



Snohomish County Council

Public Hearings

Meeting Minutes

Council Chair Nate Nehring
Council Vice-Chair Megan Dunn
Councilmembers: Sam Low, Jared Mead, Strom Peterson

Wednesday, November 12, 2025	10:30 AM	Jackson Board Room - 8th Floor Robert J. Drewel Building & Remote Meeting
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CALL TO ORDER

Chair Nehring called the Council to order at 10:30 a.m.

ROLL CALL

The clerk called the roll and stated that all five members were present.

ACTION ITEMS

PRESENT:

Council Chair Nehring
Council Vice-Chair Dunn
Councilmember Low
Councilmember Mead
Councilmember Peterson (*remote*)
Ryan Hembree, Council Staff
Lisa Hickey, Asst. Clerk of the Council

1. Ordinance 25-053, amending Chapter 25.20 of the Snohomish County Code relating to Storm and Surface Water Management Service Charge Credits

[2025-2977](#)

Chair Nehring opened the public hearing.

Ryan Hembree, Legislative Analyst, provided a staff report.

Chair Nehring opened the hearing for public testimony. There being no persons present wishing to testify, he closed the testimony portion of the hearing.

Vice-Chair Dunn made a motion to approve Ordinance 25-053. Councilmember Low seconded the motion. The clerk called the roll and the motion to approve Ordinance 25-053 carried unanimously.

APPROVED: 5-0

PRESENT:

Council Chair Nehring
Council Vice-Chair Dunn
Councilmember Low
Councilmember Mead
Councilmember Peterson (*remote*)
Deb Bell, Council Staff
Lisa Hickey, Asst. Clerk of the Council

2. Ordinance 25-066, relating to Agricultural Advisory Board, Chapter 2.06 SCC, and amending SCC 2.06.020 [2025-3269](#)

Chair Nehring opened the public hearing.

Deb Bell, Senior Legislative Analyst, provided a staff report.

Chair Nehring opened the hearing for public testimony.

The following individual provided public testimony:

- Joy Routh, Snohomish County Agricultural Advisory Board

There being no further persons present wishing to testify, he closed the testimony portion of the hearing.

Vice-Chair Dunn made a motion to approve Ordinance 25-066. Councilmember Mead seconded the motion. The clerk called the roll and the motion to approve Ordinance 25-066 carried unanimously.

APPROVED: 5-0

PRESENT:

Council Chair Nehring
Council Vice-Chair Dunn
Councilmember Low
Councilmember Mead
Councilmember Peterson (*remote*)
Ryan Hembree, Council Staff
Matthew Siddons, Planning and Development Services
Lisa Hickey, Asst. Clerk of the Council

3. Ordinance 25-055, relating to Growth Management, Amending Appendix I of the Countywide Planning Policies for Snohomish County for Regional Center Designation

[2025-3084](#)

Chair Nehring opened the public hearing.

Ryan Hembree, Legislative Analyst, provided a staff report.

Matthew Siddons, Planning and Development Services, provided a PowerPoint presentation and responded to questions. Discussion ensued.

Chair Nehring opened the hearing for public testimony. There being no persons present wishing to testify, he closed the testimony portion of the hearing.

Vice-Chair Dunn made a motion to approve Ordinance 25-055. Councilmember Low seconded the motion.

Vice-Chair Dunn made a motion to approved proposed Amendment 1. Councilmember Low seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

The clerk called the roll and the motion to approve Ordinance 25-055, as amended, carried unanimously.

AMENDED AND APPROVED: 5-0**ADJOURN**

Chair Nehring adjourned the Council for the day at 10:46 a.m.