



## PROCLAMATION

**WHEREAS**, the global charity Movember Foundation’s vision is to have an everlasting impact on the face of men’s health; and

**WHEREAS**, the Movember community of over 5 million men and women has raised over \$769 million, funding over 1200 programs in 21 countries – this work is saving and improving the lives of men affected by prostate cancer, testicular cancer and mental health problems; and

**WHEREAS**, 1 in 7 men will be diagnosed with prostate cancer in his lifetime and treatment options for prostate cancer vary depending on a man’s age, stage and grade of his cancer, as well as his other existing medical conditions; and

**WHEREAS**, testicular cancer is the most common cancer in males between the ages of 15 and 34; and

**WHEREAS**, 1 in 4 adults in the U.S. will experience a mental health problem in any given year and 87 men in the U.S. die by suicide every day; and

**WHEREAS**, “MOVING” can reduce your risk of heart disease, diabetes, and cancer by up to 50% and lower your risk of early death by up to 30%; and

**WHEREAS**, Fort Collins joins communities across our nation to challenge men to grow and women to support a moustache or to make a commitment to get active and MOVE, both of which spark conversations and raise vital funds and awareness for men’s health.

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

## MONTH OF MOVEMBER

and urge all members of our community to join in recognizing this significant occasion and join the movement to change the face of men’s health.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of the City of Fort Collins this 7th day of November, A.D. 2017.

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Mayor

ATTEST:

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City Clerk