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June 30, 2025

Chief Darrell Lowe City of Redmond Police Department PO Box 97010 Redmond, WA 98073-9710

Dear Chief Darrell Lowe:

2026 rate increases support SCORE's commitment to operating safely and effectively during an opioid epidemic and public health crisis. Amendment features SCORE's new rates effective January 1, 2026. Please sign and return amendment by October 31, 2025. Amendment highlights are listed below:

- SCORE 's Administrative Board adopted a daily bed rate increase of 5% and increased the booking fee to \$95.00. SCORE will also be charging, monthly, the Non-Guaranteed Rate for any beds that exceed the use of guaranteed beds. SCORE Administrative Board adopted a medical surcharge rate increase of 5% for specialty beds. The hourly rate for transport/hospital security was increased to \$94.00/hr.
- SCORE's Administrative Board also adopted a Virtual Court Administration fee. This is a new fee and is set at \$75.00.

Thank you for choosing SCORE

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In 2025, SCORE purchased and implemented two different forms of life safety technology for its booking and medical spaces. These two systems provide an early warning to a medical crisis and have been instrumental in saving lives since its implementation.

SCORE recently invested in expanding its Virtual Court Services to include additional capacity for virtual hearings and additional space in the jail for hearing participation.

SCORE anticipates adding a narcotic detection K9 in late 2025 and may make this dog available to other jurisdictions when available.

SCORE continues to serve as one of five National Mentor Sites for Comprehensive Opioid, Stimulant, and Substance Use Program (COSSUP). Additionally, SCORE holds accreditation with the Washington Association of Sheriffs and Police Chiefs and the National Commission of Correctional Healthcare. SCORE is also certified as a Prison Rape Elimination Act compliant facility.

Please contact me if you have any questions. I can be reached either via email or phone at dschrum@scorejail.org or 206-257-6262.

Sincerely,

Devon Schrum, Executive Director South Correctional Entity (SCORE)