

CITY OF SPOKANE



PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the City of Spokane values its international sister city relationships as a vital means of promoting cultural exchange, mutual understanding, and global friendship; and

WHEREAS, the Spokane-Jilin Sister City Association, in partnership with the Spokane Chinese Association, has worked tirelessly to strengthen this enduring relationship and to enhance cross-cultural engagement for the benefit of all Spokane residents; and

WHEREAS, the installation and dedication of the Dragon Bench, a gift symbolizing blessing, strength and unity, represents a meaningful cultural contribution to the City of Spokane and celebrates the rich cultural heritage of our Chinese American community and further beautifies the city's public spaces while educating future generations about the importance of international friendship and cooperation:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Lisa Brown, Mayor of the City of Spokane, on behalf of the people of Spokane, do hereby proclaim June 21, 2025 as

SPOKANE-JILIN SISTER CITY DRAGON BENCH DEDICATION DAY

in Spokane.

I, Lisa Brown, Mayor of Spokane,
do hereunto set my hand and
cause the seal of the City of Spokane
to be affixed this
10th day of June 2025.

Lisa Brown

Lisa Brown
Mayor

