PROCLAMATION

RECOGNIZING WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP, ENTREPRENEURSHIP, AND HISTORY

WHEREAS, Women's History Month is celebrated annually in March to recognize and honor the vital contributions of women to our nation's history, culture, and society; and

WHEREAS, the City of Fruita values the leadership, dedication, and achievements of women who have shaped and strengthened our community through business, civic engagement, education, and public service; and

WHEREAS, the Fruita Area Chamber of Commerce has been a steadfast advocate for the success and advancement of women in business through its Women in Business group, providing opportunities for professional growth, mentorship, and networking; and

WHEREAS, the Women in Business group hosts monthly networking luncheons, quarterly activities, and signature events, including the Annual Women's Entrepreneurship Luncheon and the Women in Business Conference, which empower and support women in business and leadership roles; and

WHEREAS, 2025 marks the 5th Annual Women in Business Conference, a milestone that reflects the Chamber's ongoing commitment to fostering an inclusive and thriving business community where women can excel; and

WHEREAS, the City of Fruita recognizes and appreciates the countless women entrepreneurs, business owners, professionals, and community leaders who contribute to the economic vitality and quality of life in our region; and

NOW, THEREFORE, we, the Fruita City Council, do hereby proclaim March 2025 as

"WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH IN FRUITA"

and encourage all residents to celebrate and support the women in our community, recognizing their contributions and advocating for continued opportunities for women in business, leadership, and beyond.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Fruita to be affixed this 18th day of March, 2025.

Matthew Breman, Mayor, City of Fruita