

SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL
Snohomish County, Washington

NOTICE OF ENACTMENT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that on October 23, 2024, the Snohomish County Council approved Ordinance No. 24-091.

ORDINANCE NO. 24-091

AMENDING SCC 25.20.050 SERVICE CHARGES FOR AQUATIC PLANT CONTROL -
LAKE GOODWIN AND LAKE SHOECRAFT

Summary: The proposed ordinance extends aquatic plant service charges at Lake Goodwin and Lake Shoecraft for 5 years with a change in rates. Properties abutting the shores of Lake Goodwin and Lake Shoecraft are currently subject to an additional service charge for managing and controlling invasive aquatic plants, particularly Eurasian milfoil. These additional service charges are set in County code to expire on December 31, 2024. The County and the property owners around both lakes wish to continue work to manage the invasive aquatic plants to prevent the spread of the invasive plants to other areas of both lakes or to other lakes in the County. Property owners around both lakes met in February 2024 to propose new rates for the next five years. The proposed ordinance would revert to a single rate covering the five-year period instead of the current rate schedule that has varied over the 2019-2024 period. The proposed new rates are as follows:

<u>Rate Category</u>	<u>Annual Service Charge</u>
<u>Lakefront</u>	<u>\$65.00 per parcel</u>
<u>Shared Lakefront</u>	<u>\$12.50 per parcel</u>
<u>Public and Semi-public Recreation</u>	<u>\$0.45 per foot of lake frontage</u>

For More Information: Copies of the ordinance and related documents are available upon request by calling the Council Office at (425) 388-3494, 1(800) 562-4367 x3494, TDD 1(800) 877-8339, or by e-mailing Contact.Council@snoco.org. The ordinance is also available on the Council's website at <https://snohomish.legistar.com/Default.aspx> (File # 2024-2306) or <https://snohomishcountywa.gov/2134/Council-Hearings-Calendar>.

Dated this 28th day of October, 2024.

/s/ Elena Lao, CMC
Deputy Clerk of the Council

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