

**CITY OF MONROE
RESOLUTION NO. 006/2019**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
MONROE, WASHINGTON, EXPRESSING SUPPORT FOR
SNOHOMISH COUNTY PUBLIC HOSPITAL DISTRICT
NO. 1, PROPOSITION NO. 1, EVERGREENHEALTH
MONROE TAX LEVY

WHEREAS, Snohomish County Public Hospital District No. 1 has submitted a proposition (Proposition No. 1) to local voters for inclusion on the April 23, 2019, special election ballot authorizing the District to increase its regular property levy rate from its current level to a rate of 47 cents per \$1,000 of assessed value for collection in 2020 in the form indicated in Exhibit A, attached hereto and incorporated herein by this reference as if set forth in full; and

WHEREAS, the stated purpose of Proposition No. 1 is to provide funding for the District's health care facilities and services including establishing obstetrical services; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with RCW 42.17A.555, the Monroe Mayor and City Council desire to formally express support for Proposition No. 1 and urge its approval by local voters.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MONROE, WASHINGTON, HEREBY RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Findings. The above recitals are hereby adopted by reference as findings in support of this resolution. The City Council further enters the following additional findings:

A. Approval of Proposition No. 1 would advance the public interest by providing sufficient funds to permit the District to improve and expand its inpatient and outpatient hospital and other health care services and facilities for the benefit of city residents and other persons served by the District.

B. The City Council desires to formally express its support of Proposition No. 1 and urge voter approval thereof.

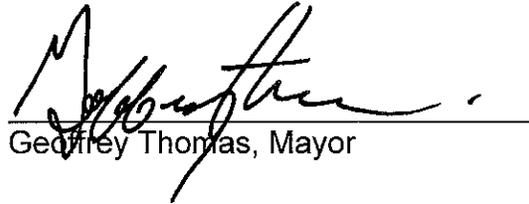
C. The City followed the procedural requirements set forth at RCW 42.17A.555 in passing this resolution. This resolution was discussed and passed at an open public meeting on March 26, 2019. The meeting notice contained the information required by RCW 42.17A.555(1), and members of the City Council, as well as members of the public, were afforded an equal opportunity at the meeting to express an opposing view.

Section 2. Expression of Support. Based upon the above findings, the Monroe City Council hereby formally expresses its support for Proposition No. 1, and urges local voters to approve this measure at the April 23, 2019, special election.

Section 3. Effective Date. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon passage.

ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Monroe, at its regular meeting thereof, and APPROVED by the Mayor this 26th day of March, 2019.

CITY OF MONROE, WASHINGTON



Geoffrey Thomas, Mayor

(SEAL)

ATTEST:



Elizabeth M. Adkisson, MMC, City Clerk

EXHIBIT A

**SNOHOMISH COUNTY PUBLIC HOSPITAL DISTRICT NO. 1
SNOHOMISH COUNTY, WASHINGTON**

**PROPOSITION NO. 1
EVERGREENHEALTH MONROE PROPERTY TAX LEVY**

The Commission of Public Hospital District No. 1 adopted the Resolution No. 2019-02 concerning a proposition to increase its regular property tax levy. If approved, this proposition would authorize the district to increase its regular property levy rate from its current level to a rate of 47 cents per \$1,000 of assessed value for collection in 2020 to provide funding for the District's health care facilities and services including establishing obstetrical services. This increased levy amount will be used to calculate legal levy limits for subsequent years.

APPROVED-----
REJECTED-----