

PROCLAMATION

Honoring City Councilmember Donna Wright

WHEREAS, Donna Wright served as a Marysville City Councilmember from 1990 through 1999 and again from 2002 through 2017, for a collective 25 years of dedicated public service; and

WHEREAS, Councilmember Wright's commitment to public safety is demonstrated by her service over the years on the LEOFF 1 Disability Board, the Public Safety Committee, the Marysville Fire District Board and the Police Advisory Committee; and

WHEREAS, her passion for public health led to Councilmember Wright's 25 years on the Snohomish Health District Board and nine years on the Washington State Board of Health; and

WHEREAS, Councilmember Wright also represented the City of Marysville at the county, regional, state and national levels with distinguished service on many bodies including:

- Snohomish County Housing & Community Development Block Grant Technical Advisory Board
- Snohomish County Association of Cities and Towns (Past President)
- Navy Affairs Committee
- Committee for Homeport Impact Preparation (Chair)
- Puget Sound Regional Council Growth Management Policy Board
- Association of Washington Cities Legislative Committee
- National League of Cities Finance, Administration & Intergovernmental Relations (FAIR) Board
- National Small Cities Council: and

WHEREAS, during Councilmember Wright's tenure the City of Marysville has made hundreds of improvements to better serve residents and visitors that include as highlights:

- Ebey Waterfront Park and Trail development; Opera House renovation and cultural programming; and many other park acquisitions and improvements;
- Street improvements on SR 528, State Avenue, 88th Street Northeast, Grove Street, 3rd Street,
 1st Street, the 152nd Street Overpass and the coming 1st Street Bypass Project; and major utility upgrades to city water service and wastewater and storm water treatment;
- New public facilities including a new library, City Hall and community center; and

WHEREAS, the City of Marysville has experienced tremendous growth and progress during her tenure, and through her dedication and leadership, Councilmember Wright has made countless positive contributions to the Marysville community;

NOW, THEREFORE I, JON NEHRING, MAYOR, on behalf of the City Council and our community, do hereby thank and honor Donna Wright for her 25 years of dedicated and distinguished service to the City of Marysville.

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THE CITY OF MARYSVILLE

Jon Nehring, Mayor