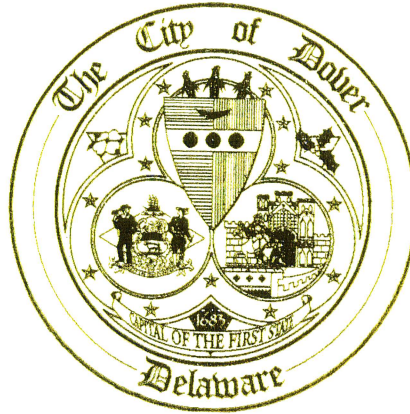




PROCLAMATION

***WHEREAS**, change is constant in every community and affects all of us and planners help navigate this change through insights and expertise that assist in providing better choices for how we work and live; and*

***WHEREAS**, community planning provides an opportunity for all residents to be involved in making choices that determine the future of their community and requires public officials and citizens who understand, support, and demand excellence in plan development and implementation; and*

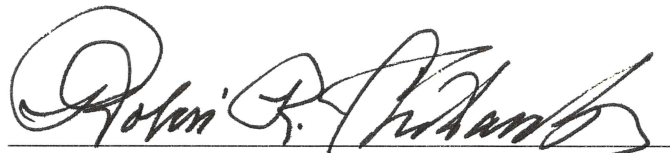
***WHEREAS**, the American Planning Association and its professional institute, the American Institute of Certified Planners, endorse National Community Planning Month as an opportunity to highlight the contributions of planners who are uniquely qualified to identify solutions to our community's difficult housing, transportation and land use questions; and*

***WHEREAS**, the celebration of Community Planning Month gives us the opportunity to recognize the participation and dedication of appointed planning commission members as well as the valuable contributions of our planning staff including their continued commitment to public service.*

***NOW THEREFORE, I, ROBIN R. CHRISTIANSEN, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF DOVER, DELAWARE**, do hereby proclaim the month of October 2024 as*

COMMUNITY PLANNING MONTH

in the City of Dover and encourage all citizens to join me in recognizing the participation and dedication of the staff of the City of Dover Department of Planning and Inspections and their help in creating a community with lasting value.


 ROBIN R. CHRISTIANSEN
 MAYOR