

Proclamation by The City of Pipestone

May 5, 2025

WHEREAS, organizations nationwide are recognizing Child Care Providers on May 9th; and

WHEREAS, the Child Care System supports children's growth, development, and educational advancement and creates a positive economic impact for families and communities; and

WHEREAS, Child Care Providers are essential to the health of our communities by fostering welcoming spaces, support working families, and creating positive enriching environments where children can develop lifelong skills; and

WHEREAS, The City of Pipestone recognizes that child care has been and continues to be a lifeline for families, communities, and the economy. As such, it has provided much-needed support to providers to help sustain the viability of child care; and

WHEREAS, support for affordable, accessible high-quality child care represents a worthy commitment to help families work, support children's healthy development and learning, and keep our economy growing.

Now, therefore, I, Dan Delaney, Mayor of The City of Pipestone, hereby proclaim May 9, 2025, as Provider Appreciation Day in The City of Pipestone and urge all citizens to recognize Child Care Providers for their important work, and how valuable they are for our communities.