

CLEARANCES	Initial	Date	Date Received in Council Office:	Agenda date	Assigned to:
Originator: Ken Henderson				9/5/95	County Council
Division Head:				9/19/95	Council
Dept. Head:					
Prosecutor:	D.G.	9/11/95			
Purchasing/Budget:					
Executive:					

**SUBJECT:** Resolution Establishing a Committee to Review Human Services in Whatcom County.

**ATTACHMENTS:**

**SUMMARY STATEMENT:** *Please complete sections of box as appropriate & explain the item below.*

Related County contract #:	Should Clerk schedule a hearing? NO / / YES / / Requested date:
Amount budgeted for this item/project:	Is it (or will it be) within budget? YES / / NO / / (Please explain below)
Budget line item number(s):	

**ORIGINATOR'S RECOMMENDED ACTION:**

**COUNCIL ACTION TAKEN:**

9/5/95: Introduced

9/19/95: Approved as Amended 6-0

**Related File Numbers:**

**Ordinance or Resolution Number (this item only):**

SPONSORED BY: Consent

PROPOSED BY: HENDERSON

INTRODUCTION DATE: 9/5/95

1 RESOLUTION NO. 95-060

2 ESTABLISHING A COMMITTEE TO REVIEW HUMAN  
3 SERVICES IN WHATCOM COUNTY

4 WHEREAS, the Whatcom County Council desires that there be adequate human  
5 services for all citizens in Whatcom County; and

6 WHEREAS, there is a variety of entities providing social services to Whatcom  
7 County Residents; and

8 WHEREAS, efficient and effective use of social services funding will provide the  
9 greatest amount of service for Whatcom County citizens; and

10 WHEREAS, public access to and understanding of the human services delivery  
11 system should be uncomplicated and standardized to provide optimal access for people and  
12 families with diverse needs seeking assistance;

13 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Whatcom County Council that  
14 there shall be appointed by the Council a committee of fifteen Whatcom County residents  
15 to review human services delivery in Whatcom County and examine the feasibility of a  
16 Whatcom County Department of Human Services.


17 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the committee shall be composed of eight citizens  
18 not employed in the human services field but representing a wide variety of human services  
19 needs; three representatives from direct service providers; three representatives from  
20 agencies providing indirect services; and one representative from the area of financial  
21 management.

22 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the committee shall provide a report and  
23 recommendations to the Whatcom County Council by May 15, 1996 for consideration in the  
24 1997 budget.

25 APPROVED this 19 day of September, 1995.

WHATCOM COUNTY COUNCIL  
WHATCOM COUNTY, WASHINGTON

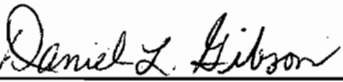
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2 ATTEST:

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4 Dana Brown-Davis, Clerk of the Council

  
Robert A. Imhof, Council Chair

5 APPROVED AS TO FORM:

( ) Approved ( ) Denied

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7 Civil Deputy Prosecutor