



RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION of the City of Everett establishing a temporary fare waiver for Everett Transit service serving vaccination sites in Everett Transit’s service area.

WHEREAS,

- A. The global pandemic has had a devastating effect on Everett’s residents, particularly the elderly, persons with disabilities and people for whom the cost of transportation is a barrier.
- B. Access to vaccination sites for our vulnerable population is a priority.
- C. Getting as many people vaccinated in the shortest amount of time possible is a critical element of safely reopening the city’s economy and recreational activities.
- D. Through the end of June, Community Transit is providing free transit service to vaccination sites to customers who self-identify getting to a vaccination site or leaving a vaccination site is the purpose of their trip.
- E. The cost of transit service should not be a barrier to access the vaccine for Everett’s residents.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

- 1. Everett Transit is authorized to provide fare-free transit service to customers who self-identify that the purpose of their trip is to access a vaccination site or to return from a vaccination site.
- 2. Such authority is effective immediately through July 16, 2021.

Councilmember introducing resolution

Passed and approved this _____ day of _____, 2021.

Council President