

CITY OF SPOKANE



PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, an intellectual or developmental disability affects more than 7,000 people in Spokane County and their families. Public awareness about the needs of people with developmental disabilities can help Spokane become a more welcoming and inclusive city. People with developmental disabilities are a vibrant part of our community and improve the quality of life for all; and

WHEREAS, the month of March has been designated Developmental Disabilities Awareness Month by a 1987 Presidential Proclamation; and

WHEREAS, it is the goal of the City of Spokane's supported employment initiative that the employee demographic for the City reflects the community we serve:

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

DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES AWARENESS MONTH

in Spokane and urge all residents to give full support toward enabling people with developmental disabilities to live full and independent lives in our community.

I, Lisa Brown, Mayor of Spokane,
do hereunto set my hand and
cause the seal of the City of Spokane
to be affixed this
27th day of February 2025.

Lisa Brown

Lisa Brown
Mayor

