SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL Snohomish County, Washington

MOTION NO. 25-444

ACCEPTING CONTRACT FUNDS AWARDED TO SNOHOMISH COUNTY WEATHERIZATION FROM PUGET SOUND ENERGY FOR THE PURPOSES OF FUEL SWITCHING HVAC AND WATER HEATERS FROM NATURAL GAS TO HIGH EFFECIENCY ELECTRIC

WHEREAS, the Snohomish County Weatherization Program conducts regular energy efficiency upgrades to low-income residential homes using grant funds from Federal State, and Local Utility grant programs; and

WHEREAS, a group of 24 homes which have undergone energy efficiency upgrades within the last 10 years have been identified as eligible for upgrades to their Heating Ventilation and Air Conditioning and or hot water heaters from natural gas to high efficiency electric; and

WHEREAS, these homes are not eligible for other energy efficiency upgrades with existing grant funds; and

WHEREAS, a grant from Puget Sound Energy in the amount of \$1,000,000.00 has been awarded to the County, with no local match required for the express purposes of upgrading these systems in eligible homes; and

WHEREAS, if approved, these funds will be used to replace these systems in eligible homes at no cost to the homeowners using qualified, licensed and bonded contractors for the express purpose of reducing the homeowner's utility bills while simultaneously reducing the amount of carbon and greenhouse gas production in the county;

NOW, THEREFORE, ON MOTION, the County Council accepts and supports the Snohomish County Weatherization Program grant award from Puget Sound Energy and approves the County Executive to execute grant agreement CCA-Decarb-5 granting \$1,000,000.00 over the period of October 1, 2025 to June 30, 2026.

PASSED this 15th day of October, 2025

SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL Snohomish County, Washington

Council Chair

ATTEST:

Deputy Clerk of the Council