## Proclamation

## Honoring the King Family and their Sunflower Farm

Whereas, Fruita's agricultural roots run deep and strong with family farms at its core. Multiple crops have graced our fields: corn, wheat, alfalfa and so many more; and

Whereas, These farms bring food to our tables, feed our animal friends and bring beauty, green space and charm. The families who run them are hardworking folks; their smiles and hearts open and warm; and

Whereas, Fruita's values of kindness and neighborly acts are evident every day. The King Family stepped up and displayed these great things in a big and most beautiful way; and

Whereas, The sunflowers they planted came up strong and true, their bright blooms turning each day to the sun. The King Family decided to open their fields to share these flowers with everyone; and

Whereas, The word quickly spread and the community came with their families and cameras in tow. Beautiful photos popped up each and every day; they wanted the whole town to know; and

Whereas, The City of Fruita quickly learned of the wonderous joy being spread by this family farm. We want to recognize and show appreciation for this act, so thoughtful, kind and warm;

**NOW, THEREFORE:** Let it be known with this token of ours, a symbol of Fruita so true. We honor and cherish this kindness you've shared ~ Tonight, we celebrate YOU!

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the official Seal of the City of Fruita this Seventh day of November, 2023.

Joel Kincaid Mayor of the City of Fruita