



Proclamation

WHEREAS, Tri-Monroe is a USA Triathlon (USAT) Junior and Youth Elite Cup race series which qualifies athletes to participate in the National USAT Junior Elite Qualifier for thirteen to nineteen year olds; and

WHEREAS, approximately two hundred and eighty athletes from across the United States and around the world including; Canada, Mexico, Brazil, Great Britain, Venezuela, and Puerto Rico, participate in Tri-Monroe; and

WHEREAS, Junior Elite Cups are the most competitive junior triathlons in the United States; and

WHEREAS, this is the eighth season of Tri-Monroe, held at Lake Tye Park in Monroe and will occur this year on Saturday, June 29, 2019, from seven a.m. to two p.m.; and

WHEREAS, the organization “Finish Strong” is in its first year of owning and operating the event; and

WHEREAS, approximately sixty to eighty volunteers work hard to ensure the success of Tri-Monroe, including resources from the City of Monroe, Snohomish County Sports Commission, Snohomish County Auxiliary Communications Services, Snohomish County Medical Reserve Corps, Monroe Chamber of Commerce and the Monroe Boys and Girls Club.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Geoffrey Thomas, do hereby recognize Saturday, June 29, 2019, as

TRI-MONROE

And encourage residents and businesses to come out to Lake Tye Park that day to welcome and support these junior athletes and their accomplishments.

Geoffrey Thomas, Mayor