

**PROPOSITION 4**

**County Council Rules of Procedure**

**A. Proposed Ballot Title:**

The Snohomish County Charter Review Commission has proposed an amendment to the Snohomish County Charter concerning County Council rules of procedure. This measure would require the Council to enact rules of procedure providing for public access to agendas, minutes, and voting records of individual County Council members and opportunities for public comment during County Council meetings. Should this proposal be:

Approved.....

Rejected.....

**B. Charter Amendments Required:**

**Section 2.60 Rules of Procedure**

The county council shall enact by ordinance rules of procedure governing the time, place and conduct of its meetings and hearings and the introduction, publication, consideration and adoption of ordinances. The rules of procedure shall provide for public access to agendas, minutes and voting records of individual county council members. The rules of procedure shall also provide for an opportunity for public comment during any meeting of the county council. All meetings shall be open to the public except to the extent executive sessions are authorized by state law.