

ORDINANCE NO. 2023-07-019

AN ORDINANCE CREATING A NEW FUND TO ACCOUNT FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE WHAT-COMM EMERGENCY 911 FACILITY AND AMENDING THE 2023-2024 BIENNIAL BUDGET – AMENDMENT NO. 6

WHEREAS, the City has identified a budget adjustment that was not anticipated when the biennial budget was adopted; and

WHEREAS, these adjustments are necessary to improve City services and ensure a balanced budget; and

WHEREAS, to efficiently account for the construction of a new What-Comm emergency 911 communications facility, it is necessary to create a new fund.

NOW THEREFORE, THE CITY OF BELLINGHAM DOES ORDAIN:

Section 1. A new fund is hereby created to account for expenditures related to the construction of the What-Comm emergency 911 communications facility. This fund shall be known as the What-Comm Construction Fund, fund number 301.

Section 2. The Finance Director is delegated the authority to administratively change the name or number of the What-Comm Construction Fund created in Section 1 if necessary for best accounting practices so long as the purpose and the use of the funds does not change in any manner.

Section 3. The 2023-2024 Biennial Budget is hereby amended as follows:

Fund Department	Revenue Amount	Expense Amount	Reserve Contribution/(Use)
001 - General Fund	1,000,000	1,550,000	(550,000)
173 - Greenways III		200,000	(200,000)
301 - What-Comm Facility Construction	1,500,000	1,500,000	
Total	2,500,000	3,250,000	(750,000)

PASSED by the Council this 24th day of July, 2023.



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APPROVED by me this 1 day of August, 2023.



Mayor

ATTEST: 

Finance Director

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



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