

Connected Community Enhanced Livability Environmental Sustainability

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the City of Redmond is home to people of numerous backgrounds and

national origins; and

WHEREAS, Redmond draws immense strength, cultural understanding, and

empathy from the diversity of its residents; and

WHEREAS, Redmond is pleased to host Ananda Mela: Joyful Festival of India at the

Redmond City Hall Campus on Saturday, July 27 and Sunday, July 28,

2024; and

WHEREAS, the vibrant East Indian community plays a positive role in Redmond,

which is known throughout the world for its high technology industry,

intellectual vitality, and talent; and

WHEREAS, the City of Redmond has been collaborating with the Vedic Cultural

Center since 2010 to offer high-quality experiences of arts and culture to

residents and visitors;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ANGELA BIRNEY, Mayor of the City of Redmond, do hereby proclaim July 27, 2024, as ANANDA MELA DAY in Redmond, and encourage Redmond residents and visitors to participate in this festival of the arts and culture of India.



Angela Birney, Mayor July 27, 2024