

The City of Everett

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Manufacturing Day was designed to showcase individual manufacturers and to coordinate efforts to address the challenges of skilled labor shortage; and,

WHEREAS, manufacturing has played a critical role in Everett's historical growth and boosts the region's economic growth; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Everett is the county's largest city and is home to aerospace, marine service, biomedical and many other manufacturers, providing high-tech and highly skilled jobs for our citizens and strengthening our local economy; and,

WHEREAS, workforce training and education is a critical tool to support manufacturers across the state which are facing a gap in skilled labor; and,

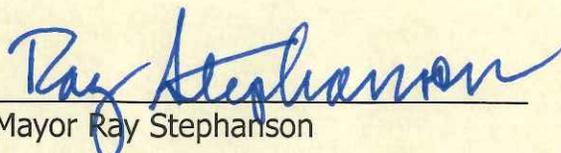
WHEREAS, Everett is becoming a center for innovative, state-of-the-art training through Everett Community College's manufacturing programs and the Washington State University engineering programs which strive to assure a well prepared and skilled workforce, ready to meet the needs of industry; and,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Ray Stephanson, Mayor of the City of Everett, do hereby proclaim October 2nd, 2015, as

MANUFACTURING DAY

in the City of Everett and encourage all residents to participate in this special observance.

Signed this 29th day of September, 2015



Mayor Ray Stephanson

