

Declaring April 2016 Financial Literacy Month

WHEREAS, the citizens of Spokane continue to emerge from the Great Recession; and

WHEREAS, the Spokane City Council recognizes that personal financial capability contributes greatly to the economic stability and well-being of all citizens; and

WHEREAS, financial literacy education greatly contributes to increased personal financial capability; and

WHEREAS, all sectors are stakeholders in the effort to increase personal financial capability; and

WHEREAS, public-private partnerships such as between Spokane Public Schools and Junior Achievement of Washington that just last month provided a curriculum and capstone experience for over 500 Spokane-area students known as JA Finance Park presented by BECU; and

WHEREAS, www.mymoney.gov is our nation's clearinghouse of personal financial capability resources;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Spokane City Council that we hereby declare April 2016 to be **Financial Literacy Month**, and encourages all citizens to participate in programs and activities that increase personal financial capability.

I, Ben Stuckart, Spokane City Council President,
do hereunto set my hand and
cause the seal of the City of Spokane
to be affixed this 11th day of April in 2016



Ben Stuckart
Spokane City Council President