



Health and Community Services

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Council Initiated:

Yes

No

ECAF: 2025-3153

Motion: 25-443

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: Acting Health Officer Coverage – Tacoma-Pierce County Health Department – Interlocal Agreement

Scope: Under the contract, the Snohomish County and Tacoma-Pierce County Health Officer's will provided coverage for each other and serve as the acting Health Officer for the other county when there is an absence (whether they are physically unavailable or if the officer is away from the County when it is imperative for health officer advice) and coverage is requested by the Health Department Administrator.

Duration: One year from execution

Fiscal Impact: Current Year Multi-Year N/A

None – as coverage goes both ways, neither party will exchange funds under the agreement.

Authority Granted: Authorizes the Executive to execute the agreement.

Background: The Snohomish County Health Department regularly enters into agreements with other Health Department/Districts as allowed under [RCW 70.05.080](#) to ensure continuity of services. Prior contracts for this services have been with the [Washington State Department of Health](#) and [Whatcom County](#).

Requested Action: Move to GLS tomorrow, October 15th for consideration.