

PROCLAMATION

Office of the Mayor, City of Florence



INTERNATIONAL
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
COUNCIL

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT WEEK MAY 9 - 13 2022

WHEREAS, the International Economic Development Council is the largest professional economic development organization dedicated to serving economic developers; and

WHEREAS, economic developers promote economic well-being and quality of life for their communities by creating, retaining, and expanding jobs that facilitate growth, enhance wealth, and provide a stable tax base; and

WHEREAS, economic developers stimulate and incubate entrepreneurship in order to help establish the next generation of new businesses, which is the hallmark of the American economy; and

WHEREAS, economic developers are engaged in a wide variety of settings including rural and urban, local, state, provincial, and federal governments, public-private partnerships, chambers of commerce, universities, and a variety of other institutions; and

WHEREAS, economic developers attract and retain high-quality jobs, develop vibrant communities, and improve the quality of life in their regions; and

WHEREAS, economic developers live and work in the City of Florence, within the State of Oregon; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that I, Joe Henry, Mayor of the City of Florence, do hereby recognize May 9-15 2022 as "National Economic Development Week" in the City of Florence and remind individuals of the importance of this community celebration which supports expanding career opportunities and improving quality of life.



Joe Henry, Mayor