



Whatcom County

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Agenda Bill Master Report

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TITLE FOR AGENDA ITEM:

Ordinance establishing the Ferry Fare Capital Surcharge Fund

SUMMARY STATEMENT OR LEGAL NOTICE LANGUAGE:

Requests establishment of a new special revenue fund to account for the \$1 per fare capital surcharge to be used exclusively for the construction of a new ferry vessel and improvements to the ferry terminals.

HISTORY OF LEGISLATIVE FILE

Date:	Acting Body:	Action:	Sent To:
10/26/2021	Council	INTRODUCED	Council Finance and Administrative Services Committee
		Aye: 7	Browne, Buchanan, Byrd, Donovan, Elenbaas, Frazey, and Kershner
		Nay: 0	
		Absent: 0	
11/09/2021	Council Finance and Administrative Services Committee	RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION	
		Aye: 3	Browne, Byrd, and Frazey
		Nay: 0	
		Absent: 0	
11/09/2021	Council	ADOPTED	
		Aye: 6	Browne, Buchanan, Byrd, Donovan, Elenbaas, and Frazey
		Nay: 0	

Absent: 1 Kershner

Attachments: Proposed Ordinance

ORDINANCE NO. 2021-068
ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE FERRY FARE CAPITAL SURCHARGE FUND

WHEREAS, the Whatcom County Council adopted a Level of Service Ferry System Action Plan with Resolution 2018-026, and

WHEREAS, the Action Plan instructs the design and construction of a 34-car vessel with flexibility for future electric conversion, and terminal improvements, and

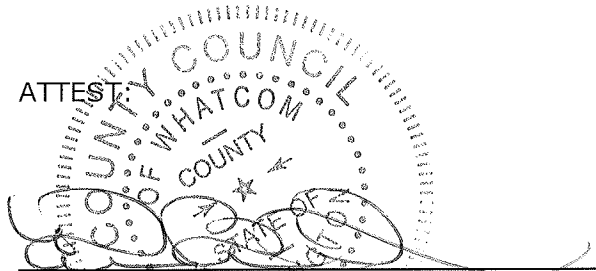
WHEREAS, on March 23, 2021 the Whatcom County Council unanimously approved a \$1.00 fare capital surcharge exclusively for the construction of a new ferry vessel and improvements to the ferry terminals with Ordinance 2021-012, and

WHEREAS, a new special revenue fund is necessary to properly account for this restricted revenue source,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Whatcom County Council that a new fund is hereby established titled Ferry Fare Capital Surcharge Fund. This fund shall be used to account for the revenues and expenditures related to funding received in accordance with Ordinance 2021-012 Establishing a Fare Capital Surcharge for the Lummi Island Ferry System

ADOPTED this 9th day of November, 2021.

ATTEST:



Dana Brown-Davis, Clerk of the Council

WHATCOM COUNTY COUNCIL
WHATCOM COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Barry A. Buchanan
Barry Buchanan, Chair of the Council

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Approved () Denied

Approved by email/C Quinn/R Rydel
Civil Deputy Prosecutor

Satpal Sidhu
Satpal Sidhu, County Executive

Date: 11/15/21