SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL Snohomish County, Washington

MOTION NO. 23-194

SNOHOMISH COUNTY FOOD AND FARMING CENTER AUTHORIZING APPROVAL OF THE AGREEMENT FOR WATERSHED CERTIFICATION OF THE SNOHOMISH COUNTY FOOD AND FARMING CENTER PROJECT

WHEREAS, Snohomish County will be developing a Food and Farming Center that will be a resource for our region's fruit and vegetable farmers; and

WHEREAS, this certification will support the Snohomish County Puget Sound Initiative which focuses on protecting and restoring Puget Sound, one of the region's most valuable assets; and

WHEREAS, a Request for Proposals (RFP-22-052TB) was released in 2022 seeking consultant services to conduct on-site watershed analysis and independent certification for the County's Department of Conservation and Natural Resources Snohomish County Food and Farming Center; and

WHEREAS, Salmon Safe was selected through a competitive review process as the best qualified organization to complete the work identified; and

WHEREAS, the total amount of this contract with Salmon Safe is not to exceed \$24,800.00;

NOW, THEREFORE, ON MOTION, the Snohomish County Council approves and authorizes the Snohomish County Executive to sign and execute the Agreement with Salmon Safe.

PASSED this 14th day of June, 2023.

SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL Snohomish County, Washington

<u>Jared Mead</u> Council Chair

ATTEST:

Deputy Clerk of the Council