

Office of Mayor

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the City of North Bend honors those, no matter how young or old, that make a positive difference in our community and our world; and

WHEREAS, the Empower Youth Network's Youth Suicide Prevention program, which includes the #BeKindSV campaign, makes our schools, communities and state stronger by facilitating meaningful change through simple acts of kindness; and

WHEREAS, any day, week, or month is a good time to remind all of us of the need to remember that compassion, empathy, humility and respect are essential ingredients in the creation and maintenance of a kind and civilized society; and

WHEREAS, kindness is a fundamental part of the human condition which bridges the divides of race, religion, politics, and gender; and

WHEREAS, by knowing, understanding, and using our power of kindness, we have the ability to send out a positive ripple that may travel throughout the Valley and beyond; and

WHEREAS, when fostering acts of kindness within our community we help our citizens develop a thoughtful foundation and perspective within themselves and those around them; and

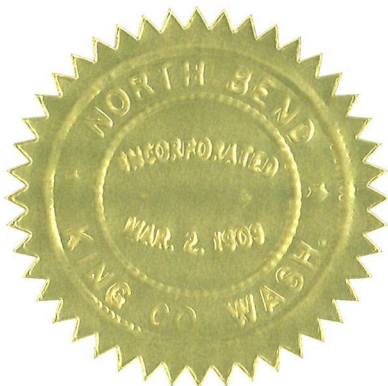
WHEREAS, through simple acts of kindness, we can promote healthy behaviors and positive dynamics within our community; and

WHEREAS, we seek to cultivate caring, kindness and compassion within our community;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rob McFarland, Mayor, do hereby proclaim the month of November 2023 as

KINDNESS MONTH

in the City of North Bend and call upon all citizens to observe this month with appropriate acts of kindness, caring and compassion within our community.



Signed this 1st day of November, 2023

Rob McFarland
Mayor