



**SNOHOMISH COUNTY COUNCIL
SNOHOMISH COUNTY EXECUTIVE**

JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 08-016

For Him

**EXPRESSING RELIEF ↓ ON THE OCCASION OF THE RETIREMENT
OF JIM HALEY AND GIVING HIM A DAY ON US**

WHEREAS, Jim Haley has finally acquiesced to retirement after an inexplicable 42 years in journalism; and

WHEREAS, a search of The Herald's website reveals 1,746 citations attributed to Jim Haley and a comparable search of Google produces 8,080 similar records; and

WHEREAS, that is far too many and a due regard for the opinions of the uninformed demands an explanation; and

WHEREAS, Jim Haley has earned the well-deserved respect of our community over a long and storied career in the trenches of journalism with The Herald, covering every topic imaginable from sacrosanct to profane with equal aplomb and skill.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Snohomish County Council and the Snohomish County Executive do jointly proclaim May 10, 2008 as:

Jim Haley Appreciation Day in Snohomish County

AND FURTHER, do urge all citizens to observe this day by acknowledging how much our community will miss him.

APPROVED THIS 7TH DAY OF MAY, 2008

Dave Somers
Council Chair

Aaron Reardon
County Executive

Mike Cooper
Councilmember

Dave Gossett
Councilmember

John Koster
Councilmember

Brian Sullivan
Councilmember

Attest Asst. Clerk of the Council

