



City of Langley  
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A Community for a Lifetime

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## **Earth Day Proclamation Earth Day 2015**

**WHEREAS** the global community now faces extraordinary challenges, such as global health issues, food and water shortages, and economic struggles; and

**WHEREAS** all people, regardless of race, gender, income, or geography, have a moral right to a healthy, sustainable environment with economic growth; and

**WHEREAS** it is understood that the citizens of the global community must step forward and take action to create a green economy to combat the aforementioned global challenges; and

**WHEREAS** a green economy can be achieved on the individual level through educational efforts, public policy, and consumer activism campaigns; and

**WHEREAS** it is necessary to broaden and diversify this global movement to achieve maximum success; and

**WHEREAS** Earth Day is the beginning of a new year for environmental stewardship commitments, to implement sustainability efforts and commit to an Earth Day resolution(s); and

**FURTHERMORE**, let it be known that the Langley, Washington hereby encourages its residents, businesses and institutions to use **EARTH DAY** to celebrate the Earth and commit to building a sustainable and green economy;

**NOW THEREFORE LET IT BE RESOLVED**, the Langley, Washington, hereby pledges this Earth Day, April 22, 2015, to support green economy initiatives in Langley, Washington and to encourage others to undertake similar actions.

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Mayor, City of Langley, Washington

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