



Committee of the Whole

Nicole Gorle

Council Initiated:

☐ Yes

☒ No

ECAF: 2025-1072

Motion: 25-180

Type:

☐ Contract

☒ Board Appt.

☐ Code Amendment

☐ Budget Action

☐ Other

Requested Handling:

☒ Normal

☐ Expedite

☐ Urgent

Fund Source:

☐ General Fund

☐ Other

☒ N/A

Executive Rec:

☒ Approve

☐ Do Not Approve

☐ N/A

Approved as to

Form:

☐ Yes

☐ No

☒ N/A

Subject: Board Appointment – Snohomish County Council on Aging

Scope: Confirm the appointment of Kristina Gizinski to the Snohomish County Council on Aging for an initial term.

Duration: Three years from confirmation of this motion.

Fiscal Impact: ☐ Current Year ☐ Multi-Year ☒ N/A

Authority Granted: n/a

Background: The [Snohomish County Council on Aging](#) is an advisory body to the executive, department of human services, and the division on aging. The council provides advice on matters related to the administration of aging programs, and has the following duties and functions:

- Conduct public hearings and other investigations to determine the needs and priorities of county senior citizens;
- Review and recommend plans, policies, budgets, and funding applications;
- Evaluate the performance of the county aging programs at least annually;
- Advise the department of human services on matters relating to the priorities, objectives and tasks to be performed by the department;
- Submit to the county executive names of nominees for appointment to the council on aging; and
- Other duties as assigned.

The council consists of up to 30 members (there are currently eight filled positions) recommended by the executive and appointed by the council, appointed for three-year terms with a limit of three terms. Members shall include representatives of senior citizen organizations, local elected officials, and members of the general public, and over half of the members must be over 60 years old. (SCC [2.450](#), [2.03](#)).

About the applicant:

Kristina is a resident of Council District 5 and currently works at a senior living facility in Monroe. As stated in her application, she has spent her “26 year career supporting seniors and people with developmental disabilities.”

Requested Action: For Council to consider taking action.