

RESOLUTION NO. _____

**CERTIFYING AMOUNTS TO BE LEVIED BY WHATCOM COUNTY TAXING
DISTRICTS FOR COLLECTION IN 2026 TO THE COUNTY ASSESSOR**

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provisions of RCW 84.52.070, it is the duty of the Whatcom County Council to certify to the County Assessor the amount of taxes levied upon the property in the County for County purposes and the respective amounts of taxes levied by the board for each city, town and taxing district within or coextensive with Whatcom County in 2025, for city, town, or district purposes.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Whatcom County Council hereby certifies to the Whatcom County Assessor the respective amounts of taxes levied by the board for each taxing district as outlined in Exhibit A to this resolution; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, in making such certification the Council is relying on information provided by the taxing districts; and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, should the valuation of one or more districts change significantly, the County Assessor, with permission of the taxing district, is hereby authorized to adjust the amount of taxes levied, upon written notification to the Whatcom County Council.

APPROVED this ____ day of _____, 2025.

ATTEST:

WHATCOM COUNTY COUNCIL
WHATCOM COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Cathy Halka, Clerk of the Council

Kaylee Galloway, Council Chair

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Approved by Kimberly Thulin 10.31.2025/lb
Kimberly Thulin, Civil Deputy Prosecutor

EXHIBIT A

CERTIFICATION OF PROPERTY TAX LEVIES FOR TAXING DISTRICTS

In accordance with RCW 84.52.070, the Whatcom County Council hereby certifies to the Whatcom County Assessor the amounts to be levied by each of the following taxing districts for collection in 2026.

*****This Exhibit is being updated as districts turn in their levy amounts. A final exhibit will be uploaded to this final for the December 1st meeting.***

DISTRICT	REGULAR LEVY	EXCESS LEVY
<i>City of Bellingham</i>	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:
<i>City of Blaine</i>	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:
<i>City of Everson</i>	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:
<i>City of Ferndale</i>	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:
<i>City of Lynden</i>	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:
<i>City of Nooksack</i>	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:
<i>City of Sumas</i>	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:
<i>Cemetery Dist #1</i>	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:
<i>Cemetery Dist #2</i>	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:
<i>Cemetery Dist #3</i>	Levy Request Amount: \$8,079.46 Refund: \$122.98 Other:	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:
<i>Cemetery Dist #4</i>	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:
<i>Cemetery Dist #5</i>	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:
<i>Cemetery Dist #6</i>	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:

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<i>Cemetery Dist #7</i>	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:
<i>Cemetery Dist #8</i>	Levy Request Amount: \$7,222.67 Refund: \$47.14 Other: \$18.00 – New Const & State Assessed	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:
<i>Cemetery Dist #9</i>	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:
<i>Cemetery Dist #10</i>	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:
<i>Cemetery Dist #11</i>	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:
<i>Fire Dist #1</i>	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:
<i>Fire Dist #4</i>	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:
<i>Fire Dist #5</i>	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:
<i>Fire Dist #7</i>	Levy Request Amount: \$11,150,725. Refund: \$88,204.21 Other:	Levy Request Amount: \$277,200. BOND Refund: Other:
<i>Fire Dist #8</i>	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:
<i>Fire Dist #11</i>	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:
<i>Fire Dist #14</i>	Levy Request Amount: \$2,275,000. Refund: \$8,144.48 Other:	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:
<i>Fire Dist #16</i>	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:
<i>Fire Dist #17</i>	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:
<i>Fire Dist #18</i>	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:

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<i>Fire Dist #19</i>	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:
<i>Fire Dist #21</i>	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:
<i>Fire Dist #11 EMS</i>	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:
<i>Fire Dist #16 EMS</i>	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:
<i>Fire Dist #4 EMS</i>	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:
<i>Fire SWFA</i>	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:	Levy Request Amount: Refund: BOND:
<i>Point Roberts Hospital</i>	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:
<i>Point Roberts Park & Rec #1</i>	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:
<i>Blaine-Birch Bay Parks & Rec</i>	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:
<i>Lynden Parks & Rec</i>	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:
<i>Port of Bellingham</i>	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Non-voted bond debt amount: Other:	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:
<i>WC Rural Library</i>	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:
<i>Affordable Housing Bellingham</i>	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:	Levy Request Amount: Refund: Other:

DISTRICT	ENRICHMENT	CAPITAL PROJECTS	BOND
<i>Bellingham School Dist #501</i>	Certified Levy Request: Refund: Other:	Certified Levy Request: Refund: Other:	Certified Levy Request: Refund: Other:
<i>Ferndale School Dist #502</i>	Certified Levy Request: Refund: Other:	Certified Levy Request: Refund: Other:	Certified Levy Request: Refund: Other:
<i>Blaine School Dist #503</i>	Certified Levy Request: Refund: Other:	Certified Levy Request: Refund: Other:	Certified Levy Request: Refund: Other:
<i>Lynden School Dist #504</i>	Certified Levy Request: Refund: Other:	Certified Levy Request: Refund: Other:	Certified Levy Request: Refund: Other:
<i>Meridian School Dist #505</i>	Certified Levy Request: Refund: Other:	Certified Levy Request: Refund: Other:	Certified Levy Request: Refund: Other:
<i>Nooksack School Dist #506</i>	Certified Levy Request: Refund: Other:	Certified Levy Request: Refund: Other:	Certified Levy Request: Refund: Other:
<i>Mt Baker School Dist #507</i>	Certified Levy Request: Refund: Other:	Certified Levy Request: Refund: Other:	Certified Levy Request: Refund: Other:
<i>Concrete School Dist #11</i>	Certified Levy Request: Refund: Other:	Certified Levy Request: Refund: Other:	Certified Levy Request: Refund: Other: