# WHATCOM COUNTY PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

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#### **MEMORANDUM**

TO: The Honorable Jack Louws, County Executive for the Whatcom County Flood Control

Zone District (FCZD)

Honorable Members of the Whatcom County FCZD Board of Supervisors

THROUGH: Jon Hutchings, Public Works Directory

FROM: Gary Stoyka, Natural Resources Manager

Erika Douglas, Senior Planner

**DATE:** November 15, 2019

RE: Interlocal Agreement with the Whatcom Conservation District for Pollution

Identification and Correction (PIC) Program Non-Dairy Agriculture Outreach and

Financial Assistance

Please find enclosed for your review and signature two (2) originals of an interlocal agreement between Whatcom County Flood Control Zone District and the Whatcom Conservation District in the amount of \$55,000 to provide community outreach and cost-share to support the Pollution Identification and Correction (PIC) Program.

## **Requested Action**

Public Works respectfully requests that the County Executive, acting for the Whatcom County Flood Control Zone District (FCZD) Board of Supervisors, execute the attached interlocal agreement.

## **Background and Purpose**

This interlocal agreement will provide funding to the Whatcom Conservation District to implement community outreach activities and manage the financial assistance and incentives program for landowners and operators with non-dairy agricultural operations in Whatcom County PIC areas.

## **Funding Amount and Source**

This interlocal agreement with the Whatcom Conservation District will provide \$55,000 to support the non-dairy agriculture component of the Whatcom County PIC program through a partnership with the Whatcom Conservation District. This agreement will be funded through the 2020 FCZD budget for Public Works- Natural Resources programs.

Please contact Erika Douglas at extension 6294 or Gary Stoyka at extension 6218, if you have any questions or concerns regarding the terms of this agreement.

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