



## Snohomish County Council

**Committee:** Committee of the Whole

**Analyst:** Ryan Countryman

**ECAF:** 2023-0526

**Proposal:** Motion 23-190

**Date:** May 9, 2023

### **Consideration**

Proposed Motion 23-190 would authorize the County Executive to sign a non-disclosure agreement (NDA) with Perimeter Solutions, LP.

### **Background and Analysis**

Fire officers with the Paine Field Fire Department are traveling to Texas the week of May 15, 2023, for a training exhibition that includes usage of a fluorine free firefighting foam. Perimeter Solutions is the originator of the firefighting foam and requests an NDA in advance of the exhibition. The purpose of the NDA is to protect and preserve the confidential and proprietary nature of information and materials that Perimeter Solutions will be exhibiting from being subject to the Washington State Public Records Act. The full NDA contract language is in the agenda materials accompanying the motion and includes standard conditions regarding confidentiality and authorized use to protect Perimeter Solutions' intellectual property from being disclosed by a public records act request.

### **Current Proposal**

*Summary:* Motion 23-190 would authorize the Executive to sign the NDA with Perimeter Solutions.

*Fiscal Implications:* None

*Deadlines:* Requires action in COW during week of May 8 to allow firefighters to participate in training scheduled for week of May 15.

**Handling:** Expedite

**Finance:** Approve

**Risk Management:** Approve

**Executive Recommendation:** Approve

**Request:** Consideration during Committee of the Whole on May 9.