



PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the Office of the Municipal Clerk, a time honored and vital part of local government exists throughout the world, and

WHEREAS, the Office of the Municipal Clerk is the oldest among public servants, and

WHEREAS, the Office of the Municipal Clerk provides the professional link between the citizens, the local governing bodies and agencies of government at other levels, and

WHEREAS, Municipal Clerks have pledged to be ever mindful of their neutrality and impartiality, rendering equal service to all.

WHEREAS, the Municipal Clerk serves as the information center on functions of local government and community.

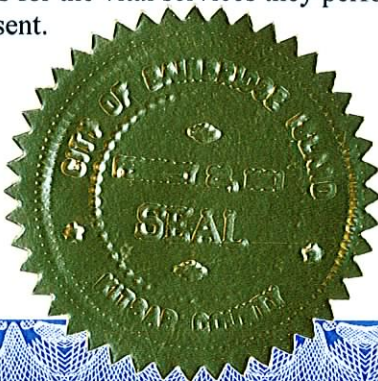
WHEREAS, Municipal Clerks continually strive to improve the administration of the affairs of the Office of the Municipal Clerk through participation in education programs, seminars, workshops and the annual meetings of their state, province, county and international professional organizations.

WHEREAS, it is most appropriate that we recognize the accomplishments of the Office of the Municipal Clerk.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, DARLENE KORDONOWY, Mayor of the City of Bainbridge Island, Washington, do recognize the week of May 4 through May 10, 2008, as

MUNICIPAL CLERKS WEEK

I further extend appreciation to our Municipal Clerk, Rosalind Lassoff, and to all Municipal Clerks for the vital services they perform and their exemplary dedication to the communities they represent.



SIGNED this 2nd day of May 2008


Darlene Kordonowy, Mayor