



CITY OF ANACORTES PROCLAMATION

General Aviation Appreciation Month

WHEREAS, the City of Anacortes, in the state of Washington, has a significant interest in the continued vitality of general aviation, aircraft manufacturing, aviation educational institutions, aviation organizations and community airports; and

WHEREAS, general aviation and the Anacortes Airport have an immense economic impact on Anacortes; and

WHEREAS, general aviation not only supports Washington's economy, it improves overall quality of life by supporting emergency medical and healthcare services, law enforcement, firefighting and disaster relief, and by transporting business travelers to their destinations quickly and safely; and

WHEREAS, the nation's aviation infrastructure represents an important public benefit;

NOW THEREFORE, I, Laurie Gere, Mayor of the City of Anacortes, do hereby proclaim general aviation a vital strategic resource to the City of Anacortes and declare June as

GENERAL AVIATION APPRECIATION MONTH

in the City of Anacortes, and invite all citizens to recognize this occasion.

Signed this 17th day of May 2018

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A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be "Laurie Gere", enclosed within a large, hand-drawn oval.

Laurie Gere, Mayor