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Jennifer Phillips, City Manager City of Bothell 18415 101st Avenue NE Bothell, WA 98011

Dear Ms. Philips,

This letter serves as notification that the funding for the Response Awareness De-escalation and Referral (RADAR, CD-18) MOA, provided by the MIDD Behavioral Health Tax, is being reduced by \$500,000 due to the COVID-19 pandemic stay at home measures' impact on sales tax revenue.

We recognize that the RADAR program has substantial under-expenditures in its biennial budget, however if there are factors that suggest that this funding reduction is significantly out of line with current spending projections, please let us know by close of business on June 12, 2020.

Please feel free to contact me with questions.

Sincerely,

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Kelli Nomura, Division Director

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