

**INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT  
CITY OF BELLINGHAM - BELLINGHAM SCHOOL DISTRICT #501  
PURCHASING OF SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT**

*1998-0289*

**WHEREAS**, the City of Bellingham and Bellingham School District #501 each desire to make purchases, from time to time, from contracts the other has secured as a result of competitive bidding; and,

**WHEREAS**, RCW 39.34 permits governmental agencies to contract with one another for purposes of their mutual benefit,

**NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS UNDERSTOOD AND MUTUALLY AGREED AS FOLLOWS:**

1. The City of Bellingham and Bellingham School District #501 each agree to extend to the other the benefits of contracts entered into for the purchase of supplies and equipment, on the terms and conditions set forth herein.
2. Notwithstanding the date of execution of this Agreement, it shall be effective beginning September 1, 1998 and shall continue in effect until terminated by one party of the other. Either party may terminate this Agreement by written notice to the other, effective immediately upon receipt or such notice or three days after the date thereof, whichever occurs later.
3. Purchases may be made (a) from one party acting as agent for the other or (b) directly from the vendor. In the latter event, the purchasing (not the "bidding" party) takes sole responsibility for administration of the purchasing contract, quality and delivery of goods, payment, and the like.
4. Each party shall comply in all respects with local and State laws and regulations regarding public bidding applicable to it, and further shall indicate on notices to bidders that bid policies shall be made available to the other party or parties, as the case may be. Each party agrees to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the other regarding allegations that such party has not complied with such laws and regulations.

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Nancy Gerner  
Bellingham School District  
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**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, this Agreement is duly executed as follows:

Date: September 8, 1998

**BELLINGHAM SCHOOL DISTRICT #501**

**CITY OF BELLINGHAM**

  
Nancy Gerner

  
Mark Asmundson, Mayor

**ATTEST:**

  
Finance Director

**DEPARTMENTAL APPROVAL:**

  
**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

  
Office of the City Attorney

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