

CITY OF SPOKANE



PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, for 143 years Eastern Washington University has trained the region's workforce by providing applied learning that leads to relevant, in-demand careers, rooted in the liberal arts, that integrates critical thinking, communication, and problem-solving skills, continuing to do so today as *The Region's Polytechnic*; and

WHEREAS, Eastern Washington University daily fulfills its mission to provides an inclusive, equitable, and transformative learning experience, driving the pursuit of knowledge with affordable academic excellence, thus creating upward social mobility and intellectual growth for our students that supports a healthy, sustainable, and economically successful region; and

WHEREAS, Eastern Washington University faculty, staff, alumni and their families have come together to Build Our Future to ensure that EWU remains accessible and affordable to all, building healthy communities through hands-on learning, academic innovation and a commitment to athletic excellence, and that continues to give joy to students through engagement, scholarship support, and dream fulfillment:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Lisa Brown, Mayor of the City of Spokane, on behalf of the people of Spokane, do hereby proclaim April 3, 2025 as

GIVING JOY DAY

in Spokane in honor of Eastern Washington University's 143rd birthday and its innumerable contributions to our region.

I, Lisa Brown, Mayor of Spokane,
do hereunto set my hand and
cause the seal of the City of Spokane
to be affixed this
24th day of March 2025.

Lisa Brown

Lisa Brown
Mayor

