SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL Snohomish County, Washington

NOTICE OF ENACTMENT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that on December 11, 2024, the Snohomish County Council approved Ordinance No. 24-090.

ORDINANCE NO. 24-090

APPROVING DATA SHARING AGREEMENT WITH STATE OF WASHINGTON DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR THE REFUGEE HEALTH PROMOTION PROGRAM

<u>Background:</u> The ordinance approves a data sharing agreement with Washington Department of Health (DOH) to outline the conditions that require the Health Department to submit required Refugee Health Promotion (RHP) program data to DOH. The goal of RHP, funded by the Office of Refugee Resettlement (ORR), is to promote the health and well-being of refugees and other ORR eligible communities. RHP focuses on three key service types: 1) provide opportunities to increase health literacy, 2) coordinate health care, and 3) organize wellness groups. Through an intra-agency agreement, Department of Social and Health Services (DSHS) is partnering with DOH to provide RHP services to ORR-eligible communities. DOH will subcontract with Local Health Jurisdictions (LHJs) to provide services focused on health literacy and health navigation through community health workers.

For More Information: Copies of the ordinance and related documents are available upon request by calling the Council Office at (425) 388-3494, 1(800) 562-4367 x3494, TDD 1(800) 877-8339, or by e-mailing Contact.Council@snoco.org. The ordinance is also available on the Council's website at https://snohomish.legistar.com/Default.aspx (File # 2024-2333) or https://snohomishcountywa.gov/2134/Council-Hearings-Calendar.

Dated this 13th day of December, 2024.

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

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