



CITY OF BELLINGHAM
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR
KELLI LINVILLE

MAYORAL PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Toastmasters International is a leading organization in teaching public speaking, leadership skills and communication development both nationally and internationally; and

WHEREAS, Toastmasters International empowers individuals to become effective communicators and leaders; and

WHEREAS, by helping people develop essential communication skills, Toastmasters performs a valuable service; and

WHEREAS, after more than eight decades of outstanding achievement, Toastmasters International has grown to over 12,000 clubs in 113 countries worldwide, with three here in Bellingham; and

NOW THEREFORE, DO I, Kelli Linville, Mayor of the City of Bellingham, proclaim February 5-11, 2017,

TOASTMASTERS INTERNATIONAL WEEK

In Bellingham and I encourage all community members to recognize the communication and public speaking accomplishments and opportunities that Toastmasters International has provided.



Signed this 4th day of January, 2017

Kelli Linville, Mayor
City of Bellingham