

GREETINGS

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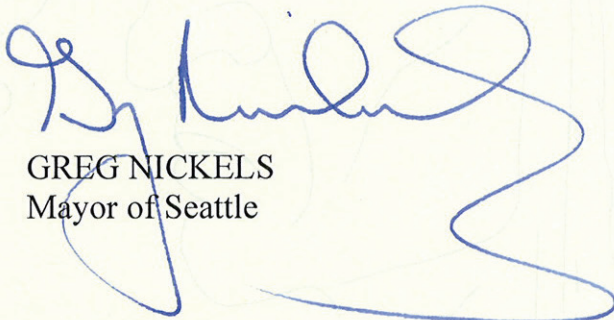
As Mayor of the City of Seattle, it is my pleasure to welcome you to the National Council for Interior Design Qualification's (NCIDQ) Annual Meeting here in Seattle.

NCIDQ recognizes the dedicated interior designers who volunteer their time to serve their associations by monitoring and ensuring the professional practice of interior design. Your work in this field sets high standards for professionalism and quality.

Over the next few days you will have the amazing opportunity to connect with hundreds of people from all over the United States and Canada. During your stay, I encourage you to take advantage of the natural scenery, majestic views, and the many historical sites of Seattle.

Best wishes for a successful conference and a wonderful stay!

Sincerely,



GREG NICKELS
Mayor of Seattle