## The State of Washington



## Aroclamation

WHEREAS, the Washington State School Retirees Association (WSSRA) recognizes all retired school employees; and

WHEREAS, the WSSRA educates and assists retirees in meeting the special challenges retirement brings, and works to improve their general welfare; and

WHEREAS, the WSSRA aids in advancing education by supporting high educational standards; and

WHEREAS, the WSSRA promotes group and individual involvement in charitable projects and activities, sponsors scholarships, and maintains interest and participates in educational and community activities; and

WHEREAS, the WSSRA supports and encourages retired educators to remain active in the education profession through volunteer activities associated with learning;

*NOW, THEREFORE,* I, Jay Inslee, Governor of the state of Washington, do hereby proclaim March 18-24, 2013, as

## School Retirees Appreciation Week

in Washington State, and I urge all citizens to join me in this special observance.

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Signed this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of January, 2013

Governor Jay Inslee