



PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, one hundred years ago, in 1925, the citizens of Larimer County recognized the urgent need for local access to quality health care and established **Larimer County Hospital**, a community-built institution dedicated to serving all who needed care; and

WHEREAS, as Northern Colorado grew and evolved, so too did its hospital — becoming **Poudre Valley Memorial Hospital** and later **Poudre Valley Hospital** — reflecting its expanding role as a trusted and enduring pillar of health, innovation, and compassion; and

WHEREAS, throughout its century-long history, Poudre Valley Hospital has been defined not only by its medical excellence, but by the extraordinary people who have served within its walls: physicians, nurses, caregivers, and volunteers who have advanced medicine and delivered hope to generations of families; and

WHEREAS, the hospital's partnership with the City of Fort Collins and the broader Northern Colorado community has strengthened the region's resilience, supported its economic vitality, and promoted the well-being of countless residents; and

WHEREAS, from its early days as a small county hospital to its current role as part of **UCHealth**, Poudre Valley Hospital has remained steadfast in its mission to provide world-class care close to home, guided by compassion, innovation, and service to others; and

WHEREAS, as the hospital celebrates its **100th anniversary**, it honors the vision of its founders, the dedication of its caregivers, and the continued trust and partnership of the Fort Collins community.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Jeni Arndt, Mayor of the City of Fort Collins, do hereby proclaim the year of 2025, as

100TH ANNIVERSARY OF POUDRE VALLEY HOSPITAL

and congratulate Poudre Valley Hospital on 100 years of exceptional service to Fort Collins and Northern Colorado.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of the City of Fort Collins this 18th day of November 2025.

Mayor

ATTEST:

City Clerk