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TO: Stephanie Wright, Snohomish County Council Chair

FROM: Dave Somers, Snohomish County Executive

SUBJECT: Reappointment to Snohomish County Veterans Assistance Fund Executive Board

I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of John Natterstad to the Snohomish County Veterans Assistance Fund Executive Board.

The Snohomish County Veterans Assistance Fund Executive Board was created under Ordinance 95-088, to advise the County on matters relating to veterans and the needs of vulnerable veterans. The purpose of the Veterans Assistance Fund is to provide emergency assistance to honorably discharged veterans and eligible dependents. Vouchers are provided for basic necessities including food, rent, utilities and other emergency needs.

The Veterans Assistance Fund Executive Board is comprised of members of nationally recognized veterans' service organizations or the veterans' community at large. Board members are recommended by the County Executive and confirmed by the County Council.

- John L. Natterstad, residing in Council District 1, served active duty in the United States Air Force for two years and in the Army National Guard for over 30 years. Mr. Natterstad is a retired teacher and football and baseball coach. He served on the Employer Support of the Guard and Reserve executive committee and has run a community garden. He holds a BA from the University of Washington. Mr. Natterstad will be representing the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Pursuant to SCC 2.03.030, I hereby recommend Council confirmation of John Natterstad for reappointment to the Snohomish County Veterans Assistance Fund Executive Board for a second four-year term to expire on 9/12/2025.

Thank you for your consideration.