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Snohomish County Council Honors Naval Station Everett

During the Snohomish County Council's fifth evening meeting of 2017, the Council passed resolution 17-024, honoring Naval Station Everett and its contributions to Snohomish County. As the station is the second highest employer in Snohomish County, the Council recognizes the vital importance this facility has in the community.

"Not only does Naval Station Everett employ so many of our citizens and strengthen our community, it is also a critical facility to the U.S. Navy," said Council Chair Brian Sullivan. "The personnel that work there are owed our gratitude and with this resolution I hope they know how valued they are."

"It is important that we recognize the positive impact Naval Station Everett has had on our community, the jobs they've created and their efforts to use resources wisely," added Council Vice-Chair Stephanie Wright. "We give our thanks to the Navy leadership, enlisted personnel, and the families that support them."

As stated in the resolution, Naval Station Everett has led the Navy in reducing their environmental footprint through innovations such as system changes to reduce energy and water usage, saving hundreds of thousands in annual operation costs. The Navy has been the leader among the military branches in addressing the impact of environmental issues and climate change on national security.

"We're proud to have a Naval Station right here in Everett," said Councilmember Terry Ryan. "We deeply appreciate all the men and women who serve our Country."

"We are honored in Snohomish County to host Naval Station Everett. In addition to supporting our military personnel, Naval Station Everett contributes significantly to the local economy of Snohomish County and I am proud to express my support for the Station," reiterated Councilmember Nate Nehring.

"The men and women who serve at our naval station have become an integral part of our community," said Councilmember Sam Low. "We feel honored to have them live and raise their families within Snohomish County."