

# PROCLAMATION

## DARLEEN DAY IN DEADWOOD SEPTEMBER 23, 2023

WHEREAS, Darleen Hicks turns 95 years old on Saturday, September 23, 2023.

WHEREAS, Darleen has lived continuously in Deadwood since 1953. Darleen and her husband, Alan raised their two children in Deadwood.

WHEREAS, Darleen took part in many organizations including Beta Sigma Phi, Jayceettes, Business and Professional Women, Zonta Club, Deadwood Historic Preservation, VFW Auxiliary, and Dakota Territory Federal Credit Union Supervisory Committee.

WHEREAS, Darleen has been a long-time member of the First Baptist Church of the Northern Hills in Deadwood.

WHEREAS, Many people will remember her from her career as a laboratory medical technologist at the Deadwood Hospital.

NOW THEREFORE, I David Ruth Jr., Mayor of the City of Deadwood, by virtue of the authority vested in me by our community, hereby proclaim September 23, 2023, as DARLEEN HICKS DAY and urge all citizens to thank Darleen personally for her life-long service to the community.

FURTHERMORE, I, along with the entire City Commission, congratulate Daleen on her 95th birthday and wish her continued happiness for many years to come.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand this 18th day of September, 2023.

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David Ruth Jr., Mayor