

## ~PROCLAMATION~



Whereas, Clark County is committed to resource conservation and waste reduction through the process of recycling; and

Whereas, Art is a creative pursuit of self-expression and beauty that has the power to bring a community together; and

Whereas, Recycled art benefits both waste reduction and creativity because artists and crafts people reuse materials that otherwise would go to a landfill or recycling facility and produce aesthetically pleasing, useful and thought-provoking works; and

Whereas, The Recycled Arts Festival, now in its 10th year, has educated visitors, inspired artists, and brought together more than 115,000 people who made it the Vancouver Downtown Association's "Favorite Downtown Event" the past two years, increasing community awareness of waste reduction techniques.

Now, therefore, this Board of County Councilors hereby proclaims June 22-28 as

## ~Recycled Arts Week~

in Clark County, Washington and urges citizens to participate in various community activities in celebration of the Recycled Arts Festival June 27-28 and become advocates for waste reduction and creative reuse.

Signed this 16th day of June 2015

BOARD OF COUNTY COUNCILORS CLARK COUNTY, WASHINGTON

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