

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, we recognize that protecting our source water supply from pollution is crucial for providing high quality drinking water to our community; and

WHEREAS, the public health, economic development, and quality of life of the City of Fort Collins' community depends on a safe and reliable source water supply; and

WHEREAS, we recognize the inherent value and importance of our source water and acknowledge our responsibility to protect it for future generations; and

WHEREAS, we commit to providing equitable access to clean and safe source water for all of our community members, ensuring that no one is disproportionately burdened by environmental concerns, or lacks access to this essential resource; and

WHEREAS, Fort Collins' community members are urged to join in efforts to protect and conserve our source water through educational initiatives, community engagement, policy discussions, and to be involved in local water issues.

NOW, **THEREFORE**, I, Jeni Arndt, Mayor of the City of Fort Collins, do hereby proclaim September 24-30, 2023, as

SOURCE WATER PROTECTION WEEK

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of the City of Fort Collins this 19th day of September, 2023.

	Mayor	
ATTEST:		
City Clerk		