

SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL
Snohomish County, Washington

MOTION NO. 22-466

AUTHORIZING THE SURPLUS AND TRANSFER OF A PORTION OF
NORTH MOUNTAIN ROAD – WHITEHORSE PARK ADJACENT

WHEREAS, on November 12, 1999, the Washington State Department of Natural Resources (“WDNR”) transferred 82.92 acres to Snohomish County by deed transfer, referenced as the Darrington Reconveyance; and

WHEREAS, the Darrington Reconveyance acreage has been managed by Snohomish County Parks Department and is commonly known as Whitehorse Park (the “Park”); and

WHEREAS, a forest road named North Mountain Road provides access from SR 530 to the entrance to the Park and constitutes the southern and western boundary of the Park; and

WHEREAS, included in the deed transfer was half of North Mountain Road from SR 530 to beyond the Park entrance and continuing to the northern boundary of the Park; and

WHEREAS, beyond the entrance to the Park, North Mountain Road primarily serves state and federal forest lands to the north and requires periodic maintenance; and

WHEREAS, WDNR has agreed to undertake the maintenance of North Mountain Road beyond the entrance to Whitehorse Park; and

WHEREAS, the Director of the Department of Conservation and Natural Resources (DCNR) and the Property Officer recommend surplus and transferring the portion of North Mountain Road beyond the entrance to Whitehorse Park to WDNR;

NOW, THEREFORE, ON MOTION, the Snohomish County Council finds it is in the public interest to transfer a portion of North Mountain Road to Washington State Department of Natural Resources, hereby approves of the surplus declaration for said portion of road, authorizes the Property Officer of the Department of Facilities Management to execute, on behalf of the County, a Quitclaim Deed and take all steps that are necessary to consummate the transfer on behalf of Snohomish County.

PASSED this 14th day of December, 2022.

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Council Chair

ATTEST:



Asst. Clerk of the Council