

EXECUTIVE/COUNCIL APPROVAL FORM

MANAGEMENT ROUTING:	TO:	COUNCIL CHAIRPERSON:
EXECUTIVE _____		SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL
DEPUTY/EXEC. DIR. _____		
DIRECTOR/ELECTED <u>Stephanie Wright</u> <i>SW</i>		EXECUTIVE RECOMMENDATION:
DEPARTMENT _____		_____ Approve _____ No Recommendation
DIV. MGR. _____		_____ Further Processing
DIVISION _____		_____ Requested By _____
ORIGINATOR <u>Nicole Gorle</u>		
DATE <u>7/2/2019</u> EXT. <u>x3559</u>		
		_____ / /
		Executive Office Signature
		CEO Staff Review _____ / /
		Received at Council Office <i>EL</i> <u>7/3/19</u>

DOCUMENT TYPE:

_____ BUDGET ACTION:	_____ GRANT APPLICATION
_____ Emergency Appropriation	<u>X</u> ORDINANCE
_____ Supplemental Appropriation	_____ Amendment to Ord. # _____
_____ Budget Transfer	_____ PLAN
_____ CONTRACT:	_____ OTHER
_____ New	
_____ Amendment	

DOCUMENT / AGENDA TITLE:
 PROVIDING FOR SUBMISSION TO THE QUALIFIED VOTERS OF SNOHOMISH COUNTY A NONBINDING ADVISORY PROPOSITION CONCERNING THE PROHIBITION OF THE POSSESSION, SALE, AND DISCHARGE OF CONSUMER FIREWORKS IN THE UNINCORPORATED AREAS OF SNOHOMISH COUNTY

APPROVAL AUTHORITY: EXECUTIVE _____ COUNCIL _____
 CITE BASIS _____

HANDLING: NORMAL X EXPEDITE _____ URGENT _____ DEADLINE DATE _____

PURPOSE:
 To place a non-binding, advisory vote on the November 2019 General Election ballot to ask voters whether they support prohibiting the possession, sale, and discharge of consumer fireworks in unincorporated Snohomish County.

BACKGROUND:

To place the following on the November 5, 2019 ballot:

NONBINDING ADVISORY PROPOSITION NO. 1

CONCERNING SALE, POSSESSION, AND DISCHARGE OF CONSUMER FIREWORKS IN THE UNINCORPORATED AREAS OF SNOHOMISH COUNTY

Should the Snohomish County Council enact an ordinance prohibiting the sale, possession, and discharge of consumer fireworks in the unincorporated areas of Snohomish County?

Yes
 No

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS:

EXPEND: FUND, AGY, ORG, ACTY, OBJ, AU	CURRENT YR	2ND YR	1ST 6 YRS
TOTAL			

REVENUE: FUND, AGY, ORG, REV, SOURCE	CURRENT YR	2ND YR	1ST 6 YRS
TOTAL			

DEPARTMENT FISCAL IMPACT NOTES:

BUDGET REVIEW: Analyst _____ Administrator _____ Recommend Approval _____

CONTRACT INFORMATION:

ORIGINAL _____ CONTRACT # _____ AMOUNT \$ _____
 AMENDMENT _____ CONTRACT # _____ AMOUNT \$ _____

CONTRACT PERIOD:

ORIGINAL Start _____ End _____
 AMENDMENT Start _____ End _____

CONTRACT / PROJECT TITLE:

CONTRACTOR NAME & ADDRESS (City/State only):

APPROVED:

RISK MANAGEMENT Yes N/A No _____

COMMENTS _____

PROSECUTING ATTY - AS TO FORM: Yes x No _____

OTHER DEPARTMENTAL REVIEW / COMMENTS:

ELECTRONIC ATTACHMENTS :

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NON-ELECTRONIC ATTACHMENTS:

SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL
Snohomish County, Washington

ORDINANCE NO. 19-039

PROVIDING FOR SUBMISSION TO THE QUALIFIED VOTERS OF SNOHOMISH COUNTY A
NONBINDING ADVISORY PROPOSITION CONCERNING THE PROHIBITION OF THE
POSSESSION, SALE, AND DISCHARGE OF CONSUMER FIREWORKS IN THE
UNINCORPORATED AREAS OF SNOHOMISH COUNTY

WHEREAS, the possession, sale, and discharge of consumer fireworks are allowed by
Snohomish County Code; and

WHEREAS, public displays of fireworks, other than for consumer firework purposes, is
authorized by permit when specific conditions are met; and

WHEREAS, the Snohomish County Council has received public comment in favor and
against Snohomish County revising County laws to prohibit the possession, sale, and discharge
of consumer fireworks in unincorporated Snohomish County; and

WHEREAS, some, but not all, cities in Snohomish County have adopted laws to prohibit
the possession, sale, and discharge of consumer fireworks within their city limits; and

WHEREAS, the Snohomish County Council desires to ask the voters whether the
Snohomish County Council should prohibit the possession, sale, and discharge of consumer
fireworks in unincorporated Snohomish County;

BE IT ORDAINED:

Section 1. Submittal to Voters. A nonbinding advisory ballot vote shall be submitted to
the qualified voters of the county concerning the possession, sale, and discharge of consumer
fireworks in unincorporated Snohomish County.

Section 2. Election Authorization. At a special election hereby called by the county
council to coincide with the general election to be held on November 5, 2019, an advisory vote
in substantially the following form shall be submitted to the voters of Snohomish County:

SNOHOMISH COUNTY, WASHINGTON

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Yes
No

1 Section 3. Auditor's Duties. The auditor-supervisor of elections shall cause notice of the
2 proposed nonbinding advisory vote to be published in accordance with the state constitution and
3 general law and shall place the proposed nonbinding advisory vote upon the ballot of the
4 county-wide election held on November 5, 2019.

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6 PASSED this ___ day of _____, 2019.

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8 SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL
9 Snohomish County, Washington

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12 Chairperson

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14 ATTEST:

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17 Clerk of the Council

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25 DATE: _____

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28 County Executive

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30 ATTEST:

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35 Approved as to form only:

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38 Deputy Prosecuting Attorney