

MEMORANDUM

TO: Megan Dunn, Snohomish County Council Chair

FROM: Dave Somers, Snohomish County Executive

DATE:

RE: Recommendation for 2nd Re-Appointment to Snohomish County Developmental Disabilities Advisory Board

I am pleased to recommend the re-appointment of Katharine Cain to serve an additional three-year term on the Snohomish County Developmental Disabilities Citizen Advisory Board. This individual's position is at large.

The Developmental Disabilities Citizen Advisory Board is comprised of citizens who serve in an advisory capacity to the Developmental Disability (DD) staff of the Snohomish County Human Services Department. The Board meets monthly and is comprised of up to 15 members drawing from all areas of the county and a range of backgrounds, including family members, individuals with developmental disabilities, professionals, and advocates.

Kate Cain resides in Council District 2 and is a Special Education Teacher for 18-21-year-old students. Kate Cain has many years of teaching special education, and has experience working with families, Person-Centered Planners, Department of Vocational Rehabilitation counselors, Developmental Disabilities Community Services case managers, and the School to Work program. Kate Cain holds a bachelor's in business administration and a master's in education.

Pursuant to SCC 2.03.030, I hereby urge Council confirmation of Kate Cain to be re-appointed to the Developmental Disabilities Citizen Advisory Board for an additional three-year term beginning upon confirmation.

Thank you for your consideration.