

**PROCLAMATION**

*WHEREAS, people with disabilities are an important, vital part of American society as valued workers, civic leaders, business owners, veterans, family members and friends; and*

*WHEREAS, the Americans with Disabilities Act gives Americans the right to fully participate in all aspects of society; and*

*WHEREAS, people with disabilities are innovative and valued contributors in the workplace, in the classroom and in the community; and*

*WHEREAS, people with disabilities and their family members, employers, educators and caregivers have access to trusted, reliable resources and information, so that people with disabilities may obtain employment, education, transportation and housing; and*

*WHEREAS, disability.gov offers comprehensive disability-related resources and information for Americans with disabilities, their family members, veterans, employers, educators, caregivers and many others;*

*NOW, THEREFORE, I, WILLIAM D. EUILLE, Mayor of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, and on behalf of the Alexandria City Council, do hereby announce and proclaim October 14, 2009 as:*

**"DISABILITY.GOV DAY"**


*in the City of Alexandria, and all citizens are encouraged to recognize the accomplishments and contributions of people with disabilities in all aspects of our community.*

*IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Alexandria to be affixed this 14<sup>th</sup> day of October 2009.*



**WILLIAM D. EUILLE    MAYOR**  
On behalf of the City Council  
of Alexandria, Virginia

ATTEST:



Jacqueline M. Henderson, CMC City Clerk

