

# Proclamation

City of Liberty Lake, Washington  
Declaring October 11, 2022 as  
International Day of the Girl

*WHEREAS, October 11, 2022 marks a decade since the United Nations adopted Resolution 66/170 to declare October 11 as the International Day of the Girl, to recognize girls' rights and the unique challenges girls face around the world; and*

*WHEREAS, as the world's premier leadership development organization for girls, Girl Scouts has emphasized public service, civic engagement, and fostering a sense of community in girls for over a century; and*

*WHEREAS, Girl Scouts works to champion the ambitions, cultivate the talents, and develop the skills of girls to be leaders in their own world, and in ours; and*

*WHEREAS, in these incredibly challenging times, Girl Scouts provides community, consistency, and connection for girls, and is a safe haven in all the uncertainty; and*

*WHEREAS, in the face of a worldwide pandemic, Girl Scouts adapted and overcame to continue to offer girls skill building digital programming and experiences and found new ways to provide girls optimism and adventure; and*

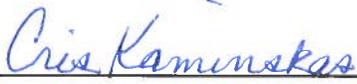
*WHEREAS, Girl Scouts offers 21<sup>st</sup> century programming in science, technology, engineering, and math (STEM); the outdoors; entrepreneurship; and beyond, helping girls develop invaluable life skills; and*

*WHEREAS, the International Day of the Girl focuses attention on the need to address the challenges girls face and to promote girls' empowerment and the fulfillment of their human rights; and*

*WHEREAS, today, on the 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary of celebrating the specialness of Girls, we are reminded more than 50 million women are Girl Scout alums as role models to the 1 million Girl Scouts and we recognize and honor the 1.1 billion girls across the globe who make the world a better place.*

*Now, therefore, we, Mayor and Councilmembers of the City of Liberty Lake, do hereby proclaim October 11, 2022, as **International Day of the Girl** in the City of Liberty Lake, Washington.*

*Dated this 18th day of October, 2022.*

  
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**Cris Kaminskis, Mayor**