

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the Soundway Property Preservation Project commemorates its second year since approval by the Seattle City Council to designate the land as a park and open space in perpetuity; and

WHEREAS, Nature Consortium marks the previous years of patient community activism to add the Soundway Property to Seattle's largest contiguous forest, the West Duwamish Greenbelt; and

WHEREAS, Nature Consortium and the City of Seattle's Department of Parks and Recreation both celebrate the thousands of volunteers and their diligent restoration of this public green space, making the Soundway Property a home for forest wildlife habitat and an urban oasis for City residents; and

WHEREAS, Seattle residents value contribution and investments to make green spaces, such as the Soundway Property, available and inviting to all people in the City,

NOW, therefore, I Mike McGinn, Mayor of the City of Seattle, do hereby proclaim June 15, 2013, to be

Soundway Day

in the City of Seattle, and I call upon public officials, environmentalists, businesses, communities, volunteers, and all the people of Seattle, Washington to observe this day, and to celebrate the addition of the Soundway Property as a protected community green space for generations to come.



Michael McGinn
Mayor of Seattle

