

SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL
Snohomish County, Washington

MOTION NO. 24-352

APPROVAL OF A BUDGET TRANSFER FROM NON-DEPARTMENTAL GRANT
CONTROL FUND 130 TO PROSECUTING ATTORNEY'S FUND 130
FOR ASSISTED OUTPATIENT TREATMENT (AOT) PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the Prosecuting Attorney's Office (PAO), in partnership with the North Sound Behavioral Health Administrative Services Organization (BH-ASO), Snohomish County Superior Court, and others, seeks to expand the delivery of directed services to individuals experiencing behavioral health crises with the creation of an Assisted Outpatient Treatment (AOT) Court; and

WHEREAS, AOT delivers community-based mental health services under court order to individuals with a behavioral health disorder who are unlikely to survive safely in the community without supervision and the person's condition is substantially deteriorating; and

WHEREAS, AOT is a practice designed to improve treatment outcomes for people with behavioral health disorders who without treatment are likely to experience a relapse or deterioration that would result in grave disability or a likelihood of serious harm; and

WHEREAS, the AOT Court will serve individuals who have a history of lack of compliance with treatment for their behavioral health disorders and are otherwise eligible for an array of outpatient services to address their mental health challenges; and

WHEREAS, the North Sound BH-ASO will provide a grant of \$10,000 for the remainder of the 2024 calendar year, and a total grant of \$35,000 over the 2024-2025 fiscal year (October 1, 2024, through September 30, 2025), to support the PAO's ITA Deputy Prosecuting Attorneys for their time and effort handling AOT Court cases; and

WHEREAS, while the demand for AOT services remains unclear at present, the PAO and North Sound BH-ASO anticipate the demand to warrant the continuation of this funding after the first year; and

WHEREAS, there is sufficient appropriation authority within Grant Control Fund 130; and

WHEREAS, this action will move the expenditure authority from the Pending Grants Program 460 to the appropriate revenue and expenditure DACs in Fund 130, AOT Program 532;

NOW, THEREFORE, ON MOTION, the Snohomish County Council takes the following action pursuant to SCC 4.26.130:

DAC	DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
130.316 460 6990	Other Misc Revenue	\$10,000
130.307 31 532 0690	AOT NSBH-ASO Grant	-\$10,000
130.516 460 4982	Pending Grants	-\$10,000
130.507 31 532 4101	AOT Professional Svcs	\$10,000
	Net change to Fund 130	\$0


DATED this 23rd day of October, 2024.

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Council Chair

ATTEST:



Deputy Clerk of the Council