

SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL
SNOHOMISH COUNTY, WASHINGTON 24-2835

MOTION NO. 24-474

APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING THE SNOHOMISH COUNTY EXECUTIVE TO
SIGN THE WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE GRANT TO
SUPPORT FOOD STABILITY

WHEREAS, SCC 2.400.030 authorizes the Human Services Department to administer and coordinate county programs and projects relating to human services in accordance with county, state and federal laws and regulations; and

WHEREAS, funding for this agreement has been provided in the 2023-2025 biennial state Operating Budget, ESSB 5187, pursuant to Federal grants to Washington State under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (ARPA or "Act"), sec. 9901, Public Law 117-2, codified at 42 U.S.C. 802.; and

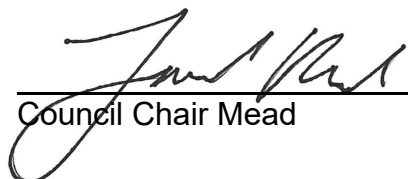
WHEREAS, the Washington State Department of Agriculture has awarded Snohomish County Human Services Department grant funds to facilitate strong relationships and effective communication channels among Washington State's emergency food response networks, including county and state government agencies and local hunger relief organization for the period of October 28, 2024 through June 30, 2025; and

WHEREAS, the appropriated funds are not included in the Human Services Department Grant Work Plan for 2024 and now requires Council approval;

NOW, THEREFORE, ON MOTION, the Snohomish County Council approves and authorizes the Snohomish County Executive to execute the Snohomish County Washington State Department of Agriculture Grant Agreement #K5570, for the period of October 28, 2024, through June 30, 2025, in the amount of \$248,490.56, and any subsequent amendments thereto.

PASSED this 26th day of November 2024

SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL
Snohomish County, Washington



Council Chair Mead

ATTEST:



Asst. Clerk of the Council