Regina A. Delahunt, Director Greg Stern, M.D., Health Officer

WHATCOM COUNTY Health Department



MEMORANDUM

TO: Jack Louws, County Executive

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FROM: Regina A. Delahunt, Director

RE: Pioneer Human Services – CJTA Substance Use Disorder Assessment

Contract Amendment #1

DATE: October 25, 2019

Enclosed are two (2) originals of a contract amendment between Whatcom County and Pioneer Human Services for your review and signature.

Background and Purpose

This contract funds substance use disorder (SUD) assessments and post-assessment treatment coordination as a component of re-entry for inmates who are releasing from the Whatcom County Jail. The goal is to provide eligible inmates with smooth transitions to community inpatient or outpatient treatment. The purpose of this amendment is to revise reporting and eligibility requirements and renew the contract for an additional year.

Funding Amount and Source

The source of funding for this contract is the Criminal Justice Treatment Account (CJTA) through the Washington State Health Care Authority. Total compensation for this contract will vary depending on the number of services provided. It is estimated that the contract will be funded at \$60,000 in 2020. These funds will be included in the 2020 budget. Council approval is required as funding is expected to exceed the approved budget.

Please contact Kathleen Roy at extension #6007 if you have any questions regarding this agreement.

Encl.

