

**Kittitas County  
Board of County Commissioners**

**Agenda Staff Report**

**Agenda Date:** October date TBD

**Action Requested:** County commissioners approve Federal Block Grant contracts (Kittitas MHBG 10/11-00) from Great Columbia Behavioral Health for specified period of the contract. October, 1 2010 to September 30,2011

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**Background:** County signs contract (Mental Health Block Grant) with GCBH for ongoing funding which reimburse Central Washington Comprehensive Mental Health (CWCMH) for providing mental health services in the county. This contract is renewed every one (1) year or when amended. These contracts allow for the funding of mental health services (non Medicaid or service not cover by Medicaid) for the specified period of the contract. A county commissioner is on the GCBH Board representing Kittitas County.

**Recommendation:** Approve and sign contract

**Interaction** Judy Pless, Financial Manager Kittitas County and Kittitas County Attorney

**Handling:** County keeps 1 original of each contract (there are three separate contracts. Second originals (there are three separate contracts) returned to Harry Kramer Ph.D. to be sent to GCBH

**Attachments:** Original contracts and 6 copies

**Lead Staff** **Harry Kramer Ph.D. Director Kittitas Division CWCMH 925-9861**  
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