

Whatcom County Council (Special)

**COUNTY COURTHOUSE
311 Grand Avenue, Ste #105
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Minutes - Final

Tuesday, December 19, 2023

11 AM

Virtual Meeting

**VIRTUAL-ONLY MEETING (SEE REMOTE JOIN INSTRUCTIONS AT
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COUNCILMEMBERS

Barry Buchanan
Tyler Byrd
Todd Donovan
Ben Elenbaas
Carol Frazey
Kaylee Galloway
Kathy Kershner

CLERK OF THE COUNCIL

Dana Brown-Davis, C.M.C.

Call To Order

Council Chair Barry Buchanan called the meeting to order at 11 a.m. in a virtual meeting.

Roll Call

Present: 6 - Barry Buchanan, Tyler Byrd, Todd Donovan, Ben Elenbaas, Kaylee Galloway, and Kathy Kershner

Absent: 1 - Carol Frazey

Announcements

Council Discussion and Action

1. [AB2023-841](#) Resolution amending Resolution 2023-050 to re-certify taxing district levies for collection in 2024 to the County Assessor

Rebecca Xczar, County Assessor, stated at the last meeting there were several blank spots in the exhibit for taxing districts that had not yet submitted information or had submitted it incorrectly, so this is to make corrections and to get those additions in there. She spoke about three cemetery districts that did not submit anything at all and stated the Council has the authority to go ahead and levy for them the same amount as last year. She answered whether we just did not hear from those cemetery districts.

Donovan moved and Byrd seconded that the Resolution be APPROVED. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 6 - Buchanan, Byrd, Donovan, Elenbaas, Galloway, and Kershner

Nay: 0

Absent: 1 - Frazey

Enactment No: RES 2023-056

Items Added by Revision

There were no agenda items added by revision.

Other Business

There was no other business.

Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 11:04 a.m.

The County Council approved these minutes on January 9, 2024.

ATTEST:

WHATCOM COUNTY COUNCIL
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Dana Brown-Davis, Council Clerk

Barry Buchanan, Council Chair

Kristi Felbinger, Minutes Transcription

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