

## **PROCLAMATION**

- WHEREAS, the City of Shoreline recognizes adequate nutrition as a basic need for each citizen; and
- WHEREAS, food insecurity is a concern for one in four Shoreline residents; and
- WHEREAS, Hopelink saw an 8% increase in foodbank usage over the past year prior to the start of the COVID-19 pandemic; and
- WHEREAS, King County reports growing food insecurity since the start of the pandemic; and
- WHEREAS, Hopelink and local food pantries at churches and schools rely on community contributions to meet this growing need;
- NOW, THEREFORE, I, Will Hall, Mayor of the City of Shoreline, on behalf of the Shoreline City Council, do hereby proclaim September 19, 2020 as the

## MAYOR'S DAY OF CONCERN FOR THE HUNGRY

in the City of Shoreline and urge all citizens to generously support local food banks.



Will Hall, Mayor

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