

**CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM**  
CITY OF SHORELINE, WASHINGTON

**AGENDA TITLE:** Arbor Day Proclamation  
**DEPARTMENT:** City Council/City Manager/City Clerk  
**PRESENTED BY:** City Council

**INTRODUCTION:**

In 1872, Arbor Day was first observed with the planting of more than a million trees in the State of Nebraska. Arbor Day is now observed throughout the nation and the world.. The City of Shoreline has long recognized the benefit of improving the natural environment for present and future generations. Natural areas, trees, and landscapes provide not only community beautification but also economic and environmental benefits.

This proclamation recognizes Arbor Day in the City of Shoreline and encourages Shoreline citizens to participate in appropriate activities and to enjoy the parks and other natural areas in our community.

**FINANCIAL IMPACT:**

None.

**RECOMMENDATION**

Staff recommends that Council declare April 27, 2009 as a day to recognize Arbor Day in the City of Shoreline.

Approved By: City Manager  City Attorney \_\_\_\_

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