



Snohomish County Council

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ITEM TITLE:

Motion 23-309, approval of Broadband Spending Plan through the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA)

DEPARTMENT: Office of Recovery & Resilience

ORIGINATOR: Jessica Ruhle for Kara Main-Hester

EXECUTIVE RECOMMENDATION: Ken Klein 7/18/23

PURPOSE: This memo is meant to satisfy the ARPA Spending Plan required by the 2023 Adopted Budget Condition No. 3. County Council must approve the spending plan by motion.

BACKGROUND: Snohomish County Council appropriated \$10 million of the County’s ARPA CLFR funds to expand broadband access throughout the county. The COVID-19 pandemic demonstrated the crucial need for county-wide, reliable high-speed internet. Online schooling, telehealth and remote work are basic needs that cannot be fulfilled without reliable connections. Spending Plan for 2023 to 2026.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS:

EXPEND: FUND, AGY, ORG, ACTY, OBJ, AU	CURRENT YR	2ND YR	1ST 6 YRS
TOTAL			

REVENUE: FUND, AGY, ORG, REV, SOURCE	CURRENT YR	2ND YR	1ST 6 YRS
TOTAL			

DEPARTMENT FISCAL IMPACT NOTES: [Click or tap here to enter text.](#)

CONTRACT INFORMATION:

ORIGINAL	CONTRACT#	AMOUNT
AMENDMENT	CONTRACT#	AMOUNT

Contract Period

ORIGINAL	START	END
AMENDMENT	START	END

OTHER DEPARTMENTAL REVIEW/COMMENTS: Reviewed/approved by Finance (Nathan Kennedy 7/18/23)