SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL Snohomish County, Washington

MOTION NO. 22-299

APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH GORDON THOMAS HONEYWELL GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS LLC (GTH) TO PROVIDE STATE PROFESSIONAL GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS RELATIONS, LOBBYIST, AND RELATED SERVICES TO SNOHOMISH COUNTY

WHEREAS, Gordon Thomas Honeywell Governmental Affairs, LLC (GTH) was chosen to be awarded the contract for the County's state governmental relations through the Request for Proposal process, RFP 22-027SB; and

WHEREAS, the professional service agreement includes a two-year agreement, plus options for two additional one-year extensions; and

WHEREAS, the total cost of the professional service agreement for the initial period of August 1, 2022 through July 31, 2024, shall not exceed \$235,016; and

WHEREAS, GTH provides a comprehensive range of services under the agreement including development of legislative guidelines, annual legislative agenda, policy documents, and participation in regional organizations that influence the County's legislative objectives;

NOW, THEREFORE, ON MOTION, the Snohomish County Council approves and authorizes the Snohomish County Executive to sign the agreement and any amendments with GTH.

PASSED this 19th day of July, 2022.

SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL Snohomish County, Washington

Cared Mead Scting Council Chair

ATTEST:

Asst Clerk of the Council