

PROPOSED BY: Public Works - Engineering  
INTRODUCTION DATE:\_\_\_

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

**AMENDING WHATCOM COUNTY CODE CHAPTER 3.72 (CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS – APPRENTICESHIP REQUIREMENTS) TO EXTEND THE TIMELINES FOR IMPLEMENTATION, RENAME THE PROGRAM TO THE CONTRACTOR APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM, AND ALLOW WAIVERS AT ANY TIME**

**WHEREAS**, the Whatcom County Council is committed to training of the next generation of skilled workers; and

**WHEREAS**, the unexpected demands placed on the County by the pandemic and Nov/Dec 2021 flood events impeded Public Works from attending to the related issues of administration of the new ordinance, requiring more time for implementation.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the Whatcom County Council that Chapter 3.72 of the Whatcom County Code is hereby amended as provided for in Exhibit A attached hereto.

**ADOPTED** this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2022.

ATTEST:

WHATCOM COUNTY COUNCIL  
WHATCOM COUNTY, WASHINGTON

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Dana Brown-Davis, Clerk of the Council

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Todd Donovan, Council Chair

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

WHATCOM COUNTY EXECUTIVE  
WHATCOM COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Approved Via Email-CQ/DR

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Christopher Quinn,  
Sr. Deputy Prosecuting Attorney,  
Civil Division

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Satpal Singh Sidhu, County Executive

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