

CITY OF LACEY

Proclamation

WHEREAS, the City of Lacey has strong ties to Joint Base Lewis-McChord and, in particular, to the 3rd Stryker Brigade Combat Team of the 2nd Infantry Division as part of Joint Base Lewis-McChord Community Connector Program; and

WHEREAS, the City of Lacey acknowledges that a large number of men and women in the Armed Forces who live in our community call both Joint Base Lewis-McChord and the City of Lacey their home; and

WHEREAS, the 3rd Stryker Brigade Combat Team of the 2nd Infantry Division will be deploying for combat operations in Afghanistan this coming December, to protect and defend our country; and

WHEREAS, the City of Lacey wishes to express its appreciation for the sacrifices made by our Armed Forces and to their families who also share the burden of sacrifice. We are forever grateful for their service to our country so that we may live under a democracy characterized by fundamental freedoms and civility of law.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Tom Nelson, Mayor of the City of Lacey, on behalf of the Lacey City Council, proclaim our community's support and gratitude to our men and women of the 3rd Stryker Brigade Combat Team of the 2nd Infantry Division for their many sacrifices in defense of the United States of America.

AND, FURTHER, may your mission be successful, may your service be honored, and may you return home safe to the Lacey community.

Mayor Tom Nelson
November 16, 2011

