

Dave SomersCounty Executive

MEMORANDUM

TO: Jared Mead, Snohomish County Council Chair

FROM: Dave Somers, Snohomish County Executive

DATE: July 18, 2023

RE: Recommendation for Appointment to Snohomish County Developmental Disabilities Advisory Board

I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Hayley Etnier to serve an initial three-year term on the Snohomish County Developmental Disabilities Citizen Advisory Board.

Hayley Etnier resides in Council District 3 and has 20 years serving in the Developmental Disabilities field. Hayley Etnier has served in the education setting as a para, teacher, and administrator. Hayley Etnier holds a Doctorate in Education Leadership and is the current Director of Special Education in the Edmonds School district.

The Developmental Disabilities Citizen Advisory Board is comprised of citizens who serve in an advisory capacity to the Developmental Disability (DD) staff of the Snohomish County Human Services Department. The Board meets monthly and is comprised of up to 15 members drawing from all areas of the county and a range of backgrounds, including family members, individuals with developmental disabilities, professionals, and advocates.

Pursuant to SCC 2.03.030, I hereby urge Council confirmation of the appointment of Hayley Etnier to serve on the Developmental Disabilities Citizen Advisory Board for an initial three-year term beginning upon confirmation.

Thank you for your consideration.