

# The State of Washington



## Proclamation

**WHEREAS**, Community Action connects individuals and families to approaches that help them succeed and promotes community-wide solutions to challenges throughout our cities, suburbs, and rural areas; and

**WHEREAS**, Community Action builds and promotes economic stability as an essential aspect of enabling and enhancing stronger communities, which in turn promotes self-sufficiency, ensuring that all Washingtonians are able to live in dignity; and

**WHEREAS**, Community Action connects children and families to greater opportunity, transforming their lives and making our communities and nation stronger; and

**WHEREAS**, for more than 50 years, Community Action in Washington has served all 39 counties in rural and urban communities, empowering families and individuals - helping people, changing lives, and offering life-changing services that create pathways to prosperity; and

**WHEREAS**, Community Action will continue to implement innovative programs that create a greater opportunity of success for everyone, will continue to focus on a broader range of community challenges to ignite economic growth and benefit to all families, and will continue to be a voice for the disenfranchised;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Jay Inslee, Governor of the state of Washington, do hereby proclaim May 2019 as

### *Community Action Month*

in Washington, and I encourage all people in our state to join me in this special observance.

Signed this 17<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2019

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Jay Inslee".

Governor Jay Inslee

