

## **PROCLAMATION**

**WHEREAS**, Pat Ferrier has covered business and development in Fort Collins as a reporter for the Fort Collins Coloradoan for 23 years; and

**WHEREAS**, Pat has helped community members stay informed through the changing landscape in Fort Collins through her reporting; and

**WHEREAS**, Pat has spent countless hours deciphering fees, codes, the development review process, taxes, the economy, and community values and contradictions; and

**WHEREAS**, Pat has helped the residents of Fort Collins know their community and answered the curiosities of "What is that going to be?" and "When will that open?;" and

**WHEREAS**, throughout these many years, Pat has reminded us of where we have been and where we are going (think Foothills Mall journey!); and

WHEREAS, Pat shared genuine interest and an ability to simplify the complexities; and

WHEREAS, she has now retired.

**NOW**, **THEREFORE**, I, Emily Francis, Mayor Pro Tem of the City of Fort Collins, do hereby declare May 7, 2024, as

## PAT FERRIER APPRECIATION DAY

I commend your exceptional service to the city and wish you all the best in your retirement.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of the City of Fort Collins this 7th day of May, 2024.

|                    | Mayor Pro Tem |  |
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| ATTEST:            |               |  |
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| Interim City Clerk |               |  |