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

# WHATCOM COUNTY Health Department



#### **MEMORANDUM**

TO:

Jack Louws, County Executive

AND

FROM:

Regina A. Delahunt, Director

RE:

Lydia Place – Housing Case Management Contract Amendment #5

DATE:

November 5, 2019

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

#### Background and Purpose

This contract funds the provision of housing case management services in association with the Whatcom Homeless Service Center. The purpose of this contract is to provide case management and supportive services to those individuals experiencing homelessness or who are newly housed, in order to improve housing stability and reduce homelessness in Whatcom County. This amendment renews the contract for an additional year and adds rental assistance funding for Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH) for Chronically Homeless Families with Children and associated requirements from the Washington State Department of Commerce, Consolidated Homeless Grant (CHG).

### Funding Amount and Source

Funding for this contract, in an amount not to exceed \$213,770, is provided by local document recording fees and the CHG. These funds will be included in the 2020 budget. Council approval is required as funding exceeds 10% of the approved budget.

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

Encl.

