

City of Stevenson, Washington Mayoral Proclamation 2021-02

National Wildfire Protection Month May 2021

- **WHEREAS** uncontrolled wildfire can have significant impacts on the City of Stevenson's environmental, economic, and social well-being; and
- **WHEREAS**, a large percentage of wildfire is caused by people, therefore, the community plays a critical role in preventing wildfires; and
- **WHEREAS,** residents of the City of Stevenson need to take action now and become "Firewise" to reduce the wildfire threat and prepare their homes, families and community for wildfire; and
- **WHEREAS,** residents must know what to do before, during and after a wildfire (Ready, Set Go!) by having Wildfire Evacuation and Family Communication Plans in place.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, to promote fire safe practices within the City of Stevenson, I, Scott Anderson, mayor of the city of Stevenson, Washington, on behalf of the City Council, staff, and residents do hereby declare the month of May 2021 as Wildfire Awareness Month throughout the city and I urge all residents and visitors to take measures to prevent the occurrence and spread of wildfire.

Date this 20 th day of May 2021.	
	Scott Anderson
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