

1 SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL  
2 Snohomish County, Washington

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4 ORDINANCE NO. 24-\_\_\_\_  
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6 APPROVING THE COUNTY'S PARTICIPATION IN A REGIONAL APPRENTICESHIP  
7 PATHWAYS PROJECT AND AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTIVE TO SIGN AN  
8 INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT WITH THE OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT FOR  
9 PUBLIC INSTRUCTION FOR THE SAME  
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12 WHEREAS, Snohomish County has secured Coronavirus Local Fiscal Recovery  
13 (CLFR) grant funds under the federal American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA); and  
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15 WHEREAS, the Snohomish County Council recognizes that a well-trained  
16 construction trades workforce is critical to the ability of the State of Washington to  
17 construct public works; and  
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19 WHEREAS, the Snohomish County Council recognizes the efficient and  
20 economical construction of public works projects will be harmed if there is not an ample  
21 supply of trained construction workers; and  
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23 WHEREAS, the Snohomish County Council desires to address educational  
24 disparities by expanding the number of building trades offered in Snohomish County;  
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27 WHEREAS, the Snohomish County Council created the Office of Recovery &  
28 Resilience (ORR) through the budget to aid in the distribution of the ARPA funds, and  
29 ORR has recommended \$150,000 for the Regional Apprenticeship Pathways (RAP)  
30 program; and  
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32 WHEREAS, Marysville School District is authorized by the regulatory  
33 apprenticeship council to operate the RAP program to provide Snohomish County high  
34 school students with education and training in building and construction trades; and  
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36 WHEREAS, Snohomish County Charter Provision 1.30 provides the County may  
37 "by ordinance authorize participation in any function, project, or activity with any one or  
38 more governments, governmental agencies...in any manner permitted by law...."  
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40 WHEREAS, the County has requested that OSPI oversee the use of the ARPA  
41 funds for the RAP program (the "RAP Project") at the Marysville School District; and  
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43 WHEREAS, the Office of the Superintendent of Public Instruction (OSPI) is  
44 willing to contract with the Marysville School District to ensure the ARPA funds are used  
45 to expand the number of building trades offered in the RAP program; and,

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2 WHEREAS, chapter 39.34 RCW, the Interlocal Cooperation Act, authorizes  
3 public agencies, including the County and the OSPI, to enter into cooperative  
4 agreements with one another to make the most efficient use of their respective  
5 resources.

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7 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED:

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9 **Section 1.** The Snohomish County Council approves the County's participation  
10 with OSPI in the RAP Project.

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12 **Section 2.** The Snohomish County Council authorizes the Executive to sign an  
13 interlocal agreement with OSPI for a total amount not to exceed **\$150,000** to carry out  
14 the RAP Project, to be executed by both parties prior to December 31, 2024.

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16 PASSED this \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024.

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18 SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL  
19 Snohomish County, Washington

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21 \_\_\_\_\_  
22 Chairperson

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24 ATTEST:

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27 Clerk of the Council

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29 ( ) APPROVED

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34 DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

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38 County Executive

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