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### ACTION TAKEN

Whatcom County Council adopted the following at its November 19, 2019, meeting: **ORDINANCE (2019-079) AMENDING WHATCOM COUNTY CODE TITLE 3, REQUIRING THAT PUBLIC FUNDS USED FOR CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS DO DOUBLE DUTY BY ALSO PROVIDING APPRENTICES WITH JOB TRAINING HOURS TO MEET THE REQUIREMENTS NECESSARY TO BECOME THE NEXT GENERATION OF SKILLED TRADES PERSONS (AB2019-285)**: This ordinance amends the Whatcom County Code to include a new chapter "Construction Projects - Apprentices Requirements" that requires that public funds used for construction projects do double duty by also providing apprentices with job training hours to meet the requirements necessary to become the next generation of skilled persons. This ordinance was introduced November 6, 2019.

**ORDINANCE (2019-075) AUTHORIZING THE LEVY OF TAXES FOR COUNTYWIDE EMERGENCY MEDICAL PURPOSES FOR 2020 (AB2019-542)**: This ordinance limits the amount collected through the Countywide Emergency Medical levy to be limited to the amount of 2019 taxes, increased for the addition of new construction and improvements to property and any increase in the value of state assessed property. A property tax increase, in addition to the amount resulting from the addition of new construction and improvements to property and any increase in the value of state-assessed property, is authorized for the 2020 levy in the amount of \$0, which is a percentage increase of 0% from the previous year. This ordinance was introduced November 6, 2019. **ORDINANCE (2019-076) AUTHORIZING THE LEVY OF TAXES FOR CONSERVATION FUTURES PURPOSES FOR 2020 (AB2019-543)**: This ordinance, pursuant to Home Rule Charter Section 6.10, states that the amount collected through the County Conservation Futures levy shall be limited to the amount of 2019 taxes, increased for the addition of new construction and improvements to property and any increase in the value of state assessed property. A property tax increase, in addition to the amount resulting from the addition of new construction and improvements to property and any increase in the value of state-assessed property, is hereby authorized for the 2020 levy in the amount of \$0, which is a percentage increase of 0% from the previous year. This ordinance was introduced November 6, 2019. **ORDINANCE (2019-077) AUTHORIZING THE LEVY OF 2020 PROPERTY TAXES FOR COUNTY ROAD PURPOSES (AB2019-544)**: This ordinance, pursuant to Home Rule Charter Section 6.10, states that the amount collected through the County Road levy shall be limited to the amount of 2019 taxes, increased for the addition of new construction and improvements to property and any increase in the value of state assessed property. A property tax increase in addition to the amount resulting from the addition of new construction and improvements to property and any increase in the value of state-assessed property is hereby authorized for the 2020 levy in the amount of \$0, which is a percentage increase of 0% from the previous year. This also authorizes diverting \$806,530 of the County Road District levy for the budget year 2020 to the General Fund. Diverted County Road Taxes are to be used for traffic law enforcement in the unincorporated areas of Whatcom County. This ordinance was introduced November 6, 2019. **ORDINANCE (2019-078) AUTHORIZING THE LEVY OF TAXES FOR COUNTY AND STATE PURPOSES IN WHATCOM COUNTY, WASHINGTON, FOR THE YEAR OF 2020 (AB2019-547)**: This ordinance states that the amounts collected through the County general levy shall be limited to the amount of 2019 taxes increased for the addition of new construction and improvements to property and any increase in the value of state assessed property. The taxes to be levied against parcels of property within the Diking Districts, Drainage Districts, and Drainage Improvement Districts are to be credited to the individual maintenance funds for the year 2020, and the amounts to be apportioned to the original assessments for construction in said districts per Exhibit B of the ordinance. Exhibit B is lengthy and detailed therefore citizens are strongly encouraged to request a copy or view them online at the Legislative Information Center. Website: <http://www.co.whatcom.wa.us/268/County-Council>. This ordinance was introduced November 6, 2019.

**ORDINANCE (2019-080) AMENDING THE 2019 WHATCOM COUNTY**

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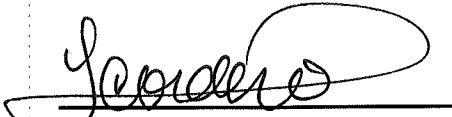
VICTORIA RODELA, being duly sworn, deposes and says: That he/she is the Principal Clerk of The Bellingham Herald, a daily newspaper printed and published in Bellingham, Whatcom County, State of Washington, and having a general circulation therein, and which said newspaper has been continuously and uninterruptedly published in said County during a period of six months prior to the first publication of the notice, a copy of which is attached hereto: that said notice was published in The Bellingham Herald, as amended, for:

1 Insertions

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(Principal Clerk)

Subscribed and sworn on this 25th day of November in the year of 2019 before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared before me Victoria Rodela known or identified to me to be the person whose name subscribed to the within instrument, and being by first duly sworn, declared that the statements therein are true, and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same.

  
Notary Public in and for the state of Texas, residing in Dallas County

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**BUDGET, AMENDMENT NO. 14 (AB2019-552):** This ordinance adds appropriations as follows: From the General Fund - \$30,000 in District Court to fund increased interpreter and Pro Tem Judge services; \$5,300 in Non-Departmental to fund increase in indigent burial services; from Countywide Emergency Medical services fund - to record 2019 EMS budget adjustments for an expenditure reduction of \$319,676; from Real Estate Excise Tax II Fund - \$200,000 to fund transfer to support Birch Bay Cr./Pt. Whitehorn Rd. Drainage Improvement Project; from the Administrative Services Fund - \$11,523 in AS-Facilities to fund IT emergency back-up generator repairs. This ordinance was introduced November 6, 2019. **ORDINANCE (2019-081) AMENDING THE PROJECT BUDGET FOR THE LUMMI NATION FERRY LEASE FUND, REQUEST NO. 2 (AB2019-553):** This ordinance adds \$2,000,000 to the Lummi Nation Ferry Lease Fund to continue funding eligible projects in accordance with the Uplands Lease Agreement. This ordinance was introduced November 6, 2019. **ORDINANCE (2019-082) AMENDING THE PROJECT BUDGET FOR THE LAKE WHATCOM PARK TRAIL DEVELOPMENT FUND, REQUEST NO. 1 (AB2019-564):** This ordinance adds \$452,025 for Lake Whatcom Park trailhead improvements to connect the Chanterelle Trail to the Hertz Trail. This ordinance was introduced November 6, 2019. **RESOLUTION (2019-055) AUTHORIZING LEVY OF TAXES FOR THE WHATCOM COUNTY FLOOD CONTROL ZONE DISTRICT FOR 2020 (AB2019-545):** This resolution limits the amount collected through the WCFCZD levy to the amount of 2019 taxes plus, increased for the addition of new construction and improvements to property and any increase in the value of state assessed property. A property tax increase in addition to the amount resulting from the addition of new construction and improvements to property and any increase in the value of state-assessed property is hereby authorized for the 2020 levy in the amount of \$0, which is a percentage increase of 0% from the previous year. This resolution was introduced November 6, 2019. **RESOLUTION (2019-056) ADOPTING THE FINAL 2020 BUDGET OF THE POINT ROBERTS TRANSPORTATION BENEFIT DISTRICT (AB2019-551):** This resolution of the Council acting as the governing body of the Point Roberts Transportation adopts the 2020 budget of the Point Robert transportation benefit district in the amount of \$20,000. This resolution was introduced November 6, 2019. **RESOLUTION (2019-057) OF THE WHATCOM COUNTY FLOOD CONTROL ZONE DISTRICT BOARD OF SUPERVISORS ADOPTING THE 2020 BUDGET FOR THE WHATCOM COUNTY FLOOD CONTROL ZONE DISTRICT AND SUBZONES (AB2019-557):** This resolution approves the appropriations of Flood Control Zone District Fund No. 169 for 2020 in the amount of \$11,299,628; Acme/VanZandt Subzone \$38,001; Birch Bay Subzone \$2,059,051; Lynden/Everson Subzone \$122,000; Sumas/Wooksack/Everson Subzone \$214,000; Samish Watershed Subzone \$19,950. This resolution was introduced November 6, 2019. **RESOLUTION (2019-058) AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE TO ENTER INTO A TWENTY YEAR COMMUNICATION TOWER LEASE AGREEMENT WITH CROWN CASTLE GT FOR LEASED SPACE ON PARK PROPERTY AT LOOKOUT MOUNTAIN (AB2019-568):** This agreement allows for leasing of additional space to accommodate additional equipment shed to house emergency generator equipment. This resolution was introduced November 6, 2019. Public documents are available for review from 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. in the Council Office, 311 Grand Avenue, Bellingham, and at [www.co.whatcom.wa.us/council](http://www.co.whatcom.wa.us/council). Meetings are in the Council Chambers, same address, at 7 p.m., unless otherwise announced.

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