

## Office of the Mayors of Snoqualmie & North Bend PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, breast cancer is one of the most prevalent forms of cancer affecting individuals worldwide, with significant impacts on the lives of those diagnosed, their families, and their communities; and

WHEREAS, early detection through regular screenings, advancements in research, and the commitment of healthcare professionals are crucial in improving survival rates and providing hope for those affected by this disease; and

WHEREAS, Breast Cancer Awareness Month provides an opportunity to promote education, support ongoing research, and raise public awareness about breast cancer, encouraging individuals to take proactive steps towards their health and well-being; and

WHEREAS, the courage and strength of survivors, the dedication of healthcare providers, and the invaluable contributions of researchers and advocates play a vital role in the ongoing fight against breast cancer; and

**WHEREAS**, by fostering a spirit of solidarity and compassion, we can work together to support those battling breast cancer, honor those who have lost their lives to the disease, and continue to strive for a future free from breast cancer;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, Katherine Ross and Mary Miller, Mayors of the cities of Snoqualmie and North Bend, do hereby proclaim the month of October 2024 as

## **BREAST CANCER AWARENESS MONTH**

in the Cities of Snoqualmie and North Bend; we encourage all residents to participate in educational activities, support breast cancer research, and engage in efforts that promote awareness and early detection. Together, we can make a meaningful impact in the fight against breast cancer.

Katherine Ross

**Katherine Ross Mayor of Snoqualmie** Proclamation 24-18

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Mary Miller Mayor of North Bend