

## **PROCLAMATION**

**WHEREAS**, we celebrate the City of Fort Collins Adaptive Recreation and Inclusive Recreation Opportunities (ARO) Flag Football teams for their qualification and performance at the 2023 State Special Olympics Tournament; and

**WHEREAS**, we recognize and celebrate these remarkable teams comprised of dedicated athletes and partners with and without disabilities; and

**WHEREAS**, we celebrate the skill these athletes showed on the field and their commitment and demonstration of sportsmanship and unity; and

**WHEREAS**, we congratulate Team Cowboy Kraken for their third place finish in Division 4, Fort Collins Broncos for their third place finish in the Youth Division 1 and Team Crimson Tide for their 2023 Division 1 State Special Olympics Flag Football Championship; and

**WHEREAS**, we thank the coaches who volunteered their time to create an incredible environment for our athletes to reach their fullest potential, learn valuable skills, and create a sense of belonging; and

**WHEREAS**, we recognize and thank the City of Fort Collins ARO teams for their commitment to the City's core value of Belonging, to build equitable, inclusive and supportive work environments that cultivate a sense of belonging for employees and community members of all identities to feel safe and valued.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Jeni Arndt, Mayor of the City of Fort Collins, do hereby recognize the

## CITY OF FORT COLLINS ARO FLAG FOOTBALL TEAMS

for their Amazing Performance at the 2023 State Special Olympics Tournament.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of the City of Fort Collins this 21st day of November, 2023.

Mayor

ATTEST:

City Clerk