CITY OF
SHORELINE

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, a quality education is one of the significant foundations for the continuing success of our state, our country, and our society at large; and in the City of Shoreline, we strive for the betterment of all of our community members through an increased focus on education and sharing; and

WHEREAS, through providing the possibility of an excellent education for all, especially children, with which to gain knowledge through rigorous study, we can create hope for a brighter, kinder and more united and prosperous future in the lives of so many; and

WHEREAS, one of the leading global advocates for the advancement of education, the Lubavitcher Rebbe, Rabbi Menachem Schneerson, of righteous memory, who stressed the importance of education as it empowers every individual to develop their full potential in making the world a better place; and

WHEREAS, in recognition of the Rebbe's outstanding and lasting contributions toward improvements in world education, morality, and acts of charity, he was awarded the Congressional Gold Medal, and the United States Congress has established his birthdate as a national day to raise awareness and strengthen the education of our children; and

WHEREAS, April 19, 2024, will mark 122 years since the Rebbe's birth, and the date will be celebrated across these United States and around the globe in tribute to the Rebbe's vision, guidance and leadership; and

WHEREAS, for more than forty years the President of the United States has recognized and honored the Rebbe's vision each year on that day by proclaiming it "Education & Sharing Day USA."

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Chris Roberts, Mayor of the City of Shoreline, on behalf of the Shoreline City Council, do hereby proclaim Friday, April 19, 2024 as

EDUCATION AND SHARING DAY

in the City of Shoreline and call upon government officials, educators, volunteers, and community members to reach out to out to those within your communities and work to create a better, brighter, and more hopeful future for all.

Christopher Roberts, Mayor