## **Supplementary file:**

Figure S1. Transcriptome-level and survival analysis of WNT5A in head and neck squamous cell carcinoma. (A-B) Transcriptional expression of WNT5A is significantly high in representative non-canonical Wnt signaling pathways ligands and HNSCC patients (both non-match data and matched data, mRNA expression data from TCGA-HNSC (TCGA, Firehose Legacy, https://www.cbioportal.org/), (C-D) Kaplan-Meier curve analysis of overall survival and progress free survival of TCGA-HNSC patients in high- and low-WNT5A expression groups(p > 0.05).

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Figure S2. Protein levels, transcriptome-level, and survival analysis of Beclin1 in head and neck squamous cell carcinoma. (A-B) Transcriptional expression and protein level of Beclin1 is significantly high in HNSCC patients (both non-match data and matched data, mRNA expression data from TCGA-HNSC (TCGA, Firehose Legacy, https://www.cbioportal.org/), Protein level from The Human Protein Atlas (https://www.proteinatlas.org/)). (C-D) Kaplan-Meier curve analysis of overall survival and progress free survival of TCGA-HNSC patients in high- and low-Beclin1 expression groups (p < 0.05)



