

CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM
CITY OF SHORELINE, WASHINGTON

AGENDA TITLE: Proclamation for "Celebrate Shoreline"
DEPARTMENT: Parks, Recreation and Cultural Services
PRESENTED BY: Lynn M. Cheeney, Recreation Superintendent

PROBLEM/ISSUE STATEMENT:

Every year the City of Shoreline celebrates its incorporation with an event that brings together citizens, community leaders, agencies and businesses. This year's three day event begins on Friday with a celebration of youth at the Skate Park followed by the Rotary Run/ Walk, big parade along 15th Ave NE and community festival at Ridgecrest Elementary on Saturday, and a sand sculpture contest at Richmond Beach Saltwater Park on Sunday.

These events have been coordinated by a hard-working and creative citizens committee which has worked with staff to design a great community celebration. Tonight members of the committee will be present to accept the proclamation.

RECOMMENDATION

No action is required.

Approved By: City Manager  City Attorney _____



PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the City of Shoreline is proud of its history and created “Celebrate Shoreline” after incorporation as an annual event to bring together residents, community leaders, agencies, and businesses to celebrate all the things that make our city such a great place to live and work; and

WHEREAS, this year Celebrate Shoreline will be a three-day event, with a celebration for youth on Friday, August 18th, at the Paramount School Park Skate facility; and

WHEREAS, on Saturday, August 19th, there will be a parade in North City and a community festival at Ridgecrest Elementary School; and

WHEREAS, Celebrate Shoreline will conclude with a sand sculpture contest to take place at Richmond Beach Saltwater Park on Sunday, August 20th; and

WHEREAS, a citizens committee of Shoreline residents has worked diligently over the past eight months to help coordinate this year’s events;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Robert L. Ransom, Mayor of the City of Shoreline, on behalf of the Shoreline City Council, do hereby proclaim August 18th, 19th and 20th 2006 as a time to

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and encourage all citizens in Shoreline to participate in the many activities that will take place during this celebration.

Robert L. Ransom
Mayor of Shoreline