



SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL
Snohomish County, Washington

RESOLUTION NO. 25-006

**A RESOLUTION OF THE SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL RECOGNIZING
MARCH 2025 AS RED CROSS MONTH IN SNOHOMISH COUNTY**

WHEREAS, since Clara Barton founded the American Red Cross more than 140 years ago, generation after generation has stepped up to deliver relief and care across our country and around the world, bringing out the best of humanity in times of crisis; and

WHEREAS, advancing Red Cross' noble mission, disaster response volunteers, blood and platelet donors, veteran support volunteers, and supporters give back through local disaster planning and training initiatives, remain unwavering in their commitment to prevent and alleviate human suffering in the face of today's emergencies; and

WHEREAS, in March we celebrate American Red Cross Month by recognizing the compassionate acts of people in Snohomish County and by renewing our commitment to lend a helping hand to our neighbors in need; and

WHEREAS, Snohomish County Red Cross volunteers respond multiple times each week to home fires affecting our friends and neighbors, staff and support blood donation drives, install residential smoke detectors, and instruct community members in CPR and other life-saving techniques; and

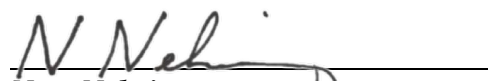
WHEREAS, many of these volunteers also answer the call to respond to disasters throughout our country and internationally, whenever and wherever disasters occur, including the recent fires in California and last fall's devastating hurricanes on the East Coast; and

WHEREAS, these voluntary and generous contributions shine a beacon of hope in people's darkest hours - whether by delivering shelter, food and comfort during disasters; providing critical blood donations for hospital patients; supporting service members, veterans and their families; saving lives with first aid, CPR, AED and other skills; or delivering international aid and reconnecting loved ones separated by global crises; and


WHEREAS, we recognize that the work to uplift communities is made possible by those who selflessly answer the call to help and support the Red Cross's mission to alleviate human suffering, and ask all to promote its humanitarian goals;

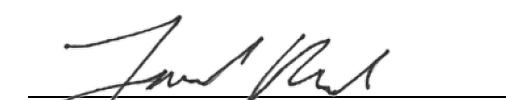
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Snohomish County Council recognizes March 2025 as Red Cross Month.


APPROVED this 26th day of February 2025.



Nate Nehring
Council Chair


Megan Dunn
Council Vice-Chair


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