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## GREETINGS

March 15, 2010

Greetings!

On behalf of the City of Seattle, it is my honor to offer greetings to the

## Ride of Silence

which will take place in the City of Seattle, and in hundreds of locations around the World, on May 19, 2010 at 7:00 p.m. in the evening.

At that time, cyclists will take to the roads in a silent procession to honor those who have been killed or injured while cycling on public roadways. The Ride of Silence is a free, non-commercial, silent procession gathered to honor fallen cyclists. It also works to raise awareness of cyclists' presence on our roadways and underscore the fact that we must truly share the road.

Seattle is both an extraordinary city for bicycling and a city full of enthusiastic cyclists. I commend the volunteer organizers and participants in the Ride of Silence for their compassion, professionalism and leadership in organizing this event.

You have my best wishes for a safe, successful Ride this year.

Michael McGinn

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