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Ms. Janet Simpson, Executive Director
Catholic Community Services -Skagit County
P.O. Box 2909
Mount Vernon, WA 98273

Dear Ms. Simpson:

This letter is to inform you that the Northwest Educational Service District 189 (NWESD) elects to terminate its Agreement with Catholic Community Services WW-NW (CCSWW-NW) for mental health case management services at Skagit Discovery Program effective December 31, 2012. While we are grateful for our past relationship and wish to part on good terms, this difficult decision is based on low enrollment numbers at Skagit Discovery and the resultant budget shortfall. Please consider this letter as provision of the sixty (60) day written notice prescribed in Section III of the original Agreement.

Our relationship with Catholic Community Services has been positive and the case management services provided have enabled Skagit Discovery to complement the services offered at school with greater support for the family. We look forward to future opportunities our two organizations may find to work together.

Feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns. I can be reached at (360) 299-4003.

Sincerely,

Dr. Gerald W. Jenkins
Superintendent

c: Sheila Woods, Special Programs & Services Assistant Director
Andy Wheeler, Skagit Discovery Program Administrator