

1 ADOPTED: 07/24/19  
2 EFFECTIVE: 08/11/19

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4 SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL  
5 Snohomish County, Washington

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7 AMENDED ORDINANCE NO. 19-039

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9 PROVIDING FOR SUBMISSION TO THE QUALIFIED VOTERS OF SNOHOMISH COUNTY A  
10 NONBINDING ADVISORY PROPOSITION CONCERNING THE PROHIBITION OF THE  
11 DISCHARGE OF CONSUMER FIREWORKS IN THE UNINCORPORATED URBAN GROWTH  
12 AREAS OF SNOHOMISH COUNTY

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14 WHEREAS, the discharge of consumer fireworks are allowed by Snohomish County  
15 Code; and

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

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20 WHEREAS, the Snohomish County Council has received public comment in favor and  
21 against Snohomish County revising County laws to prohibit the discharge of consumer fireworks  
22 in unincorporated urban growth areas of Snohomish County; and

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

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27 WHEREAS, the Snohomish County Council desires to ask the voters whether the  
28 Snohomish County Council should prohibit the discharge of consumer fireworks in  
29 unincorporated urban growth areas of Snohomish County;

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31 BE IT ORDAINED:

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33 Section 1. Submittal to Voters. A nonbinding advisory ballot vote shall be submitted to  
34 the qualified voters of the county concerning the discharge of consumer fireworks in  
35 unincorporated urban growth areas of Snohomish County.

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

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41 SNOHOMISH COUNTY, WASHINGTON

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43 NONBINDING ADVISORY PROPOSITION NO. 1

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45 CONCERNING DISCHARGE OF CONSUMER FIREWORKS IN THE UNINCOROPORATED  
46 URBAN GROWTH AREAS OF SNOHOMISH COUNTY

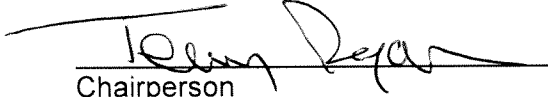
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48 Should the Snohomish County Council enact an ordinance prohibiting the discharge of  
49 consumer fireworks in the unincorporated urban growth areas of Snohomish County?

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51 Yes   
52 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 24<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2019.

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9 SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL  
10 Snohomish County, Washington

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14 Chairperson

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16 ATTEST:

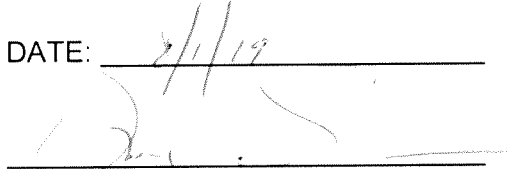
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20 Asst. Clerk of the Council

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23  APPROVED


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29 DATE: 7/1/19

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34 County Executive

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41 Approved as to form only:

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45 Deputy Prosecuting Attorney

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