

**PROPOSAL – ESTABLISHMENT OF A BIRCH BAY LIBRARY CAPITAL FACILITY AREA**

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The Whatcom County Council adopted Ordinance No. 2021-\_\_\_\_\_ concerning a proposition to establish the Birch Bay Library Capital Facility Area to finance a new library facility in Birch Bay. If approved, this proposition would establish the Birch Bay Library Capital Facility Area with boundaries as described in County Council Ordinance No. 049, authorize it to acquire, construct, furnish and equip a new library in Birch Bay, incur indebtedness to finance such improvements through the issuance of up to \$4,500,000 in general obligation bonds maturing within 20 years, and levy annual excess property taxes to repay such bonds. Should this proposition be Approved?

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