



Whatcom County

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Agenda Bill Master Report

File Number: **AB2021-408**

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| Department: | Public Works Department | File Type: | Ordinance Requiring a Public Hearing | | |
| Assigned to: | Council | | | Final Action: | 09/14/2021 |
| Agenda Date: | 09/14/2021 | | | Enactment #: | ORD 2021-053 |

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TITLE FOR AGENDA ITEM:

Ordinance adopting amendments to Whatcom County Code Title 17 Flood Damage Prevention

SUMMARY STATEMENT OR LEGAL NOTICE LANGUAGE:

The proposed ordinance adopts minor amendments to the Whatcom County Flood Damage Prevention Code (Title 17) that include the following:

Amendments necessary to comply with updated Community Rating System (CRS) Class prerequisites for freeboard

Amendments necessary to comply with updated FEMA policy document # 104-008-03 for Agricultural and Accessory Structures

Revisions to the variance process

The deadline to have Title 17 amendments adopted is 9/30/21

HISTORY OF LEGISLATIVE FILE

| Date: | Acting Body: | Action: | Sent To: |
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| 08/10/2021 | Council | INTRODUCED FOR PUBLIC HEARING Aye: 7 Browne, Buchanan, Byrd, Donovan, Elenbaas, Frazey, and Kershner Nay: 0 Absent: 0 | Council |
| 09/14/2021 | Council | ADOPTED Aye: 7 Browne, Buchanan, Byrd, Donovan, Elenbaas, Frazey, and Kershner Nay: 0 Absent: 0 | |

Attachments: Staff Memo, Proposed Ordinance, Title 17 Clean, Title 17 with Comments