

**Resolution Supporting the Southern Resident Orca Task Force Recommendations**

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that we, the Washington State Democratic Central Committee, in order to stop the decline of the Southern Resident orcas, support the spirit of recommendations of the SRKWTF, which identify actions to be taken by Federal, state and local agencies and key partners; and

**THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that some of these proposed recommendations may have significant far reaching human impacts on communities, livelihoods, property owners, rural and agricultural interests, business interests, and other stakeholders. Those impacts must be fully considered along with alternative plans and/or mitigation where necessary; and

**THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that we urge our legislators to adopt legislation to support the recommendations of the SRKWTF and that state funding be made available to fully implement those recommendations; and; and

**THEREFORE BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED** that this resolution be forwarded to Washington State legislators and Governor, so they are aware of our belief that people, fish, and orcas can all thrive together in our state.

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Submitted by Wahkiakum County Democrats to the Washington State Democratic Central Committee for consideration at its April 7, 2019 meeting in Pasco. (Date Submitted March 20, 2019)

The Resolutions Committee reviewed this resolution and recommended it be passed.

The Washington State Democratic Central Committee passed this Resolution on April 7, 2019