



Whatcom County

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Agenda Bill Master Report

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TITLE FOR AGENDA ITEM:

Ordinance establishing the Silver Beach Creek Fund and establishing a project based budget for the Silver Beach Creek Stormwater Improvements Fund

SUMMARY STATEMENT OR LEGAL NOTICE LANGUAGE:

Request establishes the Silver Beach Creek Stormwater Improvements Fund and requests a project based budget to fund stormwater capital improvements in the amount of \$780,000.

HISTORY OF LEGISLATIVE FILE

Date:	Acting Body:	Action:	Sent To:
07/07/2020	Council	INTRODUCED	Council Finance and Administrative Services Committee
		Aye: 6	Browne, Buchanan, Byrd, Donovan, Frazey, and Elenbaas
		Nay: 0	
		Absent: 1	Kershner
07/21/2020	Council Finance and Administrative Services Committee	RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION	
		Aye: 3	Browne, Byrd, and Kershner
		Nay: 0	
		Absent: 0	
07/21/2020	Council	ADOPTED	
		Aye: 6	Browne, Buchanan, Byrd, Donovan, Frazey, and Kershner
		Nay: 1	Elenbaas

Absent: 0

Attachments: Proposed Ordinance, Departmental Memo, Silver Beach Creek Request

ORDINANCE NO. 2020-040

**ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE SILVER BEACH CREEK FUND AND
ESTABLISHING A PROJECT BASED BUDGET FOR THE SILVER BEACH CREEK
STORMWATER IMPROVEMENTS FUND**

WHEREAS, Silver Beach Creek Stormwater Improvements Phase 1 is listed as item number 2 on the 2020-2025 Six-Year Water Resources Improvement Program for the Lake Whatcom Watershed with anticipated total cost of \$780,000, and,

WHEREAS, phase 1 of this project will treat runoff from approximately 24 acres and includes system upgrades to improve water quality through construction of filter vaults or installation of modular wetland systems which will remove approximately 15 pounds of phosphorus, and

WHEREAS, local funding for phase 1 of this project will be provided by \$695,000 in Real Estate Excise Tax II funds, and \$85,000 in Lake Whatcom Stormwater Utility Funds, and

WHEREAS, Section 6.80 of the Whatcom County Home Rule Charter allows for project-based capital budget appropriation ordinances that lapse when the project has been completed or abandoned or when no expenditure or encumbrance has been made for three (3) years,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Whatcom County Council that a new fund is hereby established, effective immediately, titled Silver Beach Creek Stormwater Improvements Fund. This fund shall be used to account for the revenues and expenditures of the improvement project described above, and

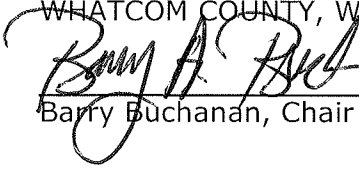
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2 **BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED** by the Whatcom County Council that the Silver
3 Beach Creek Stormwater Improvements Fund is approved with an initial project
4 budget of \$780,000.

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6 **ADOPTED** this 21st day of July, 2020.

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12 Dana Brown-Davis, Clerk of the Council

WHATCOM COUNTY COUNCIL
WHATCOM COUNTY, WASHINGTON


Barry Buchanan, Chair of the Council

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16 APPROVED AS TO FORM:

WHATCOM COUNTY EXECUTIVE
WHATCOM COUNTY, WASHINGTON

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19 Approved by email/C Quinn/M Caldwell
20 Christopher Quinn
21 Senior Deputy Prosecuting
22 Attorney – Civil Division


Satpal Sidhu, County Executive

Approved () Denied

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24 Date Signed: 7/27/2020
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