PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, registering to vote empowers eligible citizens to exercise their right to vote on Election Day; and

WHEREAS, Thurston County is committed to strengthening democracy by encouraging voter registration and increasing participation in all elections; and

WHEREAS, civic-minded people and organizations have collaborated to establish September 17, 2024 as NATIONAL VOTER REGISTRATION DAY; and

WHEREAS, the goal for the 2024 National Voter Registration Day is to create awareness of elections and motivate eligible citizens to vote in coming months; and

WHEREAS, the strength of our democracy depends on the willingness of our citizens to participate by choosing the people who will lead us and by voicing their opinions on important matters that will come before the voters on Election Day.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Olympia City Council, does hereby recognize September 17, 2024 as

NATIONAL VOTER REGISTRATION DAY

in the city of Olympia, Washington and encourages all eligible county residents to register to vote.

SIGNED IN THE CITY OF OLYMPIA, WASHINGTON THIS 17th DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2024

OLYMPIA CITY COUNCIL

Dontae Payne, Mayor