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Subject: RE: PROCLAMATION, LOVE THY NEIGHBOR

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Dear Honorable Mayor and Council Members,

We trust this letter find you and yours doing well. On February 19, 2022 Tacoma Ministerial Alliance (TMA) submitted and introduced to Governor Jay Inslee's office a, *Love Thy Neighbor Month Proclamation*. (Please see signed proclamation attached).

TMA is a community faith-based organization who believes in Spiritual and Social Justice, Human Harmony, and Loving Thy Neighbor regardless of race, religion, gender, or cultural differences. Visit TMA website for more TMA information at https://TMAtoday. org.

The attached Proclamation recognizes, as well as addresses hate, violence, abuse, racism and discrimination in Washington State and provides a pathway towards next steps in eliminating hatred based on race, religion, gender, or cultural differences. In addition, we also want to recognize the month of July as a Washington State hate free/human harmony month. This is significant and a catalyst to help making our communities, our cities and Washington State a greater America.

We are encouraging and requesting Washington State Mayors, July 2022, to support and join us in our endeavors in making a better and greater Washington State. In solidarity, unifying our communities and cities with activities and awareness throughout the month of July on the important of, "Loving thy Neighbor," demonstrating fluently and diligently living together in the name of humanity.

Please respond to this email by clicking reply and type the words "IN SUPPORT" or "NOT IN SUPPORT." Lynnwood, Tacoma, and those cities in 2021 who created a Love Thy Neighbor Proclamation, we support you and looking forward to do the same in 2022.

Your reply by April 1, 2022 is greatly appreciated and we **THANK YOU** in advance for your response and support.

TMA is excited for this opportunity, we look forward to sharing more details and including your city in our endeavors.

Should you have any questions or need additional information, please do not hesitate to contact one of the persons listed below:

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