CARRIER	ESTIMATED COST
Excess Workers Compensation	Premium	Midwest Employers Casualty	-	Midwest Employers Casualty	\$100,792.00
	<b>Estimated Cost</b>	Company (W. R. Berkley	\$92,517.00	Company (W. R. Berkley	\$100,792.00
	Annualized Cost	Group )	\$92,517.00	Group )	-
	TRIA Premium		Included		Included
Broker Fee			\$6,537.00		\$6,798.00
Total Estimated Program Cost			\$99,054.00		\$107,590.00

Quote from Midwest Employers Casualty Company (W. R. Berkley Group ) is valid until 1/7/2023

Premiums are due and payable as billed and may be financed, subject to acceptance by an approved finance company. Following acceptance, completion (and signature) of a premium finance agreement with the specified down payment is required. Note: Unless prohibited by law, Gallagher may earn compensation for this optional value-added service.

Gallagher is responsible for the placement of the following lines of coverage:

**Excess Workers Compensation** 

**Environmental Liability** 

It is understood that any other type of exposure/coverage is either self-insured or placed by another brokerage firm other than Gallagher. If you need help in placing other lines of coverage or covering other types of exposures, please contact your Gallagher representative.



## **Premium Financing**

# Arthur J. Gallagher is pleased to offer Premium Financing for our clients. What is Premium Financing?

Premium financing is a short-term loan that provides premium payment flexibility. By financing, you have the option to spread out your premium payments instead of paying in full at the time of policy purchase or renewal.

### Why Premium Financing May be Good for Your Business?

- May improve capital and cash flow management by spreading out premium payments over the policy period.
- Allows for **consolidation of** multiple policies into one premium finance agreement with a single monthly or quarterly payment.
- Provides automated ACH options and flexible payment terms.

### **Want to Learn More?**

If you are interested in learning more or obtaining a quote, contact your Client Service Manager.



# Payment Plans

CARRIER / PAYABLE CARRIER	LINE OF COVERAGE	PAYMENT SCHEDULE	PAYMENT METHOD
Midwest Employers Casualty Company (W. R. Berkley Group )	Excess Workers Compensation	Deposit Premium \$100,792	Agency Bill



### **Carrier Ratings and Admitted Status**

PROPOSED INSURANCE COMPANIES	A.M. BEST'S RATING & FINANCIAL SIZE CATEGORY *	ADMITTED/NON-ADMITTED **
Midwest Employers Casualty Company	A+ XV	Admitted

<sup>\*</sup>Gallagher companies use A.M. Best rated insurers and the rating listed above was verified on the date the proposal document was created.

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\*\*If coverage placed with a non-admitted carrier, it is doing business in the state as a surplus lines or non-admitted carrier, and is neither subject to the same regulations as an admitted carrier nor do they participate in any state insurance guarantee fund.

Gallagher companies make no representations and warranties concerning the solvency of any carrier, nor does it make any representation or warranty concerning the rating of the carrier which may change.



**Proposal Disclosures** 



### **Proposal Disclosures**

The following disclosures are hereby made a part of this proposal. Please review these disclosures prior to signing the Client Authorization to Bind or e-mail confirmation

#### **Proposal Disclaimer**

IMPORTANT: The proposal and/or any executive summaries outline certain terms and conditions of the insurance proposed by the insurers, based on the information provided by your company. The insurance policies themselves must be read to fully understand the terms, coverages, exclusions, limitations and/or conditions of the actual policy contract of insurance. Policy forms will be made available upon request. We make no warranties with respect to policy limits or coverage considerations of the carrier.

#### **Compensation Disclosure**

- 1. Gallagher Companies are primarily compensated from the usual and customary commissions, fees or, where permitted, a combination of both, for brokerage and servicing of insurance policies, annuity contracts, guarantee contracts and surety bonds (collectively "insurance coverages") handled for a client's account, which may vary based on market conditions and the insurance product placed for the client.
- 2. In placing, renewing, consulting on or servicing your insurance coverages, Gallagher companies may participate in contingent and supplemental commission arrangements with intermediaries and insurance companies that provide for additional compensation if certain underwriting, profitability, volume or retention goals are achieved. Such goals are typically based on the total amount of certain insurance coverages placed by Gallagher with the insurance company, not on an individual policy basis. As a result, Gallagher may be considered to have an incentive to place your insurance coverages with a particular insurance company. If you do not wish to have your commercial insurance placement included in consideration for additional compensation, contact your producer or service team for an Opt-out form.
- 3. Gallagher Companies may receive investment income on fiduciary funds temporarily held by them, or from obtaining or generating premium finance quotes, unless prohibited by law.
- 4. Gallagher Companies may also access or have an ownership interest in other facilities, including wholesalers, reinsurance intermediaries, captive managers, underwriting managers and others that act as intermediaries for both Gallagher and other brokers in the insurance marketplace some of which may earn and retain customary brokerage commission and fees for their work.

If you have specific questions about any compensation received by Gallagher and its affiliates in relation to your insurance placements, please contact your Gallagher representative for more details.

In the event you wish to register a formal complaint regarding compensation Gallagher receives from insurers or third-parties, please contact Gallagher via e-mail at Compensation Complaints@ajg.com or by regular mail at:

Chief Compliance Officer Gallagher Global Brokerage Arthur J. Gallagher & Co. 2850 Golf Rd. Rolling Meadows, IL 60008

### TRIA/TRIPRA Disclaimer

If this proposal contains options to purchase TRIA/TRIPRA coverage, the proposed TRIA/TRIPRA program may not cover all terrorism losses. While the amendments to TRIA eliminated the distinction between foreign and domestic acts of terrorism, a number of lines of coverage excluded under the amendments passed in 2005 remain excluded including commercial automobile, burglary and theft insurance; surety insurance, farm owners multiple perils and professional liability (although directors and officers liability is specifically included). If such excluded coverages are required, we recommend that you consider purchasing a separate terrorism policy. Please note that a separate terrorism policy for these excluded coverages may be necessary to satisfy loan covenants or other contractual obligations. TRIPRA includes a \$100 billion cap on insurers' aggregate liability.

TRIPRA is set to expire on December 31, 2027. There is no certainty of extension, thus the coverage provided by your insurers may or may not extend beyond December 31, 2027. In the event you have loan covenants or other contractual obligations requiring that TRIA/TRIPRA be maintained throughout the duration of your policy period, we recommend that a separate ""Stand Alone"" terrorism policy be purchased to satisfy those obligations.



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#### **Terms and Conditions**

It is important that we clearly outline the nature of our mutual relationship. The following terms and conditions (these "Terms") govern your relationship with Gallagher unless you have separately entered into a written services agreement with Gallagher relative to the policies and services outlined in this Proposal, in which case that services agreement will govern and control with respect to any conflicts with these Terms. These Terms will become effective upon your execution of the Client Authorization to Bind Coverage (the "CAB") included in this Proposal and shall survive for the duration of your relationship with Gallagher relative to the policies placed pursuant to the CAB or otherwise at your request.

#### **Services**

Gallagher will represent and assist you in all discussions and transactions with insurance companies relating to the lines of insurance coverage set forth in the CAB and any other lines of insurance coverage with which you request Gallagher's assistance. Gallagher will consult with you regarding any matters involving these or other coverages for which you have engaged Gallagher. You have the sole discretion for approving any insurance policies placed, as well as all other material decisions involving your risk management, risk transfer and/or loss prevention needs.

Although you are responsible for notifying applicable insurance companies directly in connection with any claims, demands, suits, notices of potential claims or any other matters as required by the terms and conditions of your policies, Gallagher will assist you in determining applicable claim reporting requirements.

#### **Treatment of Information**

Gallagher understands the need to protect the confidentiality and security of your confidential and sensitive information and strives to comply with applicable data privacy and security laws. Your confidential and sensitive information will be protected by Gallagher and only used to perform services for you; provided that Gallagher may disclose and transfer your information to our affiliates, agents or vendors that have a need to know such information in connection with the provision of such services (including insurance markets, as necessary, for marketing, quoting, placing and/or servicing insurance coverages). We may also disclose such information as required by applicable data protection laws or the order of any court or tribunal, subject to our providing you with prior notice as permitted by law.

We will (i) implement appropriate administrative, physical and technical safeguards to protect personal information; (ii) timely report security incidents involving personal information to affected parties and/or regulatory bodies; (iii) create and maintain required policies and procedures; and (iv) comply with data subjects' rights, as applicable. To the extent applicable under associated data protection laws, you are a "business" or "controller" and Gallagher is a "service provider" or "data processor." You will ensure that any information provided to Gallagher has been provided with any required notices and that you have obtained all required consents, if any and where required, or are otherwise authorized to transfer all information to Gallagher and enable Gallagher to process the information for the purposes described in this Proposal and as set forth in Gallaher's Privacy Policy located at <a href="https://www.ajg.com/privacy-policy/">https://www.ajg.com/privacy-policy/</a>. Gallagher may update its Privacy Policy from time to time and any updates will be posted to such site.

#### **Dispute Resolution**

Gallagher does not expect that it will ever have a formal dispute with any of its clients. However, in the event that one should arise, we should each strive to achieve a fair, expedient and efficient resolution and we'd like to clearly outline the resolution process.

A. If the parties have a dispute regarding Gallagher's services or the relationship governed by this Proposal ("Dispute"), each party agrees to resolve that Dispute by mediation. If mediation fails to resolve the Dispute, you and Gallagher agree to binding arbitration. Each party waives all rights to commence litigation in court to resolve a Dispute, and specifically waives all rights to pursue relief by class action or mass action in court or through arbitration. However, the parties do not waive the ability to seek a court order of injunction in aid of the mediation and arbitration required by these Terms.

B. The party asserting a Dispute must provide a written notice ("Notice") of the claim to the other party and to the American Arbitration Association ("AAA") in accordance with its Commercial Arbitration Rules and Mediation Procedures. All Dispute resolutions will take place in Chicago, IL, unless you and Gallagher agree to another location. The parties will equally divide all costs of the mediation and arbitration proceedings and will each pay their own attorneys' fees. All matters will be before a neutral, impartial and disinterested mediator or arbitrator(s) that have at least 20 years' experience in commercial and insurance coverage disputes.

C. Mediation will occur within sixty (60) days of filing the Notice with the AAA. Mediation results will be reduced to a memorandum of understanding signed by you, Gallagher and the mediator. A Dispute that is not resolved in mediation will commence to binding arbitration. For Disputes in excess of \$500,000, either party may elect to have the Dispute heard by a panel of three (3) arbitrators. The award of the arbitrator(s) must be accompanied by a reasoned opinion prepared and signed by the arbitrator(s). Except as may be required by law, neither you, Gallagher, nor a mediator or arbitrator may disclose the existence, content or results of any Dispute or its dispute resolution proceeding without the prior written consent of both you and Gallagher.

### **Electronic Delivery**

In lieu of receiving documents in paper format, you agree, to the fullest extent permitted by law, to accept electronic delivery of any documents that Gallagher may be required to deliver to you (including, but not limited to, insurance policies and endorsements, account statements and all



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other agreements, forms and communications) in connection with services provided by Gallagher. Electronic delivery of a document to you may be made via electronic mail or by other electronic means, including posting documents to a secure website.

#### **Miscellaneous Terms**

Gallagher is engaged to perform services as an independent contractor and not as your employee or agent, and Gallagher will not be operating in a fiduciary capacity.

Where applicable, insurance coverage placements and other services may require the payment of federal excise taxes, surplus lines taxes, stamping or other fees to the Internal Revenue Service, various State(s) departments of revenue, state regulators, boards or associations. In such cases, you will be responsible for the payment of the taxes and/or fees, which Gallagher will separately identify on related invoices.

The Proposal and these Terms are governed by the laws of the State of Illinois, without regard to its conflict of law rules.

If an arbitrator/court of competent jurisdiction determines that any provision of these Terms is void or unenforceable, that provision will be severed, and the arbitrator/court will replace it with a valid and enforceable provision that most closely approximates the original intent, and the remainder of these Terms will remain in effect.

Except to the extent in conflict with a services agreement that you may enter into with Gallagher, these Terms and the remainder of the Proposal constitute the entire agreement between you and Gallagher with respect to the subject matter of the Proposal, and supersede all prior negotiations, agreements and understandings as to such matters.



**Client Signature Requirements** 



### Client Authorization to Bind Coverage

After careful consideration of Gallagher's proposal dated 11/16/2022, we accept the following coverage(s). Please check the desired coverage(s) and note any coverage amendments below:

	COVERAGE/CARRIER
□Accept □ Reject	Excess Workers Compensation
	Midwest Employers Casualty Company
TRIA Cannot Be Rejected	

**Fee Agreement:** In lieu of commission received by Gallagher for the Workers' Compensation policy term reflected herein, effective: 1/1/2023-24, Gallagher will receive a fee of: **\$6,798.00** for:

☐ Placement of Insurance Coverage

This fee IS NOT refundable, is fully earned by signing below, and is due and payable within thirty (30) days of such signing. Any placements that require the payment of additional state or federal taxes and/or fees are the client's responsibility.

By accepting this fee agreement, you agree and understand that it reflects services to be provided that have been discussed with and fully disclosed to you, and the above fee is consistent with your understanding. This agreement and any disputes that arise out of this fee agreement shall be governed by the laws of the state of Illinois.

### **Exposures and Values**

You confirm the payroll, values, schedules, and any other information pertaining to your operations, and submitted to the underwriters, were compiled from information provided by you. If no updates were provided to Gallagher, the values, exposures and operations used were based on the expiring policies. You acknowledge it is your responsibility to notify Gallagher of any material change in your operations or exposures.

### **Additional Terms and Disclosures**

Gallagher is not an expert in all aspects of your business. Gallagher's Proposals for insurance are based upon the information concerning your business that was provided to Gallagher by you. Gallagher expects the information you provide is true, correct and complete in all material respects. Gallagher assumes no responsibility to independently investigate the risks that may be facing your business, but rather have relied upon the information you provide to Gallagher in making our insurance Proposals.

Gallagher's liability to you arising from any of Gallagher's acts or omissions will not exceed \$20 million in the aggregate. The parties each will only be liable for actual damages incurred by the other party, and will not be liable for any indirect, special, exemplary, consequential, reliance or punitive damages. No claim or cause of action, regardless of form (tort, contract, statutory, or otherwise), arising out of, relating to or in any way connected with the Proposal, any of Gallagher's services or your relationship with Gallagher may be brought by either party any later than two (2) years after the accrual of the claim or cause of action.

Gallagher has established security controls to protect Client confidential information from unauthorized use or disclosure. For additional information, please review Gallagher's Privacy Policy located at <a href="https://www.ajg.com/privacy-policy/">https://www.ajg.com/privacy-policy/</a>.



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You have read, understand and agree that the information contained in the Proposal and all documents attached to and incorporated into the Proposal, is correct and has been disclosed to you prior to authorizing Gallagher to bind coverage and/or provide services to you. By signing below, or authorizing Gallagher to bind your insurance coverage through email when allowed, you acknowledge you have reviewed and agree with terms, conditions and disclosures contained in the Proposal.

Print Name (Specify	Title)		
Company		 	
Signature		 	



**Appendix** 



# Bindable Quotations & Compensation Disclosure Schedule

Client Name: Whatcom County

COVERAGE(S)	CARRIER NAME(S)	WHOLESALER, MGA, OR INTERMEDIARY NAME <sup>1</sup>	EST. ANNUAL PREMIUM <sup>2</sup>	COMM.% OR FEE <sup>3</sup>	GALLAGHER U.S. OWNED WHOLESALER, MGA, OR INTERMEDIARY %
Excess Workers Compensation	Midwest Employers Casualty Company (W. R. Berkley Group )	N/A	\$100,792.00	0 %	
Broker Fee				\$6,798.00	

<sup>1</sup> We were able to obtain more advantageous terms and conditions for you through an intermediary/ wholesaler.

<sup>2</sup> If the premium is shown as an indication: The premium indicated is an estimate provided by the market. The actual premium and acceptance of the coverage requested will be determined by the market after a thorough review of the completed application.

<sup>\*</sup> A verbal quotation was received from this carrier. We are awaiting a quotation in writing.

<sup>3</sup> The commission rate is a percentage of annual premium excluding taxes & fees.

<sup>\*</sup> Gallagher is receiving \_\_\_\_% commission on this policy. The fee due Gallagher will be reduced by the amount of the commissions received.



## Claims Reporting By Policy

**Immediately report all claims.** Each insurer requires notice of certain types of claims depending on the potential exposure or particular injury types. It is important to thoroughly review your policy to ensure you are reporting particular incidents and claims, based upon the insurer's policy requirements.

If you are using a third party administrator ("TPA"), your TPA may or may not report claims to an insurer on your behalf. Although we will assist you where requested, it is important that you understand whether your TPA will be completing this notification.

### Reporting Direct to Carrier [Only When Applicable]

COVERAGE(S): Excess Workers Compensation	IMMEDIATELY REPORT CLAIMS DIRECTLY TO:
Insurer: Midwest Employers Casualty Company	Insurer/TPA Name: Midwest Employers Casualty Company
Policy Term: 01/01/2023 to 01/01/2024	

### Reporting to Gallagher or Assistance in Reporting

COVERAGE(S):	IMMEDIATELY REPORT CLAIMS DIRECTLY TO:
Gallagher Claim Center	Phone: 855-497-0578
Policy Number:	Fax: 225-663-3224
Policy Term:	Email: ggb.nrcclaimscenter@ajg.com

# Gallagher STEP







### Reduce Your Risk and Simplify Training

Safety training programs and educational materials for employees are critical for reducing accidents, increasing retention, and minimizing your total cost of risk now and in the future.

Gallagher Safety Training Education Platform (STEP) is our proprietary learning management system (LMS) that supports your safety program, provides real-time access to your loss control plans and keeps employees up to date with the latest safety standards.

### **Key Benefits of Gallagher STEP**

- Register for up to 10 complimentary modules every year from a library of over 100 training and safety shorts. In addition, monthly bulletins are available, covering topics such as general and environmental safety, human resources, and health and wellness.
- Save valuable time by assigning employee training and monitoring their latest progress and completion.
- **Simplify** the process of training to stay in compliance and avoid costly penalties.
- Onboard and train an unlimited number of users while enhancing your overall risk control program.
- Customize your platform with your company's logo, training content and modules tailored to your business, and personalized procedures and forms for an added fee.

### **Most Popular Training Modules**

- Sexual Harassment and Discrimination
- · Slip, Trip and Fall Training
- Electrical Safety Training
- Back Safety Training
- Bloodborne Pathogens
- · Safe Lifting Practices
- · Defensive Driving Basics
- Fire Prevention Basics
- Personal Protective Equipment
- GHS Hazard Communication















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### Sample of Available Training Modules and Safety Shorts

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### **Human Resources Training**

- · Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA)
- · California Ethics
- California Sexual Harassment & Discrimination— Employees (English and Spanish)
- California Sexual Harassment and Discrimination
   —Supervisors (English and Spanish)
- Connecticut Sexual Harassment Prevention and Response
- Diversity
- Drug-Free Workplace—Supervisor
- · Ethics in Action
- Fair and Accurate Credit Transaction Act (FACTA)
- Family Medical Leave Act (FMLA)
- · Interviewing Strategies

- Job Applications
- Maine Sexual Harassment Prevention and Response
- Personnel Files
- Sensitivity Basics: Creating Positive Working Relationships
- Sexual Harassment and Discrimination—Employees
- Sexual Harassment and Discrimination—Supervisors
- New York City Sexual Harassment and Discrimination—Employees (English and Spanish)
- New York City Sexual Harassment and Discrimination—Supervisors (English and Spanish)

- New York State Sexual Harassment and Discrimination—Employees (English and Spanish)
- New York State Sexual Harassment and Discrimination—Supervisors (English and Spanish)
- Smart Hiring
- Smart Risk Management—Core Principles
- Theft
- · Unsafe Acts
- · Violence Prevention
- · Workers Compensation Essentials
- Workplace Investigations Basics
- · Wrongful Termination

### **Safety Training**

- · Accident Investigation Techniques
- Asbestos Awareness (General Industry)
- · Basic Conveyor Safety
- Bloodborne Pathogens (English and Spanish)
- Creating a Safe Holiday Celebration
- Common Fire and Life Safety Hazards
- Continuity of Operations Planning
- Defensive Driving—Accident Scene Management
- Defensive Driving—Backing Safely, R is for Reverse
- Defensive Driving Basics—Part I (English and Spanish)
- Defensive Driving—Changing Lanes Safely
- Defensive Driving—Driving Safely in School Zones
- Defensive Driving—General Auto Risk Management
- Defensive Driving—Intersections
- Defensive Driving—Reducing Deer-Related Incidents
- Defensive Driving—Safe Following Distance

- Defensive Driving—Spring Weather Conditions
- Defensive Driving—Winter Weather Conditions
- · Determining the Root Cause of Accidents
- Disaster Planning 101
- Electrical Safety (English and Spanish)
- Ladder Safety
- Employee and Family Disaster Planning
- Evacuation Planning and Procedures
- Fire Prevention Practices (English and Spanish)
- Forklift Safety Basics for General Industry
- Hazard Communication (English and Spanish)
- · Hearing Protection
- Housekeeping—Custodial, Safe Housekeeping Practices
- Identifying Strain and Exertion Exposures (English and Spanish)
- · Lead-Based Paint
- · Lockdown Procedures
- · Lockout/Tagout (English and Spanish)
- Machine Guarding (English and Spanish)

- Means of Egress (English and Spanish)
- Mold
- · Office Ergonomics Defined
- · Office Ergonomics—Working in Comfort
- Office Workstation Safety
- Office Workstation Safety for Supervisors
- Personal Protective Equipment (English and Spanish)
- · Portable Fire Extinguishers I
- Portable Fire Extinguishers II
- Power Tool Safety
- Preparation for Physical Activity
- Preventing Back Injuries (English and Spanish)
- Preventing Slips, Trips and Falls (English and Spanish)
- Preventing Injuries When Lifting, Moving and Transferring Residents
- Safety Pays for Life
- Temp Staffing Services. Employee Safety Orientation (English and Spanish)

### **Safety Shorts**

Two safety shorts are considered one module selection.

- · Bloodborne Pathogens
- Electrical Safety
- · Emergency Procedures
- · Fire Prevention and Protection
- Hand and Power Tools
- · Hazard Communication
- Housekeeping/Custodial—Before You Start
- Housekeeping/Custodial—Cleaning by Hand
- · Housekeeping/Custodial-Emptying Trash

- Housekeeping/Custodial—Mopping and Emptying Buckets
- Housekeeping/Custodial—Preventing Slips, Trips and Falls
- Housekeeping—General
- · Ladder Safety
- · Lockout/Tagout
- · Personal Protective Equipment
- Safe Lifting Practices
- Slip, Trip and Fall

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