

**ORDINANCE NO. 2019-03-007**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE 2019-2020 BIENNIAL BUDGET, ADDING ONE POSITION AND INCREASING APPROPRIATIONS AND ESTIMATED REVENUES IN THE MEDIC ONE FUND**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Bellingham participates in the Whatcom Medic One Emergency Medical Services (EMS) program by operating three Medic One Advanced Life Support units; and

**WHEREAS**, the Medic One program is administered by Whatcom County; and

**WHEREAS**, the training of new paramedics is an important component to the continued success of Medic One; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council has authorized the Mayor to enter into an interlocal agreement (ILA) with Whatcom County and Bellingham Technical College to provide a county-wide paramedic training program; and

**WHEREAS**, the ILA ensures the Whatcom Medic One EMS program will provide funding for an EMS Captain through September 2020.

**NOW THEREFORE, THE CITY OF BELLINGHAM DOES ORDAIN:**

**Section 1** – The 2019-2020 Biennial Budget is hereby amended to increase the estimated revenues and appropriation authority in the Medic One Fund by \$252,000 over the biennium.

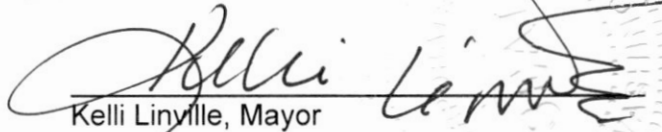
**Section 2** – One term-limited full-time equivalent EMS Captain is hereby created. This position will sunset on September 30, 2020.

**PASSED** by the Council this 11<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2019.



Daniel Hammill, Council President


**APPROVED** by me this 25<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2019.



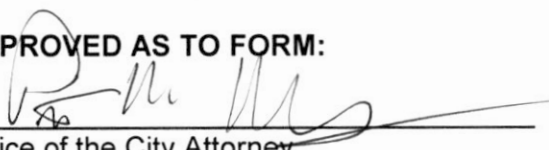
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