

SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL
Snohomish County, Washington

MOTION NO. 26-235

AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE TO SIGN THE AGREEMENT WITH THE WASHINGTON STATE OFFICE OF PUBLIC DEFENSE TO PROVIDE INDIGENT DEFENSE IMPROVEMENT FUNDS TO SNOHOMISH COUNTY OFFICE OF PUBLIC DEFENSE FOR THE PERIOD FROM JULY 1, 2026, TO JUNE 30, 2027

WHEREAS, the Washington State Office of Public Defense has awarded the Snohomish County Office of Public Defense indigent defense improvement funds in the amount of \$938,248.38; and

WHEREAS, through this Agreement, the County agrees to use the funding to improve the quality of legal representation directly received by indigent defendants according to RCW 10.101.170; and

WHEREAS, the County agrees to use the funds beginning July 1, 2026, through June 30, 2027;

NOW, THEREFORE ON MOTION, the Snohomish County Council authorizes the County Executive to sign the agreement with the Washington State Office of Public Defense to improve the quality of legal representation to indigent defendants according to the terms therein from July 1, 2026, through June 30, 2027.


PASSED this 17th day of June, 2026.

SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL
Snohomish County, Washington



Council Chair

ATTEST:



Deputy Clerk of the Council