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> Dave Somers County Executive

## MEMORANDUM

**DATE:** February 6, 2023

**TO:** Jared Mead, Snohomish County Council Chair

**FROM:** Dave Somers, Snohomish County Executive

**SUBJECT:** Appointments to Snohomish County Veterans Assistance Fund Executive Board

I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Joshua Corsa to the Snohomish County Veterans Assistance Fund Executive Board.

The Snohomish County Veterans Assistance Fund Executive Board was created under Ordinance 95-088, to advise the County on matters relating to veterans and the needs of vulnerable veterans. The purpose of the Veterans Assistance Fund is to provide emergency assistance to honorably discharged veterans and eligible dependents. Vouchers are provided for basic necessities including food, rent, utilities and other emergency needs.

The Veterans Assistance Fund Executive Board is comprised of members of nationally recognized veterans' service organizations or the veterans' community at large. Board members are recommended by the County Executive and confirmed by the County Council.

 Joshua Corsa, residing in Council District 5, is seeking appointment to represent the Veterans of Foreign Wars. Mr. Corsa lives in Snohomish and has served in the United States Army National Guard since 1998. He is very active in the community, is a lifetime member of the VFW, and would be a valuable asset to the Snohomish County Veterans Assistance Fund Executive Board. This will be Joshua Corsa's first term on the Board.

Pursuant to SCC 2.03.030, I hereby recommend Council confirmation of Joshua Corsa for appointment to the Snohomish County Veterans Assistance Fund Executive Board for his first four-year term to expire on 3/31/2027.

Thank you for your consideration.