

Whatcom County

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Agenda Bill Master Report

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TITLE FOR AGENDA ITEM:

Ordinance amending Whatcom County Code 2.118, reactivating the Whatcom County Wildlife Advisory Committee beyond December 31, 2022

SUMMARY STATEMENT OR LEGAL NOTICE LANGUAGE:

The Whatcom County Wildlife Advisory Committee (WAC) completed the Whatcom County Ecosystem Report in 2017. The Whatcom County Council authorized the reactiviation of the Committee via Ordinance #2017-068, directing the WAC to continue to provide technical support in advancing Goal(s) 9 and 11 of the Growth Managmenet Act. Ordinance #2017-068 contained a sunset clause of December 31, 2022. Members of the WAC request the County Council authorize continuation of the WAC so they may continue working on wildlife related issues in Whatcom County.

HISTORY OF LEGISLATIVE FILE

Date:	Acting Body:		Action:	Sent To:	
11/22/2022	Council		INTRODUCED	Council Climate Action and Natural Resources Committee	
	Aye:	7	Buchanan, Byrd, Donovan, Elenbaas,	baas, Frazey, Galloway, and Kershner	
	Nay:	0			
	Absent:	0			
12/06/2022	Council Climate Action and Natura Resources Committee	al	RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION		

Aye: 2 Donovan, and Galloway

Nay: 0 Absent: 0

Abstain: 1 Elenbaas

12/06/2022 Council

ADOPTED

Aye: 5 Buchanan, Byrd, Donovan, Frazey, and Galloway

Nay: 1 Elenbaas Absent: 1 Kershner

Attachments: Proposed Ordinance, Staff Memo, Wildlife Committee Accomplishment Memo 11.29.2022