

**CITY OF MARYSVILLE AGENDA BILL
EXECUTIVE SUMMARY FOR ACTION**

CITY COUNCIL MEETING DATE:

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| AGENDA ITEM: Resolution Designating the Everett Herald as the City's Official Newspaper | |
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| PREPARED BY: Jon Walker | DIRECTOR APPROVAL: |
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| DEPARTMENT: Legal | |
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| ATTACHMENTS: | |
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| BUDGET CODE: | AMOUNT: |
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| <p>SUMMARY: The Marysville Globe was designated the City's official newspaper my MMC 1.04.020. The Globe ceased publication during the COVID pandemic and by Ordinance 3148, the City Council temporarily designated the Everett Herald as the City's official newspaper until the Globe resumed publication. It does not appear the Globe will resume publication. Accordingly, staff recommends making the designation of the Herald permanent.</p> <p>A resolution is the proper method of designating a code city's official newspaper:</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">RCW 35A.21.230 Designation of official newspaper.</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Each code city shall designate an official newspaper by resolution. The newspaper shall be of general circulation in the city and have the qualifications prescribed by chapter 65.16 RCW.</p> <p>Staff recommends designating the Herald by resolution and then repealing chapter 1.04 MMC and Ordinance 3148, both of which address the city's official newspaper to avoid any confusion.</p> | |

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| <p>RECOMMENDED ACTION: Staff recommends the City Council consider making the designation of the Everett Herald as the City's official newspaper permanent.</p> <p>RECOMMENDED MOTION: I move to adopt Resolution No. _____</p> |
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CITY OF MARYSVILLE
Marysville, Washington

RESOLUTION NO. _____

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARYSVILLE,
WASHINGTON, DESIGNATING THE EVERETT HERALD AS THE CITY'S
OFFICIAL NEWSPAPER.**

WHEREAS, the Everett Herald is a general circulation newspaper in the City of Marysville; and

WHEREAS, the Everett Herald has the qualifications prescribed by chapter 65.16 RCW; and

WHEREAS, it serves the public interest to designate the Everett Herald as the City's official newspaper.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARYSVILLE that the Everett Herald is designated as the official newspaper of the City of Marysville.

ADOPTED by the City Council at an open public meeting this _____ day of _____, 2022.

CITY OF MARYSVILLE

By _____
JON NEHRING, MAYOR

Attest:

By _____
, DEPUTY CITY CLERK

Approved as to form:

By _____
JON WALKER, CITY ATTORNEY