

~PROCLAMATION~

WHEREAS, the giving of oneself in service to another empowers the giver and the recipient; and

WHEREAS, the City of Battle Ground recognizes the importance of volunteers in our community and encourages all citizens to be part of positive action through volunteer service; and

WHEREAS, our community faces vast new challenges, now, more than ever and people from all walks of life are needed to come together to use their skills for the betterment of their communities; and

WHEREAS, self-sacrificing individuals mobilized to help others can make a difference in their communities; and

WHEREAS, the City of Battle Ground fosters creative leadership and civic engagement, and promotes public-private partnerships to expand the scope of effectiveness of volunteerism; and

WHEREAS, the City of Battle Ground is organizing a Parks Appreciation Day on April 20, 2019 and promotes an Adopt a Park program for individuals, families, organizations and businesses.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Mike Dalesandro, Mayor of Battle Ground, do hereby proclaim April 2019 as:

VOLUNTEER MONTH

and call on all citizens, of all ages, to join in and get involved in volunteer on this day, and throughout the year. By volunteering we strengthen the connections between neighbors and community, and we become more understanding and compassionate citizens.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Battle Ground to be affixed this 1st day of April 2019.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "M. Dalesandro", is written over a horizontal line.

Mayor Mike Dalesandro