



# Planning and Community Development

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Council Initiated:

☐ Yes

☒ No

**ECAF:** 2025-3084

**Ordinance:** 25-055

**Type:**

☐ Contract

☐ Board Appt.

☒ **Code Amendment**

☐ Budget Action

☐ Other

**Requested Handling:**

☒ **Normal**

☐ Expedite

☐ Urgent

**Fund Source:**

☐ General Fund

☐ Other

☒ **N/A**

**Executive Rec:**

☒ **Approve**

☐ Do Not Approve

☐ N/A

**Approved as to**

**Form:**

☒ **Yes**

☐ No

☐ N/A

**Subject:** Snohomish County for Regional Center Designation

**Scope:** The purpose of this ordinance is to amend Appendix I of the Countywide Planning Policies (CPPs), and to state the County's commitment to pursuing regional urban growth center designation for the Mariner and Ash Way Centers with Puget Sound Regional Council (PSRC).

**Duration:** N/A

**Fiscal Impact:** ☐ Current Year ☐ Multi-Year ☒ **N/A**

**Authority Granted:**

Ordinance would authorize the Executive to approve amendments to the County's Countywide Planning Policies (CPPs).

**Background:**

Snohomish County is submitting applications to designate the Mariner Light Rail Station Area and the Ash Way Light Rail Station Area (Mariner and Ash Way Centers) as regional urban growth centers to Puget Sound Regional Council (PSRC). The PDS proposed amendments to Appendix I of the Countywide Planning Policies (CPPs) are support the designation process.

**Request:** Move Ordinance 25-055 to General Legislative Session on October 15<sup>th</sup> to set a time and date for a public hearing.