

**KITSAP COUNTY MENTAL HEALTH, CHEMICAL DEPENDENCY
AND THERAPEUTIC COURT PROGRAMS**

**REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL TIMELINE 2015
1/10th of 1% SALES AND USE TAX FUNDS**

Date	Activity
September 24, 2014	RFP Sub-committee meeting
November 6, 2014	RFP Sub-committee meeting
November 18, 2014	CAC Meeting
December 16, 2014	Joint CAC/SPT Meeting (Consensus on Request for Proposal & Schedule)
January 20, 2015	CAC Meeting (Approve Request For Proposal & Schedule)
January 26, 2015	Request For Proposal Released
February 6, 2015	Proposers Conference – 1:30 p.m. Kitsap County Commissioners Chambers, 619 Division St, Pt Orchard
February 09, 2015	Presentation at the Board of Commissioners Meeting
February 10, 2015	Notes and Q&A From Proposers Conference Posted
March 25, 2015	RFP Applications Due by 3:00 P.M.
March 30 - April 10, 2015	Application Reviews
April 6 - 10, 2015	CAC Convenes to Discuss Proposals and Develop Questions
April 13 - 17, 2015	Applicant Question and Answer Sessions
April 21, 2015	CAC Meeting (Develop Recommendations for BOCC)
April 29, 2015	Make funding recommendations to BOC (Work Study)
May 11, 2015	BOC Acts on Funding Recommendations – Public Meeting
May 2015	Contract Negotiations
June 2015	BOC Approves Contracts
July 1, 2015	Program Year Begins

Note – All dates are subject to change – Updated May 2015

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REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL SUMMARY**

1/10th of 1% Sales and Use Tax Funds

The Kitsap County Human Services Department is requesting proposals for mental health, chemical dependency and therapeutic court programs and services (including but not limited to, treatment services, case management, and housing that are a component of a coordinated chemical dependency or mental health treatment program or service) and for the operation or delivery of therapeutic court programs or services. Approximately \$3,000,000 will be awarded for projects or program services delivered between July 1, 2015 and June 30, 2016. **Proposal Deadline: March 25, 2015 at 3:00 p.m.**

Background: In 2005, Washington State approved legislation allowing counties to raise their local sales tax by one-tenth of one percent to augment state funding of mental health and chemical dependency programs and services. In September 2013, the Kitsap County Board of Commissioners passed a resolution authorizing a sales and use tax for Mental Health, Chemical Dependency and Therapeutic Court Programs. The goal of this tax is to prevent and reduce the impacts of disabling chemical dependency and mental illness by creating and investing in effective, data driven programs for a continuum of recovery-oriented systems of care.

Scope of Work: Proposals for mental health, chemical dependency and therapeutic court programs along a continuum of care including prevention, intervention, treatment and recovery support services must address the recommendations for funding improvements to the County wide infrastructure for behavioral health treatment programs and services identified in the Kitsap County Behavioral Health Strategic Plan. The Strategic Plan can be found at <http://www.kitsapgov.com/hs/mhsa/8reports.htm>.

Kitsap County Continuum of Care: For purposes of this Request for Proposal, Kitsap County has established the following continuum of care to address the behavioral health needs of the County.

- Behavioral Health Prevention, Early Intervention and Training
- Crisis Intervention/Triage Services
- Outpatient Care – Psychiatry, Medical and Medication Management, Counseling Services
- Medical and Sub-Acute Detoxification Services
- Acute Inpatient Care Services
- Recovery Support Services

This Request For Proposal is available on the Internet at <http://www.kitsapgov.com/purchasing/bids.htm> or by contacting Colby Wattling at: Kitsap County Purchasing Department, 614 Division Street MS-7, Port Orchard, Washington 98366, Phone: 360.337.7036, Fax 360.337.4638, Email: cwattling@co.kitsap.wa.us. The Kitsap County Human Services Department reserves the right to make unilateral modifications to this RFP to address changes on the state and/or local level. Questions about the RFP and related issues should be directed to Colby Wattling at the address and phone number above.