~PROCLAMATION~

- **WHEREAS,** The nation's 3,069 counties serve more than 315 million Americans, providing essential services to create healthy, safe, and vibrant communities; and
- WHEREAS, Counties provide health services, administer justice, keep communities safe, foster economic opportunities, and much more; and
- **WHEREAS,** Clark County, Washington, takes pride in our responsibility to protect and enhance the health, well-being, and safety of our residents as effectively and efficiently as possible; and
- **WHEREAS,** The Washington State Association of Counties (WSAC) has declared the theme of National County month in Washington to be "Voices of Impact," focused on the importance of effective communication both internally and externally in county governance; and
- **WHEREAS,** Clark County values the talent, knowledge, experience, dedication, and creativity employees demonstrate on a daily basis.

NOW, THEREFORE, we, the Clark County Council proclaim April 2025 as

~ National County Government Month ~

in Clark County, Washington. The Council thanks all employees and the people who support them for their service to our community.

Signed this 15th day of April, 2025

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