



## Snohomish County Council

**Committee:** Planning & Community Development      **Analyst:** Ryan Countryman

**ECAF:** 2023-0893

**Proposal:** Proposed Motion 23-324

**Date:** August 15, 2023

### **Consideration:**

Motion 23-324 would appoint Griselda Guevara-Cruz to the Sno-Isle Libraries Board of Trustees for a seven-year term to begin on January 1, 2024, and end on December 31, 2030.

### **Background**

**This Nomination:** The current term of a board of trustee position representing Snohomish County expires on December 31, 2023. The Snohomish County Executive is recommending Griselda Guevara-Cruz to the position and the Sno-Isle Libraries Board of Trustees requests her formal appointment by the Snohomish County Council. Griselda Guevara-Cruz is a Snohomish County resident who works as a Migrant Education Program Supervisor for the Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction. One of her primary reasons for wanting to serve on the Board of Trustees is to help provide access to information and resources to people whose backgrounds make it more difficult for them to access information.

**About Sno-Isle Libraries:** Sno-Isle Libraries are an intercounty rural library district serving parts of both Snohomish and Island counties. Sno-Isle was established in its current form in 1962 under [Chapter 27.12 RCW](#) and [Chapter 2.28 SCC](#).

Sno-Isle has a seven-member volunteer Board of Trustees who serve terms of seven years ([RCW 27.12.190](#) and [SCC 2.28.020](#)). Five members represent Snohomish County. The Snohomish County Executive recommends appointments for the Snohomish County representatives and the Snohomish County Council appoints them. The Board of Island County Commissioners appoints the two members representing that county on the Sno-Isle Board of Trustees.

**Current Proposal:** Motion 23-324 would appoint Griselda Guevara-Cruz to the Sno-Isle Libraries Board of Trustees.

**Handling:** Normal

**Executive:** Approve

**Request:** Move to General Legislative Session August 23 for consideration.