

INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN  
WALLA WALLA COUNTY AND GARFIELD COUNTY

This agreement is entered into between Walla Walla County (County) and Garfield County Health District (District) to the Interlocal Cooperation Act, chapter 39.34 RCW.

I. PURPOSE

The purpose of this agreement is to provide Environmental Health Services to Garfield County Health District by the staff of the Walla Walla County Health Department.

II. SERVICES

Garfield County Health District will:

1. Provide office space, telephone access, computer support, and administrative support to the Garfield County Environmental Health program.
2. If required, schedule appointments for Garfield County residents to meet with Walla Walla County staff.
3. Contact the Walla Walla County Director of Environmental Health if environmental health services are required at other than the normally scheduled support times.
4. **Retain the rights and responsibilities of the Garfield County Board of Health and Health Officer for enforcement of the statutes and rules of the State of Washington and Garfield County.**

Walla Walla County Health Department will:

1. Provide Environmental Health services on a schedule agreed upon by Garfield County Health District and Walla Walla County Health Department
2. Provide Food Facility licensure at a rate agreed upon by Garfield County Health District and Walla Walla County Health Department
3. Provide food worker training on a regular basis and certificates following training
4. Provide food safety evaluations as outlined in RCW 43.20.145 and WAC 246-215
5. Provide on-site sewage services and permits as outlined in RCW 70.118 and WAC 246-272 and 246-272A at reimbursement rates agreed upon by Garfield County Health District and Walla Walla County Health Department
6. License Septic Tank Installers and Pumpers as provided in RCW 70.118 and WAC 246-272-2251 and 246-272A0-0340 at rates agreed upon by Garfield County Health District and Walla Walla County Health Department
7. Provide environmental health support to Garfield County's Solid Waste Disposal programs.
8. Provide environmental health support to Garfield County's drinking water programs.
9. Provide support to Garfield County Health District during disease outbreaks associated with food, water, or other environmental issues.
10. Provide other environmental health support as requested by Garfield County Health District.