

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 on Tuesday, October 22, 2024, at the hours of 10:30 a.m. and 6:00 p.m., and continuing thereafter as necessary in the Henry M. Jackson Board Room, 8th Floor, Robert J. Drewel Building, 3000 Rockefeller, Everett, Washington, in conjunction with a remote meeting platform via the following Zoom link, to consider proposed Budget Ordinance No. 24-081, titled: RELATING TO THE GROWTH MANAGEMENT ACT, ADOPTING THE 2025-2030 CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM AS PART OF THE SNOHOMISH COUNTY CAPITAL FACILITIES PLAN

Zoom Webinar Information:

Join online at <https://zoom.us/j/94846850772>
or by telephone call 1-253-215-8782 or 1-206-337-9723

A summary of the ordinance is as follows:

Background: This ordinance adopts the 2025-2030 Capital Improvement Program (CIP) as part of the county budget to satisfy requirements from the Growth Management Act (GMA), Snohomish County Charter, Snohomish County Code, and policies in the County's GMA comprehensive plan to provide a six-year financing plan for all county capital facilities and services and to assess the adequacy of funding and regulatory mechanisms for those capital facilities necessary to support development.

PROPOSED ORDINANCE NO. 24-081

Sections 1, 2, and 3. Adopt recitals, findings, and conclusions, and states that the Snohomish County Council bases its decision on the entire record.

Section 4. Adopts the 2025-2030 CIP as shown in Exhibit A to the ordinance. The CIP is a component of the Capital Facilities Plan but is a physically separate document that fulfills the county's related financial and infrastructure responsibilities required under state and local law. The CIP divides the county's capital projects into three broad categories: 1) General Government; 2) Transportation; and 3) Proprietary. The CIP incorporates, by reference, the annual Transportation Improvement Program and its supporting documents for the surface transportation capital construction program. The CIP also includes a determination that probable funding for public facilities that are necessary to support development are adequate and will not fall short of maintaining minimum level-of-service standards (called the "statement of assessment").

Section 5. States that the 2025-2030 CIP supersedes all other county capital improvement programs.

Section 6. Includes a severability and savings clause.

Attachment to the Ordinance:

Exhibit A. Executive-Recommended 2025-2030 Capital Improvement Program.

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State Environmental Policy Act: State Environmental Policy Act (SEPA) requirements with respect to this non-project action have been satisfied through issuance of the Final Environmental Impact Statement for the Snohomish County Comprehensive Plan 2024 Update. Copies of all applicable SEPA documents are available at the office of the County Council.

Where to Get Copies of the Proposed Ordinance: Copies of the full ordinance and other documentation are available upon request by calling the Snohomish County Council Office at 425.388.3494, 1.800.562.4367x3494, TDD 425.877.8339 or by e-mailing contact.council@snoco.org.

Website Access: This ordinance can be accessed through the Council website at: <https://snohomish.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx> or <http://www.snohomishcountywa.gov/2134/County-Hearings-Calendar>.

Range of Possible Actions the County Council May Take on This Proposal: At the conclusion of its public hearing(s), the County Council may make one of the following decisions regarding the proposed actions: (1) adopt the proposed ordinance; (2) adopt an amended version of the proposed ordinance; (3) decline to adopt the proposed ordinance; (4) adopt such other proposals or modification of such proposals as were considered by the council at its own hearing; or (5) take any other action permitted by law.

Public Testimony: Anyone interested may testify concerning the above described matter at the time and place indicated above or by remote participation in the meeting. The County Council may continue the hearing to another date to allow additional public testimony thereafter, if deemed necessary. Written testimony is encouraged and may be sent to the office of the Snohomish County Council at 3000 Rockefeller Ave M/S 609, Everett, WA 98201; faxed to 425.388.3496 or emailed to Contact.Council@snoco.org. Submitting public comments 24 hours prior to the hearing will ensure that comments are provided to the Council and appropriate staff in advance of the hearing.

Party of Record: You may become a party of record on this matter by sending a written request to the Clerk of the County Council at the above address, testifying at the public hearing, or entering your name and address on a register provided for that purpose at the public hearing.

Americans with Disabilities Act Notice: Accommodations for persons with disabilities will be provided upon request. Please make arrangements one week prior to the hearing by calling Debbie Eco at 425.388.3494, 1.800.562.4367 x3494, or TDD #1.800.877.8339.

QUESTIONS: For additional information or specific questions on the proposed ordinance, please call Matthew Siddons in Planning and Development Services at 425.262.2114.

DATED this 12th day of September 2024.

SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL
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Council Chair

ATTEST:


Clerk of the Council

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October 8, 2024

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