

## Proclamation

Office of the Mayor, City of Mukilteo

## NATIONAL FIRE PREVENTION WEEK October 3–9, 2021

*WHEREAS*, The City of Mukilteo is committed to ensuring the safety and security of all those living in and visiting our City; and

*WHEREAS*, Fire is a serious public safety concern both locally and nationally, and homes are where people are at greatest risk to fire; and

*WHEREAS*, The Mukilteo Fire Department is dedicated to reducing the occurrence of home fires and home fire injuries through prevention and protection education; and

WHEREAS, Working smoke alarms cut the risk of dying in home fires in half; and

*WHEREAS*, Mukilteo residents who have planned and practiced a home fire escape plan are more prepared and will therefore be more likely to survive a fire; and

*WHEREAS,* The 2021 Fire Prevention Week theme, "Learn the Sounds of Fire Safety" helps us learn to recognize the different sounds alarms make, and the action needed based on that sound, is critical to preventing injury and death from fire.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that I, Jennifer Gregerson, Mayor of Mukilteo, do hereby proclaim October 3–9, 2021 as *Fire Prevention Week* throughout the City, and urge all people in Mukilteo to focus on creating and practicing an escape plan to keep their loved ones safe.

Signed this 4<sup>th</sup> Day of October, 2021

Jennifer Gregerson Mayor

