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Memorandum

To: The Honorable Satpal Sidhu, Whatcom County Executive and

The Honorable Members of the Whatcom County Council

Through: Jon Hutchings, Director

From: James P. Karcher, P.E., County Engineer

Date: March 3, 2022

Re: Ordinance Establishing a Speed Limit within the Plat of Whisper Lake

Requested Action

Public Works respectfully requests that the County Council adopt the proposed ordinance to establish a speed limit for all roads within the Plat of Whisper Lake.

Background and Purpose

The roads within the subdivision have been reviewed, inspected and accepted by the County Engineer's Office. To control the flow of traffic the development engineer has determined that a speed limit of 25 MPH should be adopted on all roads within the Plat of Whisper Lake.

Information

This ordinance will allow for the installation of speed limit signs and is necessary to comply with RCW 46.61.415 to establish speed limits on certain County roads.

Please contact Douglas Ranney II, P.E., Engineering Services Manager at extension 6255 with any questions regarding this ordinance.