WHATCOM COUNTY PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

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MEMORANDUM

To: The Honorable Satpal Singh Sidhu, Whatcom County Executive and

Honorable Members of the County Council

Through: Elizabeth Kosa, Director

From: Doug Ranney, P.E., County Engineer DWR

Date: November 19, 2024

Re: Resolution Adopting the 2025-2026 ER&R Rental Rates

Requested Action:

The Public Works Department requests that the Equipment Rental and Revolving Fund Rental Rates for the 2025-2026 calendar years, be adopted at the November 19th County Council meeting.

Background and Purpose:

Pursuant to the Revised Code of Washington (RCW) 36.33A.030, the County Engineer shall administer the Equipment Rental and Revolving (ER&R) Fund and shall be responsible for establishing the terms and charges for the sale of any material or supplies which have been purchased, maintained, or manufactured with monies from the fund.

Rates for the rental of equipment owned by the fund shall be set to cover all costs of maintenance and repair, material and supplies consumed in operating and maintaining the equipment, and the future replacement thereof.

The rental rates for county road equipment have been reviewed by the County Engineer and certified as an appropriate use of county road funds. We ask that Council adopts the Equipment Rental and Revolving Fund Rental Rates for the 2025 and 2026 calendar years.

Please contact Doug Ranney (x6255) with any questions.