

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

- At the March 11, 2008, council meeting, council [passed a resolution](#) supporting the implementation of the North Cascades grizzly bear recovery plan.
- [3/11/08 Meeting Minutes Discussing Grizzly Resolution 2008-013](#) (pg. 12-13)
- At the March 21, 2017, council meeting, [council approved sending a letter](#) (see link to minutes) to the Superintendent of the North Cascades National Park Service regarding comments on the reintroduction of grizzly bears.
- At the April 11, 2023, council meeting, council approved a motion to send a letter regarding the North Cascades Ecosystem Grizzly Bear Restoration Plan/Environmental Impact Statement.
- [4/11/23 Meeting Minutes Discussing Joint Grizzly Letter](#) (pg. 9-10)
- At the [April 25, 2023 council meeting](#), the Clerk of the Council shared that Okanogan and Snohomish Counties sent individual letters, while Skagit and Chelan intended to send a joint letter and asked if council preferred to sign on to the joint letter or send a letter on its own. [A motion to sign the joint letter with Skagit and Chelan passed 5-0-2.](#)
- [4/25/23 meeting minutes clarifying joint grizzly letter](#) (pg. 18-19)