CITY OF COLVILLE PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the City of Colville, 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 Colville Municipal Airport have immense economic impact on Colville; 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, and Congressional oversight should be in place to ensure stable funding of this system;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Louis F. Janke, Mayor of the City of Colville, do hereby proclaim general aviation a vital strategic resource to the City of Colville and declare June as

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in the City of Colville and I urge all citizens to recognize general aviation as a vital strategic resource to the State of Washington.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Colville to be affixed this 6th day of June, 2017.

Louis F. Janke, Mayor

Attest:

Holly Pannell, MMC, PFO

City Clerk/Human Resources Manager