

WHATCOM COUNTY COUNCIL AGENDA BILL

NO. 2007-169B

CLEARANCES	Initial	Date	Date Received in Council Office	Agenda Date	Assigned to:
Originator: K. Christensen	KNC	4/26/07	RECEIVED MAY 01 2007 WHATCOM COUNTY COUNCIL	5/8/07	Introduction/ Council
Division Head: K. Christensen	KNC	4/26/07		5/22/07	Public Hearing
Dept. Head: F. Abarl	JMA	4/26/07			
Prosecutor: D. Gibson	DG	04/27/07			
Purchasing/Budget: B. Bennett					
Executive: P. Kremen					

TITLE OF DOCUMENT:

Ordinance amending Ordinance 2007-023 to remove an additional stop sign and clarify existing temporary one-way detours related to the Cable Street Reconstruction Project

ATTACHMENTS:

- 1) Memorandum
- 2) Ordinance
- 3) Detour route map

SEPA review required? () Yes (X) NO SEPA review completed? () Yes () NO	Should Clerk schedule a hearing? (X) Yes () NO Requested Date: May 22, 2007
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SUMMARY STATEMENT OR LEGAL NOTICE LANGUAGE: (If this item is an ordinance or requires a public hearing, you must provide the language for use in the required public notice. Be specific and cite RCW or WCC as appropriate. Be clear in explaining the intent of the action.)

Attached is an ordinance amending Ordinance 2007-023 adopted 3/27/07 to remove an additional stop sign and clarify existing temporary one-way detours to assure continuous traffic flows for the duration of the Cable Street Reconstruction project.

COMMITTEE ACTION:	COUNCIL ACTION: 5/08/2007: Introduced 5/22/2007: Council Adopted 7-0 Ord. 2007-027
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Related County Contract #:	Related File Numbers:	Ordinance or Resolution Number: Ord. 2007-027
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SPONSORED BY: Consent

PROPOSED BY: Public Works-Stormwater

INTRODUCTION DATE: May 8, 2007

ORDINANCE NO. 2007-027

AMENDMENT TO ORDINANCE NO. 2007-023 TO AUTHORIZE REMOVAL OF AN
ADDITIONAL STOP SIGN AND CLARIFY EXISTING TEMPORARY ONE-WAY
DETOURS RELATED TO CABLE STREET RECONSTRUCTION COUNTY ROAD
PROJECT (CRP) 999022

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 2007-023 was adopted on March 27, 2007, for establishing two temporary one-way detours in relation to the Cable Street Reconstruction project; and

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 2007-023 designated specific streets and indicated one-way traffic flow patterns in the project area with regard to the importance of stormwater management in the Lake Whatcom Watershed and public safety improvements; and

WHEREAS, RCW 46.61.135 authorizes the designation of one-way roadways; and

WHEREAS, further review and consideration of the likely traffic flow patterns has revealed the need for a couple of additional changes in the traffic controls for the area surrounding the construction zone; and

WHEREAS, the Lake Whatcom Watershed window for construction is May 1 through September 1; and

WHEREAS a map of the construction area and temporary one-way routes are included in this ordinance as attachment Exhibit "A"; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED that the Whatcom County Council, in relation to the Cable Street Reconstruction project and as enabled by RCW 46.61.135, amends Ordinance 2007-023 establishing the two temporary one-way detour routes for the duration of construction during the Lake Whatcom Watershed window of May 1, 2007, through September 1, 2007, to read as follows:

The westbound route will begin at the intersection of Lake Whatcom Boulevard and Coronado Avenue and will follow northwesterly to detour through the residential neighborhood north of Cable Street where it shall begin continue northwesterly on to Lakeway Drive at the intersection of Cable Street and Lakeway Drive ~~as traffic flows in a northwesterly direction~~, and continue until the intersection of Lakeway Drive and Terrace Avenue. The eastbound route will begin at the intersection of Lakeway Drive and Terrace Avenue and will travel northeasterly travel through the residential neighborhood to the south where it shall begin continue at the intersection of Cable Street and Lakeview Street by redirecting traffic in a southerly direction down Lakeview Street; at the intersection of Lakeview Street and Fremont Street, the detour shall continue in the easterly direction down Fremont Street until reaching the intersection of Coronado Avenue and

43 Fremont Street, and at this intersection the detour shall turn north down Coronado Avenue to the
44 intersection of Lake Whatcom Boulevard and Coronado Avenue where it shall terminate. A detailed
45 map of the temporary traffic detour is referenced herein the attached Exhibit "A".
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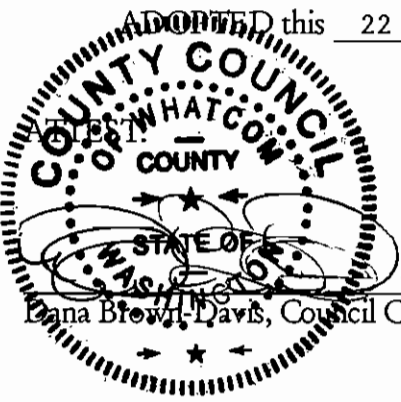
47 BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that the Whatcom County Council amends the
48 authorization of the temporary removal of the following stop signs in relation to the Cable Street
49 Reconstruction project to include the option to temporarily remove a third stop sign at the
50 discretion of the County Engineer:
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<u>Road Name</u>	<u>Direction-Stopping</u>	<u>Cross Street</u>
Coronado Avenue	Eastbound	Fremont Street
Fremont Street	Eastbound	Austin Street
Lakeway Drive*	West/southbound	Terrace Avenue

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57 *Removal of this stop sign is at the discretion of the County Engineer
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59 All Both of the above stop signs are located in the NE quarter of Section 34, Township 38 North,
60 and Range 3 East W.M. The stop signs will be temporarily removed and placed in storage no
61 sooner than May 1, 2007, and replaced at their original locations no later than September 1, 2007.
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63 ADOPTED this 22 day of May, 2007.



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71 Dana Brown-Davis, Council Clerk

WHATCOM COUNTY COUNCIL
WHATCOM COUNTY, WASHINGTON




Carl Weimer, Council Chair

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WHATCOM COUNTY EXECUTIVE
WHATCOM COUNTY, WASHINGTON

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Pete Kremen, County Executive
() Approved () Denied

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81 Date signed: May 23, 2007

