

CITY COUNCIL AGENDA MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT

Resolution No. 8399, authorizing execution of a three year agreement with South Correctional Entity (SCORE) for temporary housing of misdemeanants in their jail located in Des Moines, WA.

FISCAL IMPACT

This agreement addresses only special, unique situations where misdemeanants need to be housed temporarily, usually only for a few hours, before being transferred to other contract jail facilities. Cost to Bellevue is expected to be *de minimus*, as Bellevue Police Department does not intend to use SCORE as an ongoing provider of jail services.

The agreement is required because South County law enforcement agencies may book prisoners into SCORE, who may be found to have a Bellevue arrest warrant. Having the agreement in place will allow SCORE to house the prisoners overnight, if necessary, until such time that a Bellevue police officer or police support officer can transport them to Issaquah, King County, or Snohomish County. Under these situations, the fiscal impact to the 2012 adopted budget is expected to be less than \$2,000 annually, which can be absorbed by the existing Police jail budget.

The SCORE agreement has no minimum bed commitment that the City would be obligated to pay. The 2012 daily rate for Bellevue inmates will be \$135, with no booking fee and with extra charges for any medical services provided. This compares to Issaquah's \$90/day (with a minimum bed commitment), \$132/day at King County plus a \$196 booking fee, and \$92.70 plus a \$64.38 booking fee at Snohomish County Jail.

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Police Department

POLICY CONSIDERATION

Should the City execute a three year agreement with the South Correctional Entity for temporary housing of inmates in their jail located in Des Moines, WA?

BACKGROUND

Bellevue currently contracts with three jails for its misdemeanor inmate population: Issaquah, King County, and Snohomish County. Bellevue has a minimum bed commitment in Issaquah, and therefore strives to fill that commitment each month before sending prisoners to the other two jails. The current

jail capacity among the three jails is sufficient enough that utilizing SCORE on a regular basis is not necessary.

However, upon occasion, law enforcement officials in South County jurisdictions such as Kent, Auburn, and Federal Way may book their own prisoners into SCORE, who later may be determined to have Bellevue warrants. Before releasing the prisoner after having served his sentence, SCORE will contact Bellevue to pick up the prisoner on his Bellevue warrant. There may be times that no Bellevue officer is available to drive to Des Moines for the transfer to Bellevue custody; SCORE at that time will release the prisoner if no agreement with Bellevue is in place. Therefore, this agreement is necessary for SCORE to retain a Bellevue prisoner until such time that a Bellevue officer can pick the prisoner up.

EFFECTIVE DATE

If approved, this Resolution becomes effective immediately upon Council adoption.

OPTIONS

- 1) Adopt Resolution No. 8399 authorizing execution of a three year agreement with South Correctional Entity (SCORE) for temporary housing of misdemeanants in their jail located in Des Moines, WA.
- 2) Do not adopt the Resolution and provide alternate direction to staff.

RECOMMENDATION

Adopt Resolution No. 8399 authorizing execution of a three year agreement with South Correctional Entity (SCORE) for temporary housing of misdemeanants in their jail located in Des Moines, WA.

MOTION

Adopt Resolution No. 8399 authorizing execution of a three year agreement with South Correctional Entity (SCORE) for temporary housing of misdemeanants in their jail located in Des Moines, WA.

ATTACHMENTS

Proposed Resolution No. 8399

AVAILABLE IN COUNCIL OFFICE

SCORE Agreement

CITY OF BELLEVUE, WASHINGTON

RESOLUTION NO. 8399

A RESOLUTION authorizing execution of a three year Agreement For Inmate Housing with South Correctional Entity (SCORE), for temporary housing of misdemeanants in their jail in Des Moines, WA.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BELLEVUE, WASHINGTON, DOES RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The City Manager or his designee is hereby authorized to execute an Agreement For Inmate Housing with South Correctional Entity (SCORE), for temporary housing of misdemeanants in their jail in Des Moines, WA, a copy of which agreement has been given Clerk's Receiving No. _____.

Passed by the City Council this _____ day of _____, 2012, and signed in authentication of its passage this _____ day of _____, 2012.

(SEAL)

Conrad Lee, Mayor

Attest:

Myrna L. Basich, City Clerk