



Armondo Pavone Mayor

## *Proclamation*

*Whereas*, Randy Corman is retiring from Renton City Council at the end of his seventh term in office; and

*Whereas*, Randy Corman was initially elected as Renton City Councilmember, Position No. 1, in November 1993; re-elected to his second term in November 1997, his third term in November 2001, his fourth term in November 2005, his fifth term in November 2009, his sixth term in November 2013, and his seventh and final term in November 2017, for a total of 28 years of service; and

*Whereas*, seven back-to-back terms over 28 straight years makes Randy the longest consecutively serving Councilmember in Renton's 120-year history; and

*Whereas*, during his 28-year tenure, Randy served as Council President six times, Public Safety Committee Chair seven times, Transportation (Aviation) Committee Chair seven times, Utility Committee Chair three times, Community Services Committee Chair two times, Planning & Development Committee Chair two times, and Finance Committee Chair one time; and

*Whereas*, Randy demonstrated great collaboration, teamwork and partnership as he worked with five mayors during his time as a councilmember: Mayor Earl Clymer, Mayor Jesse Tanner, Mayor Kathy Keolker, Mayor Denis Law and Mayor Armondo Pavone; and three chief administrative officers: Jay Covington, Bob Harrison and Ed VanValey; and

*Whereas*, Randy has served on the I-405 Executive Advisory Group and represented the city's interests in project development, funding, and delivery of the I-405 Master Plan; and

*Whereas*, WSDOT needs to rename certain projects on the I-405/SR 167 corridor when completed, such as "Randy Corman Memorial Renton-to-Bellevue Express Toll Lanes" or "Randy Corman Memorial North 8th Street Direct Access Ramp" in honor of the 23 years Randy served on the Executive Advisory Group; and

*Whereas*, for three years Randy has represented the city's interest as an Eastrail Regional Advisory Council member in continuing the Eastrail south through Renton to connect with other regional trails networks; and

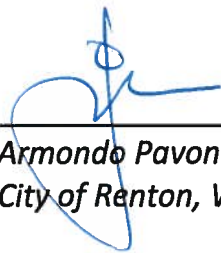
*Whereas*, through all these many years of service as Council president, Council committee chair, Council committee vice chair, and Council committee member, Randy always put his community first and was interested and solicited his constituents' viewpoints, perspectives and input on regional projects and efforts and local initiatives, policies, and programs;

*Now, therefore*, I, Armondo Pavone, Mayor of the City of Renton, do hereby proclaim December 13, 2021 to be

## *Randy Corman Day*

in the City of Renton, and I encourage all citizens to join me in this special observance.

*In witness whereof*, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Renton to be affixed this 13th day of December, 2021.



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*Armondo Pavone, Mayor  
City of Renton, Washington*

