



# City of Mercer Island, Washington *Proclamation*

**WHEREAS**, the City of Mercer Island celebrates our local small businesses and the contributions they make to our local economy and community.

Small businesses create jobs, boost our local economy, and contribute to a Town Center and other areas that are active, vibrant, and healthy.

Mercer Island features more than 200 businesses in Town Center and other business districts that provide a range of goods and services to the community.

The City of Mercer Island wishes to promote economic recovery and growth by encouraging community members to think local first when purchasing goods and services.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Salim Nice, Mayor of the City of Mercer Island, do hereby proclaim November 2022 as

## **SHOP SMALL MONTH**

**APPROVED**, this 1st day of NOVEMBER 2022

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Mayor Salim Nice

Proclamation No. 299

