

MEMORANDUM

TO: Megan Dunn, Snohomish County Council Chair

FROM: Dave Somers, Snohomish County Executive

DATE: June 08, 2026

RE: Appointment of Pamela Morrison to the Snohomish County Children's Commission

I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Pamela Morrison to the Snohomish County Children's Commission to serve a first four-year term.

Pamela Morrison resides in Council District 2. However, this appointment represents an at-large representative to the Commission. Pamela has been a primary and special education instructor. Ms. Morrison has lived experience navigating the systems and supports Snohomish County offers for families and children and will bring this valuable perspective to the Commission.

The Children's Commission was created to advise the County on "issues of health, safety and social services for infants, young children and youth in the community." It is composed of 25 members, including at least two youth commissioners. Three members are appointed from each council district, while the remaining ten at-large appointees may reside anywhere within the county. Commissioners serve four-year terms with the exception of youth commissioners, who serve one-year terms. Commissioners may not serve more than three consecutive terms. The Snohomish County Children's Commission currently has 14 members and 11 vacancies. Human Services staff and the Commission are actively engaged in recruitment to fill vacancies.

Pursuant to SCC 2.03.030, I recommend Council confirmation of Pamela Morrison to be appointed to the Snohomish County Children's Commission to serve a first, four-year term.

Thank you for your consideration.