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Dave SomersCounty Executive

M E M O R A N D U M

Date: February 12, 2025

To: Council Chair Nate Nehring From: County Executive Dave Somers

Re: Reppointment of Valera Storey to the

Agricultural Advisory Board

I am pleased to recommend the reappointment Valera Storey to the Snohomish County Agricultural Advisory Board to Position 10, representing the Stillaguamish River Basin. Valera's reappointment is supported by the Agricultural Advisory Board and the Office of Agriculture. Valera resides in District 1 and Council member Nehring has been consulted with and supports this reappointment.

Per SCC 2.06, the Agricultural Advisory Board serves in an advisory capacity to the County Executive, County Council, Hearing Examiner, the Department of Planning and Development Services, and the Department of Finance. The Board consists of eleven members appointed by the County Executive and confirmed by the County Council.

Valera Storey will fill the seat of Stillaguamish River Basin Resident, Position Number Ten. Valera has reapplied and is eligible to serve as the Stillaguamish River Basin Resident representative on the Board. Valera Storey has served on the Snohomish County Agriculture Advisory board for four years and would like to continue.

Pursuant to SCC 2.03.030, I recommend Council confirmation of Valera Storey to be reappointed to the Snohomish County Agriculture Advisory Board to serve an additional two-year term.

Thank you for your consideration.