Council Meeting Date: August 9, 2010 Agenda Item: 2(a)

### 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

#### **ISSUE STATEMENT:**

Tonight we proudly honor our annual Celebrate Shoreline with a proclamation. This event celebrates our incorporation with activities that bring together citizens, community leaders, agencies and businesses. Again, this year, we will kick off our celebration on Tuesday, August 17<sup>h</sup> with the 4th annual Jazz Walk. This event, sponsored by the North City Neighborhood Association, the North City Business Association and the Shoreline Arts Council, will feature 11 venues of jazz music in North City businesses including performances by Pearl Django and a free concert by the 2010 Youth Jazz Camp. The majority of the events kick off on Friday August 20 with the popular Sk8 Competition for youth at the Connie King Skate Park followed on Saturday, August 21 by our big parade along 15<sup>th</sup> Ave NE followed by the community festival and car show at Ridgecrest Elementary. We end the celebration on Sunday, August 22 with a sand sculpture contest beginning at 12 noon sponsored by the Richmond Beach Community Association at Richmond Beach Saltwater Park.

Our 2010 Parade Marshal is Maryn Wynn. Maryn has been recognized for her role in the community as a champion of solar projects and sustainability. She helped to create the first North King County Green Business Conference as will as the co-founder of Shoreline Solar Project and has spearheaded the longest running community sustainability event in Shoreline and Puget Sound region.

Each year, the Celebration grows and this would not be possible without the support of our hard-working and creative citizens committee which has worked with staff to design a great community celebration. Tonight members of the committee and Recreation Assistant Pam Barrett 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, work and play; and
- WHEREAS, this year Celebrate Shoreline will begin with the North City Jazz Walk on Tuesday, August 17; and
- WHEREAS, a celebration for youth will be held at the Connie King Skate Park on Friday, August 20; and
- WHEREAS, on Saturday, August 21 there will be a parade starting a 12 noon in North City featuring Parade Marshal Maryn Wynn, followed by a community festival including a car show 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 22; and
- WHEREAS, a citizens committee of Shoreline residents has worked diligently over the past eight months to help coordinate this years events;
- NOW, THEREFORE, I, Keith A. McGlashan, Mayor of the City of Shoreline, on behalf of the Shoreline City Council, do hereby proclaim August 17 through 22, 2010 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 of our city.

Keith A. McGlashan Mayor of Shoreline