

**ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_\_\_**

**ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CENTRAL SHOP NPDES STORMWATER  
IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT FUND, REQUEST NO. 1**

**WHEREAS**, Ordinance No. 2023-043 established the project budget for Central Shop NPDES Stormwater Improvements; and

**WHEREAS**, Central Shop NPDES Stormwater Improvements project is mandated per the Department of Ecology Level 3 Corrective Action to comply with the Industrial Stormwater General Permit #WAR 011715; and

**WHEREAS**, the project will improve the water quality of the stormwater discharging from the facility site at 901 West Smith Road, Bellingham, WA 98226; and

**WHEREAS**, this request includes costs associated with contracted professional engineering services, county survey and permit assistance, permit fees and county staff time for project management; and

**WHEREAS**, additional funds are needed to cover the construction costs associated with the proposed upgrades. The updated construction related expenses for this project are estimated at \$2,614,000; and

**WHEREAS**, all local funding for this request will come from the Road Fund; 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,

1  
2  
3  
4  
5  
6  
7  
8  
9  
10  
11  
12  
13  
14  
15  
16  
17  
18  
19  
20  
21  
22  
23  
24

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the Whatcom County Council that Ordinance No. 2023-043 is hereby amended to add \$2,614,000 of expenditure authority, as described in Exhibit A, for a revised total budget of \$2,869,500.

**ADOPTED** this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024.

ATTEST: WHATCOM COUNTY COUNCIL  
WHATCOM COUNTY, WASHINGTON

\_\_\_\_\_  
Cathy Halka, Clerk of the Council

\_\_\_\_\_  
Barry Buchanan, Council Chair

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

WHATCOM COUNTY EXECUTIVE  
WHATCOM COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Approved by email/C Quinn/J Green \_\_\_\_\_  
Christopher Quinn,  
Chief Deputy Prosecuting Attorney  
Civil Division

\_\_\_\_\_  
Satpal Sidhu, County Executive

( ) Approved ( ) Denied

Date Signed: \_\_\_\_\_