



# Whatcom County

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## Agenda Bill Master Report

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### TITLE FOR AGENDA ITEM:

Ordinance adopting amendments to Whatcom County Code 24.05, Onsite Sewage System Regulations

### SUMMARY STATEMENT OR LEGAL NOTICE LANGUAGE:

The proposed ordinance amends Whatcom County Code 24.05 Onsite Sewage System Regulations. In January of 2024, the Board of Health adopted changes to the Washington State administration code WAC 246-272A. Since this time, WCC.24.05 has been reviewed to reflect OSS mangament best practices and the required changes in WAC 246-272A.

### HISTORY OF LEGISLATIVE FILE

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<b>Date:</b>	<b>Acting Body:</b>	<b>Action:</b>	<b>Sent To:</b>
02/11/2025	Council	INTRODUCED	Council Public Works & Health Committee
		Aye: 7 Nay: 0	Buchanan, Byrd, Donovan, Elenbaas, Galloway, Scanlon, and Stremler
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03/11/2025	Council	ADOPTED	
		Aye: 7 Nay: 0	Buchanan, Byrd, Donovan, Elenbaas, Galloway, Scanlon, and Stremler

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**Attachments:** Staff Memo, Summary of Significant Code Changes, Substitute Summary of Significant Code Changes, Proposed Ordinance, Notice of Action Proposed on 2.11.2025, Notice of Hearing after 2.25.2025