Office of the Mayor



## Proclamation

## Declaring the Week of November 4<sup>th</sup> through November 11<sup>th</sup>, 2023 **20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary**

"WEEK OF THE FAMILY – Strengthening the family every week of the year."

*Whereas,* the City of Belle Isle is blessed with a multitude of families, an essential part of the cultural, social, and spiritual fabric of our community, and

Whereas, the City of Belle Isle recognizes that strong families are at the center of strong communities; that children live better lives when their families are strong; and that families are strong when they live in communities that connect them to economic opportunities, social networks, and services; and



*Whereas,* everyone has a role to play in making families successful, including neighborhood organizations, businesses, non-profit agencies, policymakers, and families themselves; and

*Whereas,* during the week of November 4<sup>th</sup> through November 11<sup>th</sup>, 2023, the City of Belle Isle's residents should take time to honor the importance of families and recommit to enhancing and extending the special connections that support and strengthen them throughout the year and

*Whereas*, during this week, we urge residents of the City of Belle Isle to join other agencies and organizations throughout the county to honor and celebrate our families.

*Now, therefore*, I, Nicholas Fouraker, Mayor of the City of Belle Isle, do hereby proclaim the week of November 4<sup>th</sup> through November 11<sup>th</sup>, 2023, as

## "WEEK OF THE FAMILY – Practice Kindness"

in the City of Belle Isle and encourage all citizens to share in this occasion.

ATTEST

Yolanda Quiceno, CMC, City Clerk

In Witness Whereof, I hereunto have set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Belle Isle to be affixed this 17th day of October 2023.

Mayor Nicholas Fouraker