



Whatcom County

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Agenda Bill Master Report

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TITLE FOR AGENDA ITEM:

Ordinance amending the 2025 Whatcom County Budget, request no. 11, in the amount of \$517,671

SUMMARY STATEMENT OR LEGAL NOTICE LANGUAGE:

Supplemental #11 requests funding from the General Fund:

1. To appropriate \$27,171 in District Court to fund interpreter services in District Court using grant funds from Administrative Office of the Courts.
2. To appropriate \$50,000 in Superior Court to fund costs related to Uniform Guardianship Act compliance RCW 11.130.
3. To appropriate \$15,000 in Superior Court to fund costs related to court interpreter program.

From the Jail Fund:

4. To appropriate \$125,500 in Sheriff - Corrections to fund purchase of medications for opioid use disorder (MOUD) using grant funds from the Washington State Department of Social and Health Services.

From the Real Estate Excise Tax II Fund:

5. To appropriate \$300,000 in Non-Departmental to fund an operational transfer for the creation of the Silver Lake Lagoon Bridge Fund. Companion to supplemental #5169.

HISTORY OF LEGISLATIVE FILE

Date:	Acting Body:	Action:	Sent To:
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10/07/2025	Council	INTRODUCED	Council Finance and Administrative Services Committee
		Aye: 7	Buchanan, Byrd, Donovan, Elenbaas, Galloway, Scanlon, and Stremmer
		Nay: 0	
10/21/2025	Council Finance and Administrative Services Committee	RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION	
		Aye: 3	Byrd, Donovan, and Buchanan
		Nay: 0	
10/21/2025	Council	ADOPTED	
		Aye: 7	Buchanan, Byrd, Donovan, Elenbaas, Galloway, Scanlon, and Stremmer
		Nay: 0	

Attachments: Proposed Ordinance, Summary by Fund, Summary Listing, Supplemental Requests, Notice of Action Proposed on 10.7.2025