

Proclamation Office of the Mayor, City of Mukilteo

International Women's Day March 8, 2021

WHEREAS, International Women's Day is celebrated each year during Women's History Month, and highlights the historical, cultural, and political achievements of women; and

WHEREAS, this day serves as a call to action against discrimination and unequal opportunities for women around the world; and

WHEREAS, International Women's Day has been observed since 1911 and serves as a reminder of the important progress women have made towards equality; and

WHEREAS, the 2021 theme of International Women's Day is #ChooseToChallenge because from challenge comes change and we can all choose to call out gender bias and inequality; and

WHEREAS, as we celebrate women's achievements, we can all choose to help identify gaps and solutions for ensuring equal opportunities for women; and

WHEREAS, International Women's Day is an opportunity to #ChooseToChallenge, acknowledge and amplify the progress made to advance women's rights, and to continue to forge a gender equal world where women are empowered to live, work, and prosper and that celebrates women's achievements, raises awareness against biases, and takes action.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT I, Jennifer Gregerson Mayor of the City of Mukilteo, hereby recognize March 8, 2021, as INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY.

Signed this 8th Day of March, 2021

Jennifer Gregerson

Mayor