

SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL Snohomish County, Washington

RESOLUTION NO. 22-067

RECOGNIZING TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 2022, AS "GIVING TUESDAY"

WHEREAS, "Giving Tuesday" has been recognized the Tuesday following Thanksgiving to encourage people to give back to their community and support acts of generosity during the holiday season; and

WHEREAS, since its creation in 2012, Giving Tuesday has grown to a global movement to inspire hundreds of millions of people to give, collaborate, and celebrate generosity; and

WHEREAS, according to records from the Washington Secretary of State's Office, Snohomish County is home to over 860 registered and active nonprofit organizations, and Washington State has over 12,200 registered and active nonprofit organizations; and

WHEREAS, nonprofit and charitable organizations play a vital role in Snohomish County by providing services, goods, and resources to meet community needs; and

WHEREAS, Snohomish County Government is proud to partner with a number of nonprofit organizations to help deliver services to those in need across our county ranging from housing assistance, medical services, food supplies, mental health services, drug and alcohol treatment, veteran services, utility assistance, services for seniors, and many more basic needs; and

WHEREAS, charitable nonprofits embody the best of America. They provide a way for people to work together for the common good, transforming shared beliefs and hopes into action. They give shape to our boldest dreams, highest ideals, and noblest causes; and

WHEREAS, Snohomish County is more equitable and thriving because of the compassionate and dedicated work and volunteer efforts through the many nonprofit organizations who work in Snohomish County;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, Snohomish County Council recognizes Tuesday, November 29, 2022, as Giving Tuesday in Snohomish County and encourages all who can to give back to the community through volunteerism, financial support, or by donating time and talent through board or commission services which will affect positive change and promote a better Snohomish County.

APPROVED this 30th day of November 2022.

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