

## ~ PROCLAMATION ~

WHEREAS, *Skamania County* is rich in beauty, possibilities and history, our greatest resource is our people; and

WHEREAS, residents voluntarily share their skills by connecting with local service organizations and in so doing, strengthen the fabric of our community; and

WHEREAS, volunteers meet needs in their communities by giving their time and talents supporting literacy, education, health and human services, faith communities, charities, economic development, environmental protection, public safety and disaster preparedness; and

WHEREAS, *Skamania County* recognizes the vital role of volunteers who serve on our boards, commissions, task forces and committees; and

WHEREAS, through volunteering, ordinary people can make extraordinary impacts by being a source of comfort and resilience, building ladders of opportunity for all people and making sacrifices to lift up those around them or far away.

NOW THEREFORE, we, the Board of County Councilors, do hereby proclaim April 15th-21st, 2018 as

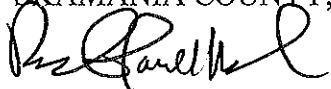
*Commissioners*

## ~ National Volunteer Week ~

in *Skamania County*, Washington. In so doing, we extend our appreciation to volunteers countywide who give new life to the values we hold dear as Americans and help us become more compassionate, engaged citizens.

Signed this 10th day of April 2018

BOARD OF COUNTY COUNCILORS  
SKAMANIA COUNTY, WASHINGTON



Richard Mahar, District 1



Tom Lannen, District 2 & Chair

*absent*

Bob Hamlin, District 3