



## Snohomish County Council

**Committee:** Finance  
**ECAF:** 2022-0826  
**Proposal:** Mot. 22-437

**Analyst:** Jim Martin  
**Date:** November 22, 2022

### **Consideration:**

Confirming the appointment of Robert Ogawa to the Snohomish County Human Rights Commission.

### **Background**

Snohomish County Code, Chapter 2.460.020, created the Commission on Human Rights in 2010. The Commission shall consist of nine members (one from each Council district and four at-large), appointed to three-year terms by the County Executive, and confirmed by the County Council. The Commission serves in an advisory capacity to the County Executive, County Council, Office of Human Rights, and other county officers and agencies in matters concerning human rights.

After consultation with the County Sheriff, the County Executive is nominating Captain Robert Ogawa to serve as the Law Enforcement Community Representative on the Commission. Captain Ogawa has experience working with vulnerable and underserved people, has a background in human services, and has completed an internship at the Interfaith Family Homeless Shelter in Everett.

### **Current Proposal**

The motion under consideration would confirm the appointment of Robert Ogawa to the Law Enforcement Community Representative on the Snohomish County Commission on Human Rights, with a term ending July 1, 2025.

*Duration:* Through July 1, 2025.

*Fiscal Implications:* N/A

### **2022 Budget:**

N/A

**Future Budget Impacts:** None.

**Handling:** NORMAL

**Approved-as-to-form:** N/A.

**Risk Management:** N/A.

**Executive Recommendation:** APPROVE.

**Attachments:** See ECAF packet.

**Amendments:** NONE.

**Request:** Move to GLA on December 14<sup>th</sup> for consideration.