

**JEFFERSON COUNTY
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**

AGENDA REQUEST

TO: Board of County Commissioners
Philip Morley, County Administrator

FROM: Julie Shannon, Executive Secretary I

DATE: August 20, 2012

SUBJECT: **PROCLAMATION** re: Proclaiming the Week of August 20-26, 2012 as Olympic Peninsula Senior Games Week


STATEMENT OF ISSUE:


The City of Port Angeles has requested approval of the proclamation recognizing the Week of August 20-26, 2012 as Olympic Peninsula Senior Games Week

RECOMMENDATION:

Approve Proclamation re: Recognizing the Week of August 20-26, 2012 as Olympic Peninsula Senior Games Week

REVIEWED BY:


Philip Morley, County Administrator


Date

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the Olympic Peninsula Senior Games Provides everyone 50 years old and above a competitive sporting event; and,

WHEREAS, this is the Eighth year of the Olympic Peninsula Senior Games; and,

WHEREAS, the Senior Games offers 16 sports, 52 events, over three days in August; and,

WHEREAS, over 600 Senior Athletes are expected to participate; and,

WHEREAS, the Senior Games bring together senior athletes from Washington State and around the country and Canada for competition, fellowship and fun; and,

WHEREAS, Participants in the Olympic Peninsula Senior Games value fitness as a lifestyle and dedicate themselves to breaking down the stereotypes of aging; and,

WHEREAS, the Community Action Agencies, in partnership with elected officials, the private sector and low-income citizens, continue to identify challenges facing those with fixed and low incomes and seek ways to strengthen the community; and,

WHEREAS, ENTITY pays tribute to the achievements and contributions of the athletes 50 years old and above; and,

NOW, THEREFORE, the Board of Jefferson County Commissioners do hereby proclaim the Week of August 20-26, 2012, as:

OLYMPIC PENINSULA SENIOR GAMES WEEK

Olympic Peninsula Senior Games in Port Angeles, "COME FOR THE SPORT ...STAY FOR THE FUN!"
We urge all citizens to join us in this special observance.

PROCLAIMED this _____ day of August, 2012.

SEAL:

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ATTEST:

John Austin, Chairman

David Sullivan, Member

Raina Randall
Deputy Clerk of the Board

Phil Johnson, Member