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Barbara Madsen, Chief Justice  
Washington State Supreme Court  
PO Box 40929  
Olympia, WA 98504-0929

RE: JISCR 13

Dear Justice Madsen:

I am writing today about proposed changes to state court rule JISCR 13. I ask that you not adopt these changes. At this time, it is not appropriate to implement a rule that would mandate that local governments pay for duplicate data entry.

I support the efforts to develop a CMS project for some of the counties in Washington State, even if some counties (King County included) choose to use their own systems instead. However, all judges will require access to the data that they need to make decisions, which is why a data exchange is critical. We need time, attention, and resources directed to the data exchange project in addition to the other projects you have in your portfolio. We must ensure that courts are not saddled with double data entry for extended periods of time.

I ask that you please do not adopt the changes to these rules and you prioritize the development of a data exchange.

Sincerely,



Andy Hill,

Chair, Senate Ways & Means Committee