



Snohomish County Council

Committee: Public Works and Infrastructure Committee

Analyst: Deb Evison Bell

ECAF: 2022-0055

Proposal: Ord. 22-007

Date: March 1, 2022

Consideration:

The proposed ordinance relates to the authority, functions, reporting, planning, rates and governance of the Department of Information Technology and amends Chapter 2.350 of the Snohomish County Code¹.

Background:

The Department of Information Technology was created by Ordinance in 1988, and the code was last revised in 2016. Chapter 2.350 Department of Information Technology currently contains outdated references to Information Technology (IT) solutions and services. The workflow presently outlined in this code section does not reflect current County practice.

Current Proposal:

Scope: The proposed code amendments would revise the current language, decision making and planning practices to better align with industry standards and establish a clear direction for the IT department that aligns with modern business practices of IT within Snohomish County.

Duration: Upon adoption until future amendments.

Fiscal Implications: NA

2022 Budget: NA

Future Budget Impacts: NA

Handling: NORMAL

Approved-as-to-form: YES

Risk Management: APPROVE.

Executive Recommendation: APPROVE.

Analysis

Council has the legislative authority to adopt this ordinance amending county code, per SCC 2.48.

Attachments: NONE.

Amendments: NONE.

Request: Move to GLS on March 9, 2022, to consider scheduling a public hearing. Following receipt of public testimony, consider taking action on proposed Ordinance 22-007 or provide other direction to staff.

¹ [ch. 2.350 Department of Information Technology | Snohomish County Code](#)