

~PROCLAMATION~

Whereas, the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), together with the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), established the right of adults and children with disabilities to participate fully in all aspects of American society; and

Whereas, Clark County supports the goals of equity, opportunity, independent living and economic self-sufficiency for people with disabilities; and

Whereas, the U.S. Department of Labor chose this year's theme for the National Disability Employment Awareness Month as "Access to Good Jobs for All"; and

Whereas, National Disability Employment Awareness Month confirms our commitment to access for workers with disabilities to good jobs every month of every year; and

Whereas, the Clark County Council asks policy makers and business leaders to redouble their efforts to support opportunities for meaningful employment of people with disabilities in all sectors of our economy and renew our commitment to inclusive workplaces and community spaces;

Now, therefore, the County Council hereby reaffirms the principles of the Americans with Disabilities Act and the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act by proclaiming October 2024 as


~ *Disability Employment Awareness Month* ~


in Clark County, Washington, and urges citizens to rededicate our community to fulfilling the letter and spirit of these laws.

Dated this 24th day of September, 2024

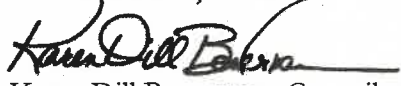
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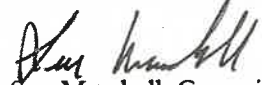



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