SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL Snohomish County, Washington

MOTION NO. 22-380

AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE TO SIGN A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES CONTRACT FOR FORENSIC PATHOLOGY WITH DR. LINDSEY HARLE

WHEREAS, there is a nationwide shortage of forensic pathologists; and

WHEREAS, the Medical Examiner has been advertising to fill a vacant Associate Medical Examiner position since January 2022; and

WHEREAS, Snohomish County Medical Examiner has been unable to hire a replacement for the position; and

WHEREAS, the Medical Examiner will soon have two vacancies in the Associate Medical Examiner positions; and

WHEREAS, the Medical Examiner has identified a candidate to work on a contract basis to assist with the caseload in the midst of a forensic pathologist shortage;

NOW, THEREFORE, ON MOTION, the Snohomish County Council authorizes the County Executive to sign an amendment (Amendment 1) to the contract with Lindsey Harle for forensic pathology locums tenens and any subsequent amendments.

PASSED this 14th day of September, 2022.

SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL Snohomish County, Washington

Council Chair

ATTEST:

Asst Clerk of the Council