

CITY OF SPOKANE



PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the mission of the Spokane Lilac Festival Association, "Honoring Our Military, Empowering Our Youth, Showcasing Our Region," underscores its commitment to fostering civic pride, volunteerism, and cultural diversity, serving as a steadfast source of inspiration and community engagement within the Lilac City and beyond; and

WHEREAS, since its inception in 1938, the Spokane Lilac Festival Association, its Directors, Volunteers and Royal Court have dedicated themselves to showcasing Spokane as the "Lilac City," and the Spokane Lilac Festival, with its rich history spanning over eight decades, has become a cherished tradition within our community, embodying the spirit of unity, pride, and celebration; and

WHEREAS, the Spokane Lilac Festival Association enthusiastically embraces this year's theme, "Dare to Dream," extending an invitation to everyone in Spokane, Spokane County, and the greater Inland Northwest area to partake in the numerous activities hosted throughout the week culminating with the celebrated Spokane Lilac Festival Armed Forces Torchlight Parade in downtown Spokane on Saturday, May 18th:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Lisa Brown, Mayor of the City of Spokane, on behalf of the people of Spokane, do hereby proclaim May 13-18, 2024 as

86TH ANNUAL SPOKANE LILAC FESTIVAL WEEK

in Spokane and encourage all people to participate in and enjoy the variety of activities that take place throughout the week.

I, Lisa Brown, Mayor of Spokane,
do hereunto set my hand and
cause the seal of the City of Spokane
to be affixed this
7th day of May 2024.

Lisa Brown

Lisa Brown
Mayor

