

SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL
Snohomish County, Washington

NOTICE OF INTRODUCTION OF ORDINANCE
and
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Snohomish County Council will hold a public hearing to consider proposed Ordinance 23-003 on Wednesday, February 22, 2023, at the hour of 10:30 a.m. at 3000 Rockefeller Avenue, 8th Floor, Jackson Board Room, Everett, WA, in conjunction with a remote meeting platform via the following Zoom link:

Zoom Webinar Information:

Join online at <https://zoom.us/j/94846850772>
or by telephone call 1-253-215 8782 or 1-301-715 8592

PROPOSED ORDINANCE NO. 23-003

RELATED TO COUNTY BUDGETS AND BUDGET PROCEDURES;
AUTHORIZING BIENNIAL BUDGETS; REENACTING SCC 4.26.017

WHEREAS, the 2006 Charter Review Commission proposed an amendment to the Snohomish County Charter to give the County Council discretion to budget either annually or biennially in accordance with state law, which amendment was approved by the electorate at the general election held on November 7, 2006; and

WHEREAS, the County Council adopted Amended Ordinance 07-015 to provide for biennial budgets when consistent with the county election cycle and authorized by separate ordinance adopted pursuant to the County Charter, state law, and Chapter 4.26 SCC; and

WHEREAS, the County Council finds that it is in the best interests of the County to budget biennially for the 2025-2026 biennium and intends by this ordinance to implement biennial budgeting only for that as provided by the County Charter, state law, county code, and this ordinance;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED:

Section 1. Snohomish County Code Section 4.26.017, repealed by Ordinance No. 21-091 on November 12, 2021, is reenacted to read:

4.26.017 Biennial budget authorized.

The county budget for the period beginning January 1, 2025, and subsequent budgets, shall be prepared and adopted as biennial budgets.

At the Public Hearing, the Council may consider alternatives/amendments to the proposed ordinance.

Where to Get Copies of the Proposed Ordinance: Copies of the full ordinance and related documentation are available upon request by calling the Snohomish County Council Office at (425) 388-3494, 1-800-562-4367 x3494, TDD 1-800-877-8339, or by e-mailing Contact.Council@snoco.org.

Website Access: The ordinance and related documents can be accessed through the Council's website at <https://snohomish.legistar.com/Legislation.aspx> (File 2023-0076) or <https://snohomishcountywa.gov/2134/Council-Hearings-Calendar> - Hearings Calendar.

Public Testimony: All interested persons may testify concerning the above-described matter at the time and place indicated above or by remote participation in the meeting. Written testimony is encouraged and may be sent to Snohomish County Council, 3000 Rockefeller Avenue, M/S 609, Everett, WA 98201, faxed to 425 388-3496, or e-mailed to contact.council@snoco.org. Submitting testimony 24 hours prior to the hearing will ensure copies are provided to Council and appropriate staff in advance of the hearing.

American Disabilities Act Notice: Accommodations for persons with disabilities are available upon request. Please make arrangements one week prior to the hearing by calling Elena Lao at 425-388-3494, 1-800-562-4367 x3494, TDD 1-800-877-8339, or e-mail elena.lao@snoco.org.

Dated this 1st day of February, 2023.



Deputy Clerk of the Council

Publish: February 8, 2023

SUBMIT AFFIDAVIT TO: Council
SUBMIT INVOICE TO: Council 104482

Everett Daily Herald

Affidavit of Publication

State of Washington }
County of Snohomish } ss

RECEIVED
FEB 14 2023
Snohomish County Council

Michael Gates being first duly sworn, upon oath deposes and says: that he/she is the legal representative of the Everett Daily Herald a daily newspaper. The said newspaper is a legal newspaper by order of the superior court in the county in which it is published and is now and has been for more than six months prior to the date of the first publication of the Notice hereinafter referred to, published in the English language continually as a daily newspaper in Snohomish County, Washington and is and always has been printed in whole or part in the Everett Daily Herald and is of general circulation in said County, and is a legal newspaper, in accordance with the Chapter 99 of the Laws of 1921, as amended by Chapter 213, Laws of 1941, and approved as a legal newspaper by order of the Superior Court of Snohomish County, State of Washington, by order dated June 16, 1941, and that the annexed is a true copy of EDH971221 ORDINANCE 23-003 as it was published in the regular and entire issue of said paper and not as a supplement form thereof for a period of 1 issue(s), such publication commencing on 02/08/2023 and ending on 02/08/2023 and that said newspaper was regularly distributed to its subscribers during all of said period.

The amount of the fee for such publication is \$104.40.

[Handwritten signature]

Subscribed and sworn before me on this

9th day of February,
2023.



[Handwritten signature of Linda Phillips]

Notary Public in and for the State of Washington.

SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL
Snohomish County, Washington
NOTICE OF INTRODUCTION OF ORDINANCE
and

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Snohomish County Council will hold a public hearing to consider proposed Ordinance 23-003 on Wednesday, February 22, 2023, at the hour of 10:30 a.m. at 3000 Rockefeller Avenue, 8th Floor, Jackson Board Room, Everett, WA, in conjunction with a remote meeting platform via the following Zoom link:

Zoom Webinar Information:

Join online at <https://zoom.us/j/94846650772>
or by telephone call 1-253-215 8782 or 1-301-715 8592

PROPOSED ORDINANCE NO. 23-003
RELATED TO COUNTY BUDGETS AND BUDGET
PROCEDURES; AUTHORIZING BIENNIAL BUDGETS;
REENACTING SCC 4.26.017

WHEREAS, the 2006 Charter Review Commission proposed an amendment to the Snohomish County Charter to give the County Council discretion to budget either annually or biennially in accordance with state law, which amendment was approved by the electorate at the general election held on November 7, 2006; and

WHEREAS, the County Council adopted Amended Ordinance 07-015 to provide for biennial budgets when consistent with the county election cycle and authorized by separate ordinance adopted pursuant to the County Charter, state law, and Chapter 4.26 SCC; and

WHEREAS, the County Council finds that it is in the best interests of the County to budget biennially for the 2025-2026 biennium and intends by this ordinance to implement biennial budgeting only for that as provided by the County Charter, state law, county code, and this ordinance.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED

Section 1. Snohomish County Code Section 4.26.017, repealed by Ordinance No. 21-091 on November 12, 2021, is reenacted to read:

4.26.017 Biennial budget authorized.

The county budget for the period beginning January 1, 2025, and subsequent budgets, shall be prepared and adopted as biennial budgets.

At the Public Hearing, the Council may consider alternatives/ amendments to the proposed ordinance.

Where to Get Copies of the Proposed Ordinance: Copies of the full ordinance and related documentation are available upon request by calling the Snohomish County Council Office at (425) 388-3494, 1-800-562-4367 x3494, TDD 1-800-877-8339, or by e-mailing Contact.Council@snoco.org.

Website Access: The ordinance and related documents can be accessed through the Council's website at <https://snohomishlegistar.com/Legislation.aspx?File=2023-0076> or <https://snohomishcountywa.gov/2134/Council-Hearings-Calendar-Hearings-Calendar>.

Public Testimony: All interested persons may testify concerning the above-described matter at the time and place indicated above or by remote participation in the meeting. Written testimony is encouraged and may be sent to Snohomish County Council, 3000 Rockefeller Avenue, M/S 609, Everett WA 98201, faxed to 425-388-3496, or e-mailed to contact.council@snoco.org. Submitting testimony 24 hours prior to the hearing will ensure copies are provided to Council and appropriate staff in advance of the hearing.

American Disabilities Act Notice: Accommodations for persons with disabilities are available upon request. Please make arrangements one week prior to the hearing by calling Elena Lao at 425-388-3494, 1-800-562-4367 x3494, TDD 1-800-877-8339, or e-mail elena.lao@snoco.org.

Dated this 1st day of February, 2023.

/s/ Elena Lao, CMC
Deputy Clerk of the Council
104482

Published: February 8, 2023.

EDH971221