SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL Snohomish County, Washington

MOTION 21-276

AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE TO SIGN GCB 3546 REIMBURSABLE AGREEMENT FOR STATE MATERIALS LAB ENGINEERING AND/OR TESTING

WHEREAS, Snohomish County (the "County") constructs projects each year that are approved by the County Council through the Roads Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) and the Solid Waste and Surface Water Management Capital Improvement Programs (CIPs); and

WHEREAS, the approved project budgets include, when applicable, costs for engineering and testing services, such as materials fabrication, testing, and inspection; asphalt mix design and verification; preparation of "Record of Materials" documents; test drilling; and other engineering/geologic/testing services that may be required for project construction; and

WHEREAS, the County may not have staff or facilities available or capable of performing certain engineering and testing services when needed; and

WHEREAS, the Washington State Department of Transportation ("WSDOT") offers engineering and testing services for construction projects on a reimbursable basis by means of a standard form agreement with its Materials Lab; and

WHEREAS, the County has utilized the WSDOT Materials Lab for such services for more than 29 years; and

WHEREAS, the County desires to execute a non-project specific, 10-year agreement with WSDOT to provide such services upon request by the County; and

WHEREAS, the estimated average annual cost of such services is approximately \$65,000; and

WHEREAS, future expenditures for engineering and testing services pursuant to this agreement will continue to be included in project budgets submitted to the County Council for approval;

NOW, THEREFORE, ON MOTION, the Snohomish County Council approves and authorizes the County Executive to sign Reimbursable Services Agreement GCB 3587 with Washington State Department of Transportation for State Materials Lab Engineering and/or Testing. PASSED this 25th day of August 2021.

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Council Chair

ATTEST:

Asst. Clerk of the Council