



CITY OF BELLINGHAM
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR
KELLI LINVILLE

MAYORAL PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS the global community now faces extraordinary challenges such as global health issues, food and water shortages and economic struggles; and

WHEREAS all people, regardless of race, gender, income or geography, have a moral right to a healthy, sustainable environment with economic growth; and

WHEREAS it is understood that the citizens of the global community must step forward and take action to create a green economy to combat the aforementioned global challenges; and

WHEREAS a green community can be achieved on the individual level through educational efforts, public policy and consumer activism campaigns; and

WHEREAS let it be known that the City of Bellingham hereby encourages its residents, businesses and institutions to use EARTH DAY to celebrate the Earth and commit to building a sustainable and green economy.

NOW, THEREFORE, DO I Kelli Linville, Mayor of the City of Bellingham, proclaim April 22, 2013 as

“EARTH DAY”

in the City of Bellingham and encourage others to support green economy initiatives and undertake similar actions.

Signed the 3rd Day of April, 2013

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Kelli Linville".

Kelli Linville
Mayor