

RESOLUTION NO. _____

**A RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE WHATCOM COUNTY AMERICANS WITH
DISABILITIES ACT (ADA) TRANSITION PLAN WITHIN PUBLIC RIGHTS-OF-WAY**

WHEREAS, the Americans with Disabilities Act was enacted on July 26, 1990 and provides comprehensive civil rights to persons with disabilities; and

WHEREAS, to satisfy the requirements of ADA Title II Part 35, Subpart D, the Whatcom County Department of Public Works initiated the drafting of a Transition Plan to outline modifications and efforts that must be made to correct findings of non-compliance with ADA standards; and

WHEREAS, Title II of the ADA requires public entities to provide an opportunity to interested parties, including individuals with disabilities or organizations representing individuals with disabilities to participate in the development of the transition plan, and

WHEREAS, the County held an official 30-day public comment period of the draft ADA Transition Plan and incorporated feedback from the public and interested groups into the Whatcom County ADA Transition Plan Within Public Rights-of-Way in attached Exhibit A;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Whatcom County Council that the Whatcom County ADA Transition Plan Within Public Rights-of-Way, attached hereto as Exhibit A, is hereby adopted.

ADOPTED this ____ day of _____, 2021.

ATTEST: WHATCOM COUNTY COUNCIL
WHATCOM COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Dana Brown-Davis, Clerk of the Council

Barry Buchanan, Council Chair

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Approved by Christopher Quinn by email/DH
Sr. Deputy Prosecuting Attorney,
Civil Division

Satpal Singh Sidhu, Executive

() Approved () Denied

Date: _____