



CITY OF BELLINGHAM
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR
KELLI LINVILLE

MAYORAL PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS summer marks the time of year when neighborhoods can gather and support their local food system by shopping at the farmers markets; and

WHEREAS the farmers markets bring local growers of fine produce, manufacturers of fine crafts and purveyors of fine foods together with happy crowds of consumers; and

WHEREAS the farmers markets are hosted by Whatcom County businesses and serve weekly events for communities to gather and keep their dollars in the local economy; and

WHEREAS the farmers markets bring joyous throngs of people to the streets to celebrate; and

WHEREAS healthy choices are plentiful and include wonderful fruits, fragrant flowers and magnificent vegetables all locally grown;

NOW, THEREFORE, DO I Kelli Linville, Mayor of the City of Bellingham, proclaim the week of August 4-10

“FARMERS MARKET WEEK”

in the City of Bellingham, WA and urge all residents to join me in recognizing the many benefits of our local farmers markets.



Signed this 23rd of July, 2013

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Kelli Linville".

Kelli Linville, Mayor
City of Bellingham