



Office of the Mayor
Tukwila, Washington

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the Cascade Water Alliance celebrates its tenth anniversary on Monday, May 18, noting its accomplishments over the past decade, and unveiling plans for upcoming public outreach on its water transmission and supply planning for the next several decades; and

WHEREAS, Cascade is an eight-member, non-profit corporation formed in 1999 to provide clean, safe and reliable water to their almost 400,000 residents and more than 22,000 businesses; and

WHEREAS, members include the cities of Bellevue, Redmond, Issaquah, Kirkland and Tukwila, the Covington Water District, and the Sammamish Plateau and Skyway Water and Sewer Districts; and

WHEREAS, Cascade has successfully met its initial mission of ensuring the availability of clean, safe water for East and South King County communities, and planning for the next several decades is underway; and

WHEREAS, water resources take a very long time to plan and develop, which is why we are planning now for water that only our children and their children will see;

WHEREAS, Cascade is building a system for future generations, working on regional solutions and planning for the future;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Jim Haggerton, Mayor of Tukwila, do hereby proclaim Monday, May 18, 2009:

Cascade Water Alliance Day

in the City of Tukwila, and encourage all citizens to join me in recognizing its tenth anniversary.

Signed this 18TH day of MAY, 2009.


Jim Haggerton, Mayor of Tukwila