## **PIGGYBACK AWARD RECOMMENDATION**

<u>To</u> : Council Chair <u>Through</u> : Dave Somers, County Executive	<u>Date</u> : 3/6/2025
From: Bill Thornton, Purchasing Manager	Bidding Agency: Washington State
General Legislative Session: March 26, 2025	Agency's Bid No: Contract 20122
Product: Correctional Industries Furniture	Agency's Bid Term: 2024-2028
Requestor/User Department: Facilities & Fleet	Recommended Supplier: Correctional Industries
Estimated Award Amount: \$2,000,000	Proposed Piggyback Term: Four (4) years

## **BRIEF DESCRIPTION:**

The Facilities & Fleet Department requests the use of a "piggyback" or "cooperative purchase" under SCC 3.04.220 utilizing a competitive bid issued and awarded by the Office of Washington State Department of Enterprise Services (DES). An interlocal (ILA) agreement between Snohomish County and the State of Washington authorizing cooperative purchases was approved by the County Council under Motion 24-323 and is currently in effect.

DES has entered into contract #20122 with the Correctional Industries division of the Department of Corrections as authorized by RCW 39.26. Accordingly, to support state and local agency purchases of goods and services, DES develops or establishes enterprise procurement solutions that may be used cost-effectively and efficiently by all agencies of the state. This procurement contained categories of furniture, safety products, apparel, and other supplies. The County Facilities & Fleet Department requires furniture and other products contained in this DES contract to furnish its existing facilities and also furnish the New Start Centers of Edmonds and Everett. Ongoing purchases will be made to facilitate the complete furnishing of both Centers. Issuing a county bid is not expected to result in a more cost-effective supplier.

## AWARD AUTHORITY:

This contract award recommendation is before the County Council for approval to award in accordance with Snohomish County Code section 3.04.120, "Formal sealed bidding," and Section 3.04.140(5) "Award, execution, by whom," which establish the County Council as the award authority for contracts subject to bidding requirements greater than \$500,000.

## AWARD RECOMMENDATION:

The Director of Facilities & Fleet endorses the award recommendation.

The Purchasing Manager has electronically reviewed and recommends this award on ECAF 2025-1027. The County Executive has electronically reviewed and recommends this award on ECAF 2025-1027.

3/26/2025 Council Chair Date