RESOLUTION 2025-06-03

A RESOLUTION thanking the Cowlitz Indian Tribe for its timely and generous donation benefiting Columbia River Mental Health Services and the mental health community of Clark County.

WHEREAS, Columbia River Mental Health Services provides essential services to southwest Washington; and

WHEREAS, such services include treatment for opioid use disorders at the NorthStar Clinic, serving 850 patients; and

WHEREAS, on March 24, 2025, Columbia River Mental Health Services experienced a financial crisis and announced closure of such essential services, including at North Star Clinic; and

WHEREAS, the Cowlitz Indian Tribe, on April 3, 2025, donated \$1.6 million to Columbia River Mental Health Services enabling the agency to continue service at the NorthStar Clinic;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CLARK COUNTY COUNCIL:

That the Clark County Council, on behalf of all Clark County residents, thanks the Cowlitz Indian Tribe for its generous and timely donation.

Signed this 17th day of June, 2025

COUNTY COUNCIL
CLARK COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Attest:

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