



CITY OF BELLINGHAM
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR
KELLI LINVILLE

MAYORAL PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, The first Chinese Culture Festival was brought to Bellingham in 2006; and

WHEREAS, Over the years, there has been involvement from Western Washington University, Whatcom Symphony Orchestra and Starry Night Chamber Orchestra; and

WHEREAS, Bellingham is delighted to host the Chinese Cultural Festival and enjoy the elegance involving symphony orchestra, as well as original composed symphonic music; and

WHEREAS, This year the Chinese Culture Festival will include dances from 19 girls and 1 boy in the ages of 9-10 years old from Tianjin Cathay Future Children's Art Center in China; and

WHEREAS, The Chinese Culture Festival will also include Bellingham students performing piano solos, dancers from Western Washington University, Bellingham Starry Night Chamber Ensemble and a guest performer from Vancouver, Canada; and

WHEREAS, On Wednesday, September 10, 2014, the Fifth Bellingham Chinese Culture Festival will be held at 7:00 p.m. at the Bellingham High School.

NOW, THEREFORE, DO I, Mayor Kelli Linville of the City of Bellingham, proclaim September 10, 2014 to be

BELLINGHAM CHINESE CULTURE FESTIVAL DAY

in the City of Bellingham, Washington and extend the invitation to the citizens of Bellingham to attend the festival and enjoy this special event.

Signed this 29th day of August, 2014

Kelli Linville, Mayor
City of Bellingham