

STATE OF WASHINGTON DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND FAMILIES OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

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Tara Smith, Director Department of Enterprise Services PO Box 41401 Olympia, WA 98504-1401

RE: Emergency Security Camera Purchase

Green Hill School (GHS) has made an Emergency Purchase for additional security camera coverage for the facility at a cost of \$64,000. There has been an increase of contraband and drugs coming onto the campus in the last several months, as well as a critical incident a month ago which resulted in a resident being airlifted to Harborview. There are many blind spots that have been identified. The cameras will provide additional monitoring to reduce contraband and drug distribution across the campus as well as other activities. This is a health and safety issue for both residents and staff.

If you have any questions, please contact Renee Long at 360-740-3443

Sincerely,

Ross Hunter Secretary

Sent via email