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Agenda Bill Master Report

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TITLE FOR AGENDA ITEM:

Ordinance adopting various amendments to Whatcom County Code Title 20, Zoning

SUMMARY STATEMENT OR LEGAL NOTICE LANGUAGE:

Proposed amendments to WCC Titles 20 (Zoning). This is an annual “code scrub,” wherein Planning and Development Services proposes amendments to clarify code, fix inconsistencies and grammar, and modify or add minor policies. This year’s six proposed code amendments include one proposed policy change to allow cannabis retail in the Light Impact Industrial District within Urban Growth Areas. Please refer to Exhibit A (attached) where the proposed amendments and explanations are provided.

HISTORY OF LEGISLATIVE FILE

| Date: | Acting Body: | Action: | Sent To: |
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| 09/10/2024 | Council | INTRODUCED FOR PUBLIC HEARING | Council |
| | | Aye: 7 Buchanan, Byrd, Donovan, Elenbaas, Galloway, Scanlon, and Stremmer | |
| | | Nay: 0 | |
| 09/24/2024 | Council | ADOPTED | |
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| | | Nay: 0 | |

Attachments: Staff Report, Proposed Ordinance