Resolution No. R2019-36

A Resolution of the Pierce County Council and Executive Proclaiming the Month of April 2019, as “National County Government Month,” in Pierce County, Washington.

Whereas, the State of Washington’s 39 counties, serving more than 7 million residents, provide essential services to create healthy, safe and vibrant communities; and

Whereas, counties provide health services, administer justice, keep communities safe, foster economic opportunities, and much more; and

Whereas, Pierce County and all counties take pride in our responsibility to protect and enhance the health, welfare and safety of our residents in efficient and cost-effective ways; and

Whereas, through the Washington State Association of Counties and the National Association of Counties across the nation, counties will be demonstrating how they deliver services to our residents nationwide; and

Whereas, each year since 1991 the Washington State Association of Counties and the National Association of Counties have encouraged counties across the country to elevate awareness of county responsibilities, programs and services; and

Whereas, Pierce County serves the dual role of as a county government for all 872,220 residents living within the geographical borders and as the provider of municipal-level services for the 409,020 residents living in unincorporated areas; and

Whereas, Pierce County continues to provide a high level of public safety, human services, economic and infrastructure development, community development, parks, and recreational opportunities, while striving to ensure Pierce County remains a great place to live, work, and raise a family; Now, Therefore,

BE IT PROCLAIMED by the Council and Executive of Pierce County:

The Council and Executive hereby proclaim the month of April 2019, as “National County Government Month,” in Pierce County, Washington, and encourage all County officials, employees, schools, and residents to participate in County government celebration activities.

ADOPTED this 2nd day of April 2019.

PIERCE COUNTY EXECUTIVE

Bruce F. Dammeier, County Executive

ATTEST:

Denise D. Johnson
Clerk of the Council

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