

### SNOHOMISH COUNTY invites applications for the position of:

# **Court Reporter**

SALARY:	\$35.52 - \$50.19 Hourly \$6,156.18 - \$8,699.63 Monthly \$73,874.16 - \$104,395.56 Annually
OPENING DATE:	01/12/23
CLOSING DATE:	Continuous

## **DESCRIPTION:**

Snohomish County Superior Court currently has two openings for court reporters!

We are hosting a <u>'Coffee with Court Reporters'</u> zoom call on <u>Wednesday, April 19, 2023</u>, at 8AM. This is an informal, online event and everyone is welcome! Our court reporters will be there to answer questions and share what it's like to work at Snohomish County Superior Court. Please use these links to join the call:

Join Zoom Meeting: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84054642160 Meeting ID: 840 5464 2160; One tap mobile: +12063379723,,84054642160# US (Seattle)

As a court reporter for Snohomish County Superior Court, you'll be working directly for a Superior Court judge to make a stenographic record of all court proceedings which may include technical, scientific, and industry-specific terminology. Realtime is provided to the judge on the majority of proceedings. *Washington State licensure as a court reporter is required.* 

To thrive as a court reporter, you must have court reporter training. Professional demeanor, discretion, tact, and confidentiality are essential skills for success.

Annual salary is \$73,874 to \$104,395 depending on experience. Court reporters may perform transcript preparation for additional income. Some reimbursement for real time costs is available.

As county employees, court reporters have medical, dental, vision, and life insurance, as well as Public Employee Retirement (PERS) matching contributions. Court reporters have generous paid time off (25 days for your first year, increasing to 40 days at four years) and 11 annual holidays.

To apply for a court reporter position at Snohomish County Superior Court, please send your resume to <u>supcourtrecruiting@snoco.org</u>

**JOB DUTIES:** 

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

Three (3) years' experience as a skilled, practical reporter; OR, ability to take and transcribe accurately 175 words per minute of the judges charge or 200 words per minute of testimony each for five (5) consecutive minutes (RCW 2.32.180). Washington Court Reporter License required upon assuming position.

### PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS

Certifications from the National Court Report's Association are preferred.

# ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

### KNOWLEDGE AND ABILITIES

Knowledge of:

- court reporting practices and procedures
- courtroom practices and procedures
- uncommon or non-English words and phrases

Ability to:

- understand and write legal, medical, scientific, drug, admiralty, automotive, construction, photography, computer, environmental and firearm terminology
- report court or other proceedings verbatim with speed and accuracy using machine shorthand techniques
- transcribe stenographic material into typewritten copy with speed and accuracy
- understand and correctly spell difficult terminology
- operate standard office equipment including telephones, typewriters and video terminals
- work under pressure
- concentrate
- understand and execute written and oral instructions

### **SUPERVISION**

Court Reporters are responsible to the judge in whose court verbatim records are made. Additional supervision is received from the designated Superior Court administrator and/or lead court reporter as assigned. The employee plans and carries out assignments on their own initiative. The work is reviewed through scrutiny of records by judges, attorneys, and litigants.

### WORKING CONDITIONS

The work is performed in the usual office environment and a courtroom.

Snohomish County is an Equal Employment Opportunity (EEO) employer. Accommodations for individuals with disabilities are provided upon request. <u>EEO policy and ADA notice</u>

APPLICATIONS MAY BE FILED ONLINE AT: http://www.snohomishcountywa.gov/2553

Position #2023-SSC-5012 COURT REPORTER JW

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