



## PROCLAMATION

**WHEREAS**, Gary Thomas has been an active and involved volunteer and leader for Fort Collins and the Northern Colorado community over the past thirteen years; and

**WHEREAS**, as the long-time Director for Senior Alternatives in Transportation (SAINT), Mr. Thomas helped organize volunteers to ensure mobility options for senior citizens; and

**WHEREAS**, he has served as a citizen member of Budgeting For Outcomes (BFO) budget teams for the past six years; and

**WHEREAS**, Mr. Thomas has represented the Northern Colorado region in efforts to improve Colorado air quality by serving on the Regional Air Quality Council (RAQC) from 2014 to 2017; and

**WHEREAS**, Mr. Thomas served four terms over eleven years on the Fort Collins Transportation Board, including roles as Vice Chair and Board Chair from 2006 to 2010; and

**WHEREAS**, he served on and has led numerous citizen committees and efforts related to transportation infrastructure, maintenance, and multi-modal funding initiatives, including Building on Basics, Regional Transportation Authority, Keep Fort Collins Great, and Community Capital Improvement Program; and

**WHEREAS**, Mr. Thomas will soon be moving from Fort Collins and relocating to Pueblo, Colorado.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Wade Troxell, Mayor of the City of Fort Collins, do hereby recognize and express our thanks and gratitude to

### GARY THOMAS

for his exceptional leadership, his passion for helping find community-supported solutions, and for tirelessly working to help improve and maintain transportation infrastructure and provide effective mobility options for all within our city.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of the City of Fort Collins this 6th day of June, A.D. 2017.

ATTEST:

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Mayor

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City Clerk