



MEMORANDUM

TO: Satpal Sidhu, Executive
FROM: Erika Lautenbach, Director
RE: Washington State Department of Ecology –
2021-2023 Community Litter Cleanup Program Grant
DATE: June 29, 2021

Attached is an agreement between Whatcom County and Washington State Department of Ecology for your review and signature.

▪ **Background and Purpose**

The Community Litter Cleanup Program Grant funds the County's activities related to the removal of litter and illegally discarded materials from public lands. Whatcom County has participated in this program since 1998. These funds support the County Public Works Department's Adopt-a-Road Program and correctional work crew response to illegal dumping and litter clean-up along County roads, parks and beaches.

▪ **Funding Amount and Source**

The 2021-2023 grant provides \$71,100 from the Department of Ecology. Council approval is required per RCW 39.34.030(2) for agreements between public agencies.

▪ **Differences from Previous Contracts**

This agreement increases funding by \$4,100 and otherwise includes no significant changes to the scope of work from the agreement that ends on 6/30/2021 (WC Contract #201907031).

Please contact John Wolpers, Environmental Health Manager at 360-778-6026 (JWolpers@co.whatcom.wa.us) or Kathleen Roy, Assistant Director at 360-778-6007 (KRoy@co.whatcom.wa.us), if you have any questions or concerns regarding this request.

