

SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL
Snohomish County, Washington

MOTION NO. 24-201

MOTION APPOINTING HERBERT DUBER, MD, MPH, FACEP, TO SERVE AS ACTING HEALTH OFFICER WHEN SNOHOMISH COUNTY HEALTH OFFICER MAY BE ABSENT

WHEREAS, there may be periods when the position of the Snohomish County health officer is vacant or the incumbent health officer may be absent or incapacitated and unable to fulfill the responsibilities of the local health officer, and it is imperative that the responsibilities of the local health officer that require timely public health action be fulfilled for Snohomish County during these periods; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to RCW 70.05.080, Herbert Duber, MD, MPH, FACEP, may serve as acting health officer for Snohomish County when so requested; and

WHEREAS, the Snohomish County Council passed Ordinance No. 24-019 approving an interlocal agreement for health officer coverage by Dr. Duber between Washington State Department of Health and Snohomish County (the "Interlocal Agreement") on April 24, 2024; and

WHEREAS, the Interlocal Agreement requires appointment of Dr. Duber as acting local health officer; and

WHEREAS, the Snohomish County Executive has evaluated the appointment of Dr. Duber for eligibility in compliance with SCC 2.300.080 and RCW 70.05.050; and

WHEREAS, Executive Dave Somers nominates Herbert Duber, MD, MPH, FACEP, to serve as acting health officer when the Snohomish County local health officer may be absent, incapacitated, unable to fulfill the responsibilities of the position, or has otherwise vacated the position;

NOW, THEREFORE, ON MOTION, the Snohomish County Council hereby authorizes the County Executive to appoint Herbert Duber, MD, MPH, FACEP, as acting health officer when the Snohomish County local health officer may be absent, incapacitated, unable to fulfill the responsibilities of the position, or has otherwise vacated the position.


PASSED this 22nd day of May, 2024.

SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL
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Council Chair

ATTEST:



Deputy Clerk of the Council