## CITY OF SPOKANE



## PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, The Spokane metropolitan area has a diverse population with a variety of cultures; and

WHEREAS, The City of Spokane's Arts Commission endeavors to display a variety of cultural exhibits and performances in the community; and

WHEREAS, The South Asia Cultural Association (SACA) of Spokane has the main goal of sponsoring and arranging international programs for the purpose of depicting South Asian Cultures; and

WHEREAS, The South Asia Cultural Association accepted the opportunity to receive an East Indian Dance team which will perform in Spokane on November 12<sup>th</sup>, 2004 in a dance drama entitled, "Gajamukha", with partial funding from National Dance Project of the New England Foundation for the Arts (NEFA); and

WHEREAS, Spokane Falls Community College is sponsoring a workshop on November  $10^{\rm th}$ , 2004 to show the intricacies of East Indian Dance for the benefit of students and the community:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Mayor Jim West, on behalf of the Spokane City Council, do hereby proclaim the week of November 8<sup>th</sup>, 2004 as

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and encourage all citizens to attend the programs available in our community in support of the arts, cultural diversity and East Indian Dance.

I, James E. West, Mayor of Spokane, do hereunto set my hand and cause the seal of the City of Spokane to be affixed this 8<sup>th</sup> day of November in 2004.

JAMES E. WEST

Mayor

