



## PROCLAMATION

**WHEREAS**, National Cyber Security Awareness Month, celebrated every October, was created as a collaborative effort between government and industry to ensure every American has the resources they need to stay safer and more secure online; and

**WHEREAS**, National Cyber Security Awareness Month is a time to focus on how cybersecurity is a shared responsibility that affects all Americans and to raise awareness about the importance of cybersecurity; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Fort Collins recognizes the importance in identifying, responding to and protecting against cyber threats that may have significant impact to our individual and collective security and privacy; and

**WHEREAS**, critical infrastructure sectors are increasingly reliant on information systems to support financial services, energy, telecommunications, transportation, utilities, health care, and emergency response systems; and

**WHEREAS**, maintaining the security of cyberspace is a shared responsibility in which each of us-elected officials, City staff and community members, has a critical role to play.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Wade Troxell, Mayor of the City of Fort Collins, do hereby proclaim October 2017 as

### **NATIONAL CYBER SECURITY AWARENESS MONTH**

and encourage all citizens to learn about cyber security and put that knowledge into practice in their homes, schools, workplaces, and businesses.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of the City of Fort Collins this 3rd day of October, A.D. 2017.

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Mayor

ATTEST:

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City Clerk