## SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL Snohomish County, Washington

## NOTICE OF INTRODUCTION AND PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Snohomish County Council will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, December 18, 2024, at the hour of 10:30 a.m., in the Henry M. Jackson Board Room, 8th Floor, Robert J. Drewel Building, 3000 Rockefeller Avenue, Everett, WA in conjunction with a remote meeting platform via the following Zoom link to consider proposed Ordinance No. 24-108.

## **Zoom Webinar Information:**

Join Online: <a href="https://zoom.us/j/94846850772">https://zoom.us/j/94846850772</a> or by Phone: (253) 215-8782

Meeting ID: 948 4685 0772

## PROPOSED ORDINANCE NO. 24-108

APPROVAL OF AN INTERAGENCY GRANT AGREEMENT BETWEEN SNOHOMISH COUNTY AND THE WASHINGTON TRAFFIC SAFETY COMMISSION FOR THE CREATION OF A TRAFFIC SAFETY RESOURCE PROSECUTOR PROGRAM

Background: The ordinance approves an interagency agreement with the Washington State Traffic Safety Commission (WTSC) to establish a Traffic Safety Resource Prosecutor (TSRP) Program in the Snohomish County's Prosecuting Attorney's Office (PAO). The TSRP provides specialized training and education to prosecutors, law enforcement officers, judges, probation staff, legislators, and hearing examiners on key topics related to impaired driving enforcement. The goals of the program are to increase the successful prosecution of DUI related cases, to hold offenders accountable, and to heighten public safety. An experienced deputy prosecuting attorney (DPA) from the PAO will implement the TSRP Program. In November 2024, Snohomish County Council approved Motion 24-459, creating a new position in Fund 130, which the DPA will occupy. The grant award is for \$225,852.50, and the grant term is December 1, 2024, through September 30, 2025.

At the Public Hearing, the Council may consider amendments to the proposed ordinance.

<u>For More Information:</u> Copies of the proposed ordinance and related documents are available upon request by calling the Council Office at (425) 388-3494, 1(800) 562-4367 x3494, TDD 1(800) 877-8339, or by e-mailing <u>Contact.Council@snoco.org</u>. Files are also available on the Council's website at <a href="https://snohomish.legistar.com/Legislation.aspx">https://snohomish.legistar.com/Legislation.aspx</a> (File # 2024-2966) or <a href="https://snohomishcountywa.gov/2134/Council-Hearings-Calendar">https://snohomishcountywa.gov/2134/Council-Hearings-Calendar</a>.

<u>Public Testimony:</u> The public may testify in person or remotely. Submit written testimony to Snohomish County Council, 3000 Rockefeller Ave M/S 609, Everett, WA 98201, or e-mail to <u>contact.council@snoco.org</u>. Submitting written testimony 24 hours prior to the hearing will ensure copies are distributed to the Council and appropriate staff in advance of the hearing.

American with Disabilities Act Notice: Accommodations for persons with disabilities are available upon request. Please contact Elena Lao one week prior to the hearing at (425) 388-3494, 1(800) 562-4367 x3494, TDD 1(800) 877-8339, or by e-mail elena.lao@snoco.org.

Dated this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of December, 2024.

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/s/ Jared Mead Council Chair

ATTEST:

/s/ Elena Lao, CMC
Deputy Clerk of the Council

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