

## Kiwanis Club of Greeley Day

WHEREAS, Kiwanis International is a global organization of volunteers dedicated to improving the world, one child and one community at a time; and

WHEREAS, the Kiwanis Club of Greeley was chartered on March 21, 1922; and

WHEREAS, the Kiwanis Club of Greeley has given over \$1.5 million dollars to the Greeley community; and

WHEREAS, the Kiwanis Club of Greeley hosts annual projects supporting the Weld Food Bank, the Salvation Army and many other Greeley-area non-profit organizations; and

WHEREAS, for over 74 years, the Kiwanis Club of Greeley has hosted the "Stars of Tomorrow" youth talent show, awarding scholarships for winning participants; and

WHEREAS, the Kiwanis Club of Greeley sponsors youth service clubs in the Greeley area, including four high school Key Clubs, a Builders Club, and a K-kids Club; and

WHEREAS, the Kiwanis Club of Greeley provides multiple annual scholarships to graduating seniors in the area; and

WHEREAS, the Kiwanis Club of Greeley has hosted a Christmas party for underprivileged first graders for over 60 years; and

WHEREAS, the Greeley City Council recognizes the important civic contributions that the Kiwanis Club of Greeley has made to the Greeley community.

**NOW, THEREFORE, I**, John Gates, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Greeley, do hereby proclaim March 26, 2022, as **the Kiwanis Club of Greeley Day** in the City of Greeley, and urge all citizens to join with us in recognizing and commending the Kiwanis Club of Greeley for its commitment to improving the lives of all citizens locally and globally. The City of Greeley congratulates the Kiwanis Club of Greeley on its 100th Anniversary.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the official seal of the City of Greeley, Colorado, this 15<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2022.

John D. Gates Mayor