



Snohomish County Council

Committee: Finance
ECAF: 22-0766
Proposal: Mot. 22-335

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Date: August 18, 2022

Consideration

The Executive's Office requests Council consider approving proposed Motion 22-335 which would approve and authorize the appointment of Cheri Ryan to the Snohomish County Historic Preservation Commission.

Background

The Snohomish County Historic Preservation Commission was created in 2002 to advise the county on historic preservation issues and to serve as the Design Review Board for special valuation, a state tax incentive for rehabilitation of historic properties.

SCC 2.96.020 describes the desired qualifications of Commission members, including that at least two (2) members have professional experience in the disciplines of history, architecture, architectural history, historic preservation, planning, cultural anthropology, archaeology, cultural geography, American studies, law or real estate. Regular members shall have a demonstrated interest and competence in historic preservation and heritage issues.

The Commission consists of nine (9) members; one (1) member from each Council district and four (4) at-large members. Terms are for three (3) years.

Current Proposal

Scope: Motion 22-335 appoints Cheri Ryan to a term of three (3) years. Cheri currently serves as the President of the Lynnwood-Alderwood Manor Heritage Association and Chairs the City of Lynnwood's History and Heritage Board. Cheri meets the qualifications for board appointment. If appointed, Cheri would serve as an at-large member.

Duration: term expires January 2025

Fiscal Implications: N/A

2022 Budget: N/A

Future Budget Impacts: N/A

Handling: NORMAL

Approved-as-to-form: N/A (Board Appointment)

Risk Management: N/A

Executive Recommendation: APPROVE

Request: Move this motion to GLS on August 31 for Council to consider taking action.