



SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL
Snohomish County, Washington

RESOLUTION NO. 23-011

RECOGNIZING APRIL 22, 2023, AS EARTH DAY IN SNOHOMISH COUNTY

WHEREAS, *Earth Day is an annual reminder of the ongoing need for environmental advocacy, stewardship commitments, and sustainability efforts; and*

WHEREAS, *Snohomish County and the global community are facing tremendous environmental challenges; and*

WHEREAS, *all people, regardless of race, gender, income, or geography, have a right to a healthy, sustainable environment with economic growth and opportunity; and*

WHEREAS, *we are all caretakers of our planet and have an obligation to combat climate change and environmental degradation to conserve the earth's resources, health, and beauty; and*

WHEREAS, *Snohomish County has abundant natural resources and awe-inspiring beauty, and an obligation to preserve them for future generations; and*

WHEREAS, *Snohomish County, working with the Department of Conservation and Natural Resources and our community partners, commit to being good stewards of our resources and manage infrastructure for the purpose of protection, enhancement, use, and enjoyment of our land, air, and water now and into the future; and*

WHEREAS, *the theme for Earth Day 2023 is "Invest in Our Planet," which highlights the importance of dedicating our time, resources, and energy to solving climate change and other environmental issues; and*

WHEREAS, *since this year marks the 53rd anniversary of the Earth Day movement, let it be known that Snohomish County, Washington encourages all businesses, institutions, and individuals to celebrate the Earth and commit to caring for the planet and its resources;*

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, *Snohomish County Council recognizes April 22, 2023, as Earth Day in Snohomish County and encourages all Snohomish County businesses, institutions, residents, and visitors to celebrate Earth Day and commit to caring for the planet and its resource. Please join us in participating in Earth Day by participating in conservation and stewardship events.*

APPROVED this 19th day of April, 2023.




Jared Mead
Council Chair




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Council Vice-Chair




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Councilmember



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Councilmember



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ATTEST: 

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