



Finance, Budget and Administration

Jim Martin

Council Initiated:

Yes

No

ECAF: 2023-1038

Motion: 23-407

Type:

- Contract
- Board Appt.
- Code Amendment
- Budget Action
- Other

Requested Handling:

- Normal
- Expedite
- Urgent

Fund Source:

- General Fund
- Other
- N/A

Executive Rec:

- Approve
- Do Not Approve
- N/A

Approved as to

Form:

- Yes
- No
- N/A

Subject: Award of Workforce Project Funds to Cares of Washington.

Scope: This motion approves the agreement between Snohomish County and Cares of Washington to provide assistance to unemployed or underemployed workers. The project provides wrap-around coaching services to individuals with income at or under 300% of the Federal Poverty Level, individuals with behavioral health challenges, individuals with disabilities, and non-native English speakers that are entering and/or working in Snohomish County manufacturing, aerospace, and construction industries. The program focuses on helping clients reach stability as it pertains to housing, health, employment, safety, financial, and family.

Duration: Execution through December 31, 2024.

Fiscal Impact: Current Year Multi-Year N/A

Expenditures	Current Year	2024	2025	2026	2027	Total
130.57504506784101	\$128,672					\$128,672
						0
Total's	\$128,672	0	0	0	0	\$128,672

Revenue	Current Year	2024	2025	2026	2027	Total
						0
						0
Total's	0	0	0	0	0	0

Authority Granted: Authorizes the County Executive to execute the contract.

Background: Covid-19 caused significant workforce impacts in Snohomish County and local employment has yet to return to pre-pandemic levels. Snohomish County seeks to support a menu of workforce development, job placement, and youth career exploration programs with appropriate supportive services for un- and under-employed individuals.

Requested Action: Move to GLS on September 27th for consideration.