



OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

NATIONAL GARDEN CLUB WEEK PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Gardeners have a passion for nurturing the beauty and resources of the earth through the planting of seeds, the care of all plants and the riches of their efforts; and

WHEREAS, Gardeners seek to add beauty, splendor, fragrance and nutrition to our lives through the growing of herbs, vegetables, foliage and flowers; and

WHEREAS, Gardeners work to preserve our country's traditional spirit of independence and initiative through innovation and hard work; and

WHEREAS, Gardeners advocate the importance of all creatures, large and small, that share our world and their roles in a balanced and productive ecology; and

WHEREAS, Gardening furnishes a challenging and productive activity for our citizens, for those just learning as well as those having years of experience; and

WHEREAS, Gardening promotes a healthy lifestyle that lasts a lifetime, helps reduce stress from other areas of our life, teaches that rewards can come from diligent efforts; and

WHEREAS, Gardening enables members of Garden Clubs across the nation and the world to make a world of difference in the communities where they reside and work;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Jason L. Shelton, Mayor of the City of Tupelo, do hereby proclaim the week of June 7 – 13, 2020 as

GARDEN CLUB WEEK

in the City of Tupelo and encourage our citizens to observe the week with educational activities and projects that emphasize the benefits of gardening.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Tupelo, Mississippi, to be affixed this the 2nd day of June, 2020.

ATTEST:

Kim Hanna, City Clerk

Jason L. Shelton
Mayor