# Kittitas County Public Health Office

# **Agenda Staff Report**

# **AGENDA DATE:**

02/18/2014

# **ACTION REQUESTED:**

The Board of County Commissioners' approves the Resolution to authorize the execution of Interagency Agreement between The Washington State Department of Ecology and The Kittitas County Public Health Department. The health department would also like the BOCC approval on the attached budget amendment. (Effective dates: January 1, 2014 through January 1, 2015)

#### **BACKGROUND:**

The Interagency Agreement between Kittitas County Public Health Department and Department of Ecology to develop an Air Quality Advisory Committee, assess the reasons for burning, educate the community in a way that resonates, and reduce the overall PM2.5 "bad air days" in Kittitas County.

# **INTERACTION:**

Kittitas County Board of Health: The Interagency Agreement between The Washington State Department of Ecology and The Kittitas County Public Health Department-air quality is on the February 26, 2014 agenda.

Kittitas County Prosecutors: The Kittitas County Prosecutor's Office reviewed and approved the Interagency Agreement between The Washington State Department of Ecology and The Kittitas County Public Health Department for air quality.

Kittitas County Auditors: The Kittitas County Auditor's Office reviewed and approved the Interagency Agreement between The Washington State Department of Ecology and The Kittitas County Public Health Department for air quality.

# **RECOMMENDATION:**

The Board of County Commissioners' approves the Resolution to authorize the execution of Interagency Agreement between The Washington State Department of Ecology and The Kittitas County Public Health Department. It would also be recommended that the BOCC approved the budget amendment attached. (Effective dates: January 1, 2014 through January 1, 2015)

### **HANDLING:**

Clerk of the board send notice of the approval to the Kittitas County Auditor's Office

# **LEAD STAFF:**

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