

SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL
PUBLIC HEARING PACKET

MOTION 21-421

**APPOINTING ROSANNA BROWN TO THE SNOHOMISH
COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION**

ECAF: 2021-0983

Date/Time: Wednesday, January 12, 2022, at 9:00 a.m. (GLS)

Staff Person: Ryan Countryman

DPA:

EXHIBIT LIST

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1	11/22/21	Council Staff Report
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SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL
Snohomish County, Washington

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THE SNOHOMISH COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION

WHEREAS, the Snohomish County Planning Commission is established and administered pursuant to chapter 2.08 SCC; and

WHEREAS, appointments to fill vacant planning commission positions are made pursuant to Snohomish County Charter section 2.20 and SCC 2.08.080; and

WHEREAS, a vacancy exists representing Council District 5 on the Planning Commission; and

WHEREAS, SCC 2.08.080 states that vacancies shall be filled by the Council with nominees from the County Council and/or Executive; and

WHEREAS, SCC 2.08.080(2) sets out the procedure by which the County council will hold a public hearing on nominations and make affirmative findings on the following:

1. Is the nominee a full-time resident of Snohomish County?
2. Is the nominee not a Snohomish County employee except while serving as a temporary appointee?
3. Does the nominee have sufficient time to attend all scheduled commission meetings?

WHEREAS, SCC 2.08.080 also states that it is desirable that the nominee has knowledge of a) land use theories, b) growth management and agricultural preservations studies, c) have a minimum potential for conflict of interest, d) have a demonstrated interest in the welfare of Snohomish County, and e) add balance to county-wide representation on the commission; and

WHEREAS, Rosanna Brown is a full-time resident of District 5, has applied for the vacancy representing the district, has relevant knowledge, is not a Snohomish County employee, and has indicated the ability and willingness to attend scheduled commission meetings; and

WHEREAS, under Snohomish County Charter section 2.20 and SCC 2.08.080, Councilmember Sam Low representing District 5 has nominated Rosanna Brown for appointment to the vacant District 5 position for a first full term, to expire four years from the effective date of this motion; and

WHEREAS, the County Council held a public hearing on January ____, 2022, to consider the nomination;

NOW, THEREFORE, ON MOTION, the Snohomish County Council finds that the nominee meets the criteria set out in SCC 2.08.080 and hereby appoints Rosanna Brown to the Snohomish County Planning Commission to serve first full term, which expires on January ____, 2026.

DATED this ____ day of _____, 2022.

SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL
Snohomish County, Washington

Council Chair

ATTEST:

Asst. Clerk of the Council



Snohomish County Council

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EXHIBIT # 1

FILE MOT 21-421

Committee: Planning & Community Development **Analyst:** Ryan Countryman
ECAF: 2021-0983
Proposal: Proposed Motion 21-421 **Date:** November 22, 2021

Consideration:

Motion 21-421 would appoint Rosanna Brown to the Snohomish County Planning Commission.

Background

Rosanna Brown is a resident of District 5 in the unincorporated area near Monroe and has applied to fill a District 5 vacancy on the Planning Commission. This would be her first term. The term would expire four years from the effective date of the motion. SCC 2.08.080 provides for nominations to district vacancies. Councilmember Low is nominating Rosanna Brown to the position. Ms. Brown is a licensed civil engineer with 15 years of experience in land development across several jurisdictions. Her application materials cite having first-hand knowledge of different development codes and understanding how those design standards influence growth as a skillset that she can contribute to the work of the commission. With this appointment, ten of the eleven Planning Commission positions would be filled.

Current Proposal

Scope: Motion 21-421 would appoint Rosanna Brown to the Planning Commission.

Effective Date: Upon passage of the motion

Fiscal Implications: No impact

Handling: Normal

Approved-as-to-form: N/A

Risk Management: N/A

Executive Recommendation: N/A

Request

Move to Planning and Community Development Committee for consideration.



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Legislation Text

EXHIBIT # 2

FILE MOT 21-421

File #: 2021-0983, Version: 1

Executive/Council Action Form (ECAF)

ITEM TITLE:

Motion 21-421, appointing Rosanna Brown to Snohomish County Planning Commission.

DEPARTMENT: County Council

ORIGINATOR: Ryan Countryman

EXECUTIVE RECOMMENDATION: N/A

PURPOSE: This motion would appoint Rosanna Brown to a vacant District 5 position on Planning Commission.

BACKGROUND: Rosanna Brown has applied to fill a District 5 vacancy on Planning Commission and has the relevant background and experience.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS:

EXPEND: FUND, AGY, ORG, ACTY, OBJ, AU	CURRENT YR	2ND YR	1ST 6 YRS
N/A			
TOTAL			

REVENUE: FUND, AGY, ORG, REV, SOURCE	CURRENT YR	2ND YR	1ST 6 YRS
N/A			
TOTAL			

DEPARTMENT FISCAL IMPACT NOTES: None

OTHER DEPARTMENTAL REVIEW/COMMENTS: Click or tap here to enter text.

ECAF NO.:
ECAF RECEIVED:

**MOTION
ASSIGNMENT SLIP**

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EXHIBIT # 3

TO: Clerk of the Council

FILE MOT 21-421

TITLE OF PROPOSED MOTION:

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Clerk's Action: Proposed Motion No. \_\_\_\_\_

Assigned to: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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STANDING COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION FORM

On _____, the Committee made the following recommendation:

_____ Move to Council for action on: _____

_____ Move to Council as amended for action on: _____

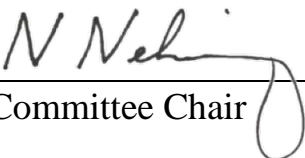
_____ Move to Council with no recommendation

This item ___ should/ ___ should not be placed on the Consent Agenda.

(Consent agenda may be used for routine items that do not require public hearing and do not need discussion at General Legislative Session)

This item ___ should/ ___ should not be placed on the Administrative Matters Agenda

(Administrative Matters agenda may be used for routine action to set time and date for public hearings)



Committee Chair

Rosanna Brown

I am a professionally licensed civil engineer with 15 years of experience in Land Development, more specifically commercial – office and medical facilities, assisted care facilities, and high-density residential projects such as mixed-use apartments, and townhome projects. As a project manager, I lead small design teams that specialize in site layout, grading, stormwater management, and utility design. My project responsibilities include coordinating design plans and submittal packages, project management, and construction coordination. I strive to work efficiently all while meeting each project's unique objectives and establishing a strong working relationship with clients, local jurisdictions, and contractors.

My experience in land development throughout the Puget Sound region provides first-hand knowledge of the differing development codes, and design standards how they influence growth in their County and region. I believe I can provide an honest opinion and sound recommendations to the Council on topics that come before the Planning Commission. I hope to contribute by leveraging my knowledge and understanding of current codes to improve the County's development policies and regulations for the betterment of the County.

I've been a resident of unincorporated Snohomish County, outskirts of Monroe, for 10 years. I've established roots in the county and love to support local businesses. I'm the mother of two boys, who prioritizes a healthy life / work balance, and understands commuting out of county for work.