MEMORANDUM

DATE: August 31, 2021

TO: Stephanie Wright, Chair of the Snohomish County Council

FROM: Dave Somers, Snohomish County Executive

RE: Re-Appointment to the Snohomish County Human Rights Commission

I am pleased to recommend the re-appointment of Gloria Ngezaho to the Snohomish County Human Rights Commission (SCHRC).

The Snohomish County Human Rights Commission serves as an advisory body to the County Executive, County Council, Office of Human Rights and other county officers and agencies in matters concerning Human Rights. The commission consists of nine members appointed by the County Executive and confirmed by the County Council. Members of the commission shall serve without compensation.

Gloria Ngezaho resides in Snohomish County. Gloria was appointed to the Commission to represent the Executive a couple of years ago and is seeking re-appointment to continue their work. Gloria continues to be an advocate for human rights and serves in various high-level positions that advance diversity, equity, equality, inclusion, and belonging, in Snohomish County and previous communities of Multnomah and King Counties.

This nomination has been discussed with the Snohomish County Executive Office.

Pursuant to SCC 2.03.030, I hereby urge the Council's confirmation of Gloria Ngezaho to be reappointed to the Snohomish County Human Rights Commission to a term ending on June 30, 2024.

Thank you for your consideration.