


WHATCOM COUNTY COUNCIL AGENDA BILL

NO. 2018-151

CLEARANCES	Initial	Date	Date Received in Council Office	Agenda Date	Assigned to:
Originator:	PP	04/15		05/08	Introduction
Division Head:	PPD	4/24/18		05/22	Finance/Council
Dept. Head:					
Prosecutor:	RB	04/20			
Purchasing/Budget:	KF	04/18			
Executive:	TLS	4/30/18			

TITLE OF DOCUMENT:
Establishing the Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities Special Revenue Fund

ATTACHMENTS:
Ordinance Establishing the Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities Special Revenue Fund

SEPA review required? () Yes () NO	Should Clerk schedule a hearing? () Yes () NO
SEPA review completed? () Yes () NO	Requested Date:

SUMMARY STATEMENT OR LEGAL NOTICE LANGUAGE: *(If this item is an ordinance or requires a public hearing, you must provide the language for use in the required public notice. Be specific and cite RCW or WCC as appropriate. Be clear in explaining the intent of the action.)*

Ordinance to establish a Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities Special Revenue Fund to track and account for revenues received through the Washington State levy for people with developmental disabilities or in need of mental health services.

COMMITTEE ACTION:	COUNCIL ACTION: 5/8/2018: Introduced 6-0
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Related County Contract #:	Related File Numbers:	Ordinance or Resolution Number:
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JACK LOUWS
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

MEMORANDUM

TO: Jack Louws, County Executive
FROM: Regina A. Delahunt, Director ^{DAD}
DATE: April 26, 2018
SUBJECT: *Establishing the Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities Special Revenue Fund*

Please find attached an ordinance to create a Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities Special Revenue Fund. This fund will be used to track and account for restricted and committed revenues received through the established Washington State levy for people with developmental disabilities or in need of mental health services in accordance with RCW 71.20.100.

Please call Patty Proctor at x6015 if there are any questions. Thank you.

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PROPOSED BY: Health
INTRODUCTION DATE: 5/8/2018

ORDINANCE NO. _____

**ESTABLISHING THE MENTAL HEALTH AND DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES
SPECIAL REVENUE FUND**

WHEREAS, The State of Washington established a tax levy funding additional services for people with developmental disabilities or in need of mental health services. (RCW 71.20.110)

WHEREAS, the Health Department needs a special revenue fund to account for restricted and committed revenues which will be used to fund developmental disability or mental health programs.

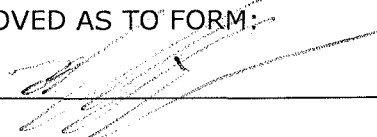
WHEREAS, the Health Department needs a separate fund to separately track and account for these revenues until the funds can be properly expended.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Whatcom County Council that a new special revenue fund is hereby established titled the "Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities Fund". This new fund shall be dedicated to tracking restricted and committed revenues for mental health and developmental disabilities programs according to RCW 71.20.100 and County Council requirements.

ADOPTED this ____ day of _____, 20____.

ATTEST:

Dana Brown-Davis, Clerk of the Council

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


Civil Deputy Prosecutor

WHATCOM COUNTY COUNCIL
WHATCOM COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Rud Browne, Council Chair

WHATCOM COUNTY EXECUTIVE
WHATCOM COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Jack Louws, County Executive

() Approved () Denied

Date Signed: _____