

## **Proclamation**

Whereas, on January 30, 2020, the International Health Regulations Emergency Committee of the World

Health Organization declared the outbreak of COVID-19 a public health emergency of

international concern; and

**Whereas,** those who chose the healthcare profession as their calling, were put to task by this outbreak,

and rose to the occasion and unwaveringly faced the COVID pandemic to keep our community

safe and protected; and

Whereas, the unwell of our community, whether afflicted with the novel coronavirus or suffering with

another illness, were treated and tended to by devoted healthcare workers and served by

dedicated frontline workers in many capacities; and

Whereas, all frontline workers, whether they be healthcare workers, first responders, grocery store

workers or others, risked their own lives and the well-being of their families as they remained

dedicated to providing essential services.

**NOW THEREFORE**, I, Neil Bradshaw, Mayor of the City of Ketchum, do hereby honor and extend our deepest thanks and gratitude to all of the frontline workers of our community for their heroic efforts. We recognize their spirit, love and skill provided to their fellow man during the COVID-19 pandemic and encourage all residents of Ketchum to acknowledge our frontline workers for their devotion to the health and well-being of our citizens.